



Connecting People with Nature  
through Science and the Arts

# The Green Center's *Nature Explorer* Summer Camps 2017



Spend the summer at one of The Green Center's ***Nature Explorer Camps!*** Each camp will have students explore our prairie, forest, wetland, greenhouse and discovery garden outdoor classrooms. Programming will take place both **indoors** and **outdoors**. *Please note:* Students **do** need to bring a lunch each day.

## **Nature Explorer: Nature Play Camp**

**Register by May 30, 2017**

This 5-day camp will reconnect children to nature and offer them experiences to explore, discover and interact with the natural environment. Students will use their senses in the outdoors, learn about different habitats, identify plants and animals, create art projects and participate in a scavenger hunt.

**Date:** June 5-9 **Ages:** 5-7 years old

**Time:** \*9:00am - 3:00pm

**Cost:** \$135.00 (includes all materials)

\*Before & After Care is available at 8:30am and until 3:30pm each day upon request for an additional \$25 fee for the week.

## **Nature Explorer: Nature Photography Camp**

**Register by June 2, 2017**

Learn how to take nature photographs in our beautiful outdoor spaces in this 5-day camp. Students will learn the basics of using a digital camera, develop their photography skills by taking pictures in the natural settings of our outdoor spaces and participate in a variety of photography projects using their own photos. Cameras will be provided for students to use.

**Date:** June 12-16 **Ages:** 8-13 years old

**Time:** \*9:00am - 3:00pm

**Cost:** \$135.00 (includes all materials)

\*Before & After Care is available at 8:30am and until 3:30pm each day upon request for an additional \$25 fee for the week.

## **Nature Explorer: Get Outdoors Camp**

**Register by June 16, 2017**

This 5-day camp will teach children to be creative with nature and discover new ways to get OUTside and play! Each day will be full of art projects utilizing materials we find outdoors, activities such as orienteering, games in our natural habitats and more!

**Date:** June 26-30 **Ages:** 8-13 years old

**Time:** \*9:00am - 3:00pm

**Cost:** \$135.00 (includes all materials)

\*Before & After Care is available at 8:30am and until 3:30pm each day upon request for an additional \$25 fee for the week.

## **Nature Explorer: Green Chef Camp**

**Register by July 21, 2017**

Students will be cooking with nature in this 5-day camp. Learn about the plants we have in our gardens, how to grow them and use them to make delicious dishes. We will explore our native Missouri plants and learn about their medicinal uses, hunt for wild edibles and learn about chickens. Only hungry kids need apply!

**Date:** July 31- August 4 **Ages:** 8-13 years old

**Time:** \*9:00am - 3:00pm

**Cost:** \$135.00 (includes all materials)

\*Before & After Care is available at 8:30am and until 3:30pm each day upon request for an additional \$25 fee for the week.

**Registration with payment must be received by the registration due date. Space is limited for each class!**

To register for the camp, fill out and return this form with your check made out to **The Green Center**. **Additional camp registration papers will be sent to you** upon receipt of this form that will need to be turned in on the first day of camp.

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Child Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_  
(2017-8)

Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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Camp Fee: <b>\$135.00</b>
Before/After Care: + _____
(If applicable, \$25)
<b>Total Check Amount: \$ _____</b>

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