2027 Outdoor Education Menu - Single-Day Field Trips

Teachers & Chaperones

As a thank you for your work organizing your class trip, teachers attend free! Additional chaperones are welcomed at 50% off the participant price.

Single-Day Field Trips

Choose up to three classes or activities for a 4-6 hour experience. Add a meal for $5 per person.

Classes (1-1.5 hours)

$5 per participant

Forest Study

Explore a variety of forest ecosystems through a combination of classroom learning and outdoor discovery. Learn about the plants, trees, and other organisms that call Kimball Camp home, how they interact, and what makes each ecosystem unique. Then head out across our campus to discover these relationships firsthand!

Aligns with MI standards: K-LS1-1, K-ESS2-2, K-ESS3-1, 2-LS2-2, 2-LS4-1, 3-LS4-3, 3-LS1-1, 3-LS3-2, 5-PS3-1, 5-LS2-1, MS-LS2-1, MS-LS2-3, MS-LS1-5, MS-LS4-6, HS-LS2-1, HS-LS2-2, HS-LS2-6, HS-LS4-4, HS-LS4-5

Outdoor Survival

Explore the basics of wilderness survival as you learn about the essential needs of humans and other living things in an outdoor environment. Discover the science of staying warm, conserving heat, and protecting yourself from the elements before building your own backwoods shelter or improving an existing one. This class can also be combined with Michigan History for a hands-on look at how people historically used natural resources to survive.

Aligns with MI standards: K-LS1-1, K-ESS2-2, K-ESS3-1, 3 – G5.0.1, 3 – G5.0.2, 3-LS4-3, 3-LS4-2

Aquatic Ecology

Explore the unique aquatic ecosystems of Kimball Camp as you investigate the creek and lakeshore. Get hands-on with water quality testing, search for aquatic organisms, and discover how living things interact with their environments. Consider what these observations can tell us about the health of our local waterways and the importance of protecting them.

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Michigan History

Step into pioneer life and early Michigan history through hands-on exploration and activities. Discover how early settlers lived, used natural resources, and met their basic needs while exploring the skills and challenges of surviving in Michigan's wilderness.

Aligns with MI standards: 3 – H3.0.5, 3 – H3.0.6, 3 – H3.0.7, 3 – H3.0.8, 3 – H3.0.10, 3 – G5.0.1, 3 – G5.0.2

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Activities (1-3 hours)

See activities for pricing and details.

Egg Landers: $5 per participant

Using common materials including rubber bands, napkins and straws, teams attempt to design an egg-protecting apparatus that can withstand a 40 foot fall.

Field and Court Games: $5 per participant

Get active with a mix of classic field and court games, including Gaga Ball, volleyball, basketball, and other group games. Build teamwork, try new activities, and have fun!

Predator/Prey Game: $5 per participant

Herbivores seek shelter, water, and food on a campus-wide playing field, while carnivores seek shelter, water, and herbivores in this massive game that combines the best of tag, hide and seek, and food chain 101.

Archery and/or Archery Tag: $7 per participant

Discover the art of accuracy at our archery range! Learn the fundamentals as you practice your aim and technique. Whether you're a beginner or have some experience, our archery sessions offer a fun and rewarding way to challenge yourself while mastering this exciting sport.

Team Building: $7 per participant

Overcome various mental and physical challenges together by completing our Low Ropes Teambuilding Course. Our facilitators will guide you through a series of activities designed to help your group reach goals you set at the beginning of the course.

Canoeing: $10 per participant

Learn the basics of paddling and work as a team to direct a canoe while exploring some of the best parts of Camp's outdoor classroom, including ecotones and transitioning habitats within and along the shores of Long Lake.

Giant Swing: $10 per participant

Get ready for an unforgettable ride on our 40-foot pendulum swing! Experience the excitement as you swing high into the air, feeling the rush of a roller coaster drop. It's a thrilling adventure that will have you soaring like a bird!

Goliath Rock Wall: $10 per participant

Challenge yourself on our multi-faced rock climbing wall, "Goliath." This towering giant is the perfect way to test your strength and skills. Reach for the top and aim for the ultimate achievement—climbing Goliath's nose!

High Ropes and/or Zip Line: $15 per participant

Additional time, 2-6 hours, is required. Limit of 12-15 participants per 2 hours, max. 45 participants over 6 hours. Minimum age of 12, minimum height 4' 6".
Get ready for the ultimate thrill as you harness up and tackle challenging obstacles 40 feet above the ground! Navigate through the course to test your balance and bravery. When you're ready, soar down the zipline for an

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Sample Schedules & Pricing

Class Teambuilding Trip Example

Time	Activity
9:00 - 9:30am	Welcome & Orientation
9:30 - 11:30am	Small-Group Teambuilding
11:30am - 12:30pm	Lunch
12:30 - 1:30pm	Large-Group/Full-Class Teambuilding
1:30 - 2:30pm	Free Time until Departure

30 students, 3 chaperones, 2 teachers:

Teambuilding Only

$7 per student x 30 = $210.00
$3.50 per Chaperone x 3 = $10.50
Total: $220.50

Teambuilding with Lunch

$12 per student x 30 = $360.00
$6 per Chaperone x 3 = $18.00
Total: $378.00

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Outdoor Learning Experience Example

Time	Activity
9:00 - 9:30am	Welcome & Orientation
9:30 - 10:30am	Class #1
10:30 - 11:30am	Class #2
11:30am - 12:30pm	Lunch
12:30 - 1:30pm	Class #3
1:30 - 2:30pm	Free Time or Activity Add-On until Departure

30 students, 3 chaperones, 2 teachers:

Classes Only

$15 per student x 30 = $450.00
$7.50 per Chaperone x 3 = $22.50
Total: $472.50

Classes with Lunch

$20 per student x 30 = $600.00
$10 per Chaperone x 3 = $30.00
Total: $630.00

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All-Day Adventure Activities Example

Time	Activity
9:00 - 9:30am	Welcome & Orientation
9:30 - 10:30am	Teambuilding
10:30 - 11:30am	Goliath Rock Wall
11:30am - 12:30pm	Lunch
12:30 - 1:30pm	Giant Swing
1:30 - 2:30pm	Free Time or Activity Add-On until Departure

30 students, 3 chaperones, 2 teachers:

Activities Only

$27 per student x 30 = $810.00
$13.50 per Chaperone x 3 = $40.50
Total: $850.50

Activities with Lunch

$32 per student x 30 = $960.00
$18 per Chaperone x 3 = $54.00
Total: $1,014.00

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Book Your Trip

All pricing and program availability are subject to change based on seasonality and scheduling. To officially secure your group's preferred dates, we require a signed contract and a 20% deposit. Please keep in mind that all outdoor adventure activities, particularly high ropes and waterfront elements, are strictly weather-dependent for the safety of our participants. In the event of severe weather, our team will work with you to provide alternative programming.

Availability

View our current availability at https://kimballcamp.com/outdoor-education
Peak dates, May-October, often fill 6-12 months in advance.

Large Group Bookings (80+ Participants)

Please contact us to ensure we can accommodate your desired schedule in a single-day trip.

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