

BCPS Field Trip Request ID # 9683

Trip Request By

Trip Name

Trip Date

Approx. Pick-up Time

Return Date

Approx. Return Time

Class/Group

Student Count

Chaperone Count

Number of Vans/Buses

Common Carrier

Cost to Students

How will you pay for students who cannot afford the fee?

Place of Departure

Name:

Address:

City:

State: KY

Destination

Name:

Address:

City:

State: KY

Lesson Plans

What educational objective does this field trip meet for your students?

To expose the students to real world examples of ecosystems and allow them to explore these ecosystems first hand. This opportunity will allow the students to discuss how ecosystems cycle matter and flow of energy among living and nonliving parts of the ecosystem.

Core Content: 06-LS2-3, 06-LS2-4

☞ How is this trip connected with or linked to the unit you are currently teaching in the classroom? What have you been teaching that leads to the value of this trip?

Prior to the trip students will be discussing and examining the interworking of the ecosystem from multiple parts of the world. They have examined energy in chemical process of everyday life, organization of matter and energy, the interdependent relationships in an ecosystem, and ecosystem dynamics, functioning, and resilience.

Core Content: 06-LS2-3, 06-LS2-4

℞• What instructional follow-up activities will the student do upon returning from the field trip?

Students will discuss what they have observed and compare/contrast the different ecosystems upon returning as well as complete an ERQ based on ecosystems.

℞• How will the field trip enhance learning more than the regular classroom instruction on this topic or lesson?

Many students will not get the opportunity to discuss/see various ecosystems around the world that this behind the scenes look and discussion will provide the students. This will give them an experience that does more than come from a textbook.

℞• When did your students last attend this site?

The students of BMS have never attended a behind the scene interaction of ecosystems with a guide from zoo.

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