



Bring Conservation to your classroom! Environmental educators present age appropriate programs which include safety and conservation practices and are aligned with SC state education standards. Visit our website for more information or call us at 843-255-7306. Email: bswcd@islc.net

Presently all programs are being presented virtually due to Covid 19 Virus Pandemic.

MOST POPULAR PROGRAMS	ANIMAL PROGRAMS	WATER QUALITY
<p>Soil Tunnel: Crawl “underground” to explore roots, animal habitats, wells and septic tanks, and learn about earthworms while handling your own night crawler. Pre-K to 2nd.</p> <p>Cargo for Conservation: US Fish & Wildlife kit explores endangered species, their habitat loss, and other reasons for threatened species. All ages.</p> <p>Adaptations- Keys to Survival: Explore structural, behavioral and instinctive adaptations for humans, animals, and plants. All ages.</p> <p>Snakes: Checkers the Snake visits your classroom & students learn why snakes are useful in our environment plus safety tips about Lowcountry snakes you may encounter. All ages.</p> <p>SC Fur Bearers: See our great collection of mammal furs while learning about these animals, their habits and habitats. All ages.</p> <p>Trees: Learn how trees are vital to our well-being as well as providing us with everyday needs. We can help with SC Arbor Day Celebration, Dec 4, 2020. K-5.</p>	<p><i>Appropriate for all Grade levels</i></p> <p>Bats: Learn important bat facts, understand echolocation, & how bats help us, especially in the Lowcountry.</p> <p>Spiders: Learn about the unique characteristics of spiders and how they help us and other animals.</p> <p>Bats & Spiders are fun in October. Polar Habitats are fun in December and January.</p> <p>JUST FOR THE LITTLES</p> <p>Beach in a Bag: Students handle a bag of shells & learn all about their adaptations & Ecosystems. K-2nd.</p> <p>Polar Habitats: Learn how animals adapt to survive in frigid environments. Hands-on. PreK-2nd.</p> <p>Interactive Books: Pre K to 1st (includes live critter, if available) <small>These programs are approximately 20-30 minutes</small></p> <p>One Tiny Turtle by Nicola Davies</p> <p>Is This a House for Hermit Crab? By Megan McDonald</p> <p>Harry Horseshoe Crab by Suzanne Tate Will</p> <p>Mister Seahorse by Eric Carle</p> <p>Need help with a topic not listed? Just ask! We have a lot of resources!</p>	<p>Enviroscape: Excellent visual, hands-on model for teaching point and non-point source pollution. Students learn how they can easily adopt habits to protect water quality All ages.</p> <p>MARINE LIFE PROGRAMS</p> <p>Sharks Don’t Always Bite: Learn about shark physiology, behavior and feeding habits. Fun hands-on activity to discover what a shark may eat! All ages.</p> <p>Horseshoe Crabs: Learn about these unusual gentle creatures, their interesting lives and how they are so important helping humans. All ages.</p> <p>INTERPRETIVE HIKES AND TOURS</p> <p>Interpretative Tours: Marsh walk at the Port Royal Sands Beach to learn about the importance of our salt marsh estuary. Explore the Port Royal Cypress Wetlands to observe the beautiful bird rookery, alligators and other reptiles while learning about stormwater runoff. Visit Crystal Lake Park to observe bird and alligator habitat, while learning about the history of the local jewel. All ages. *Binoculars are available to students & adults with guided tours.</p>

Programs last 45 min to 1 hour (30 minutes on interpretative books) and cost \$25.00 each. Class size limited to 25 students. Discounts available for multiple programs. Grants may be available to assist with program cost. More resources available from our partners: Natural Resources Conservation Service www.nrcs.usda.gov & South Carolina Department of Natural Resources www.dnr.sc.gov

Our Mission: Help people conserve, maintain, and improve our natural resources and environment by promoting wise land use practices, environmental education and technical assistance.