

<u>Programs</u>	<u>Grades</u>	<u>Season</u>	<u>Length</u>	<u>Main Concepts</u>
American Indians	3-8	F, Sp	1 hour 30 min	History, Respect, Indian Culture, Local Indian tribes
Animal Tracks	K-8	F, W, Sp	1 hour	Wildlife ID, Observation, Biology
Animals in Winter	K-8	F, W	1 hour 30 min	Adaptations, Migration, Observation, Local fauna
Birds	K-8	F, W, Sp	2 hours	Adaptations, Habitat Study, Field Guide Use, Niches
Butterflies	K-4	F, Sp	1 hour	Lifecycles, Metamorphosis, Adaptations, Migration, Collection, Conservation
Frogs and Toads	K-4	Sp	1 hour	Lifecycles, Seasons, Hibernation, Amphibian vs. Reptiles
Habitat Study	K-8	F, W, Sp	2 hours	Prairie, Woodland, Stream habitat exploration, Communities, Succession, Food chains
History of Swiss Valley	3-8	F, W, Sp	1 hour	Early Settlers, Geological past, Succession
Insects	K-4	F, Sp	1 hour 30 min	Lifecycles, Complete and Incomplete
Jeopardy	4-8	F, W, Sp	1 hour	Metamorphosis, Camouflage, Conservation
Microscope Studies	4-8	F, W, Sp	2 hours	Topics: Nature's Inventions, Buoyancy, Natural Resources
Nocturnal Animals	K-8	F, W, Sp	1 hour 30 min	Biodiversity, Preparation of Slides, Aquatic Invertebrates, Food Webs
Outdoor Skills/Survival	4-8	F, Sp	2 hours	Adaptations, Owls, Bats, Coyote, Flying Squirrels, Food Chains, Niches
Plants and Trees	K-8	Sp	2 hours	Fire building, Shelter building, Water safety, Safety kit review, Hiking safety, Knot tying
Reptiles	K-8	F, Sp	1 hour	Photosynthesis, Plant communities, Seed dispersal, Plant anatomy
Senses	K-3	F, W, Sp	1 hour 30 min	Hibernation, Adaptations, Conservation, Amphibians vs. Reptiles
Stream Studies	K-8	F, Sp	2 hours	5 senses, Observation, Natural Resource awareness
				Biodiversity, Food Chains, Bioaccumulation, Aquatic Invertebrates, Water Conservation

Please select a program for your class from the above list. Contact SVNC if you would like to arrange a field trip on a topic not listed. If you are studying specific concepts in the classroom and would like us to include them in your field trip please discuss your needs with the Naturalist. (563.556.6745)

Seasons: F=Fall W=Winter Sp=Spring