



Preschool Field Trips 2016-2017

We strive to provide preschoolers with experiences that foster curiosity about the natural world and promote environmental literacy through the lens of Michigan’s natural history and resources.

All of our programs put preschoolers at the center of learning by incorporating activities that:

- engage multiple learning styles and intelligences;
- provide sensory-based experiences; and
- allow participants to DO SCIENCE

We offer three preschool field trip programs: ***Sensing Nature, Fall, and Spring***, that get your students outside, active, and learning in our wonderful Black Pond Woods.

Overview	
Duration	90 Minutes
Cost	\$5 per child, including siblings, \$75 minimum, no charge for adults
Group Size	60 max
Age	3-5
Availability	Fall and Spring —see our Outreach Programs for Winter & Summer!

Program Descriptions

Sensing Nature

Available Sept. – Nov.; March – June

How do animals use their sense of sight, smell, touch, taste, and hearing? Students will discover how animals and humans use their senses to survive by observing a live animal up close, exploring stops along our outdoor “Sensory Nature Trail,” and much more! Your preschoolers’ five senses are sure to be engaged!



Preschool Field-Trip Program Descriptions Cont.

Fall

Available Sept. – Nov.

Explore fields and forests to learn how plants and animals prepare for winter with an enchanting autumn puppet show. Through an up-close and friendly live animal encounter and discovery hike, your students will truly experience the joys of fall.



Spring

Available March – June

Celebrate the birth of spring! A fun-filled puppet show will captivate and educate your youngsters about animal life in springtime. Visit a live animal and enjoy an outdoor walk through the woods and prairies while discovering the eagerly anticipated signs of spring.



Additional Program Information

Weather and Location

All of our programs are seasonally appropriate and take place outdoors. Please make sure your preschoolers and chaperones are properly dressed for the weather! In the case of extreme weather, we will move some activities indoors, focusing on the same themes and concepts.

Parking

Parking can be limited and large groups are encouraged to carpool.

Cancellations

All LSNC school programs take place rain or shine. If your school is cancelled, or LSNC deems the weather is unsafe, we will work to reschedule your program within the school year based on schedule availability, or provide a refund if necessary.

Non-weather related cancellations must occur 48 hours in advance, or a \$75 processing fee will be charged. The \$75 fee is applied to any cancellation whether it is an entire organization, or one scheduled class from a multi-class visit.

Final payments must be made the day of the program, unless otherwise arranged by LSNC.

For more information or to schedule a program, contact our office at 734.997.1553