

# Get Outside This Summer at Cope Environmental Center



*Grab your sense of adventure and join our team of naturalists for muddy shoes, exploring trails, and making new friends. Programs are filled with hands-on activities designed to inspire a love of nature and foster a connection to our natural world. Enroll today! Your adventure awaits!*

## CEC's 2019 Summer Adventure Programs

### Registration Details

Members: Registration begins February 1st.  
Non Members: Registration begins March 1st.

Space is limited. Call CEC to request a registration form (temporarily reserves your child's spot) or sign-up through our website by visiting:  
[www.copeenvironmental.org/programs/summer-programs/](http://www.copeenvironmental.org/programs/summer-programs/)

### Weekly Fees

#### Morning program fees (9:00 am-Noon):

Member:	\$60
Non-Member:	\$70

#### Afternoon program fees (1:00 pm-4:00 pm):

Member:	\$60
Non-Member:	\$70

#### Full day program fees (9am-3pm):

Member:	\$120
Non-Member:	\$140

#### Stay for Lunch

If your child is enrolled in a morning and afternoon program, they may eat lunch with a naturalist. Please send a healthy lunch with minimal waste.  
\$2 per day

\*\*\*Camp Scholarships are available and are need-based.

\*\*\*A discount will be given for multiple registrations from the same household.

### Information

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### Jr/Teen Master Naturalist Certification

June 3-7 9:00 am-3:00 pm 4th-12th grade

Spend the week learning about plants, birds, reptiles, amphibians, and mammals while earning you IN DNR Master Naturalist Certification. You will be able to complete your classroom hours and volunteer hours all in the same week! Use your certification to become a Summer Camp Ranger for CEC! (Rangers are 7th grade and older)

### Eco Superheroes

June 10-14 9:00 am - Noon 1st-3rd grade

Discover which insect has the greatest superpower - the bee that makes honey or the spider that spins a web? Why do bats and owls have super vision? Who runs the fastest? Do you have a superpower?

### Whoo Lives in the Forest?

June 10-14 1:00 pm-4:00 pm 1st-3rd grade

Explore the woodland habitat around CEC and learn about the animals that call Indiana forests home. Meet some animal friends to discover their relationships with other animals and their natural environment.

### Nature Buddies

June 17-21 9:00 am-Noon preK-K

This camp is for the little explorers ready for adventures in nature. Discover worms, salamanders, tadpoles, and more! Learn about lifecycles and how plants grow.

### Digging into Dirt

June 17-21 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm 1st-3rd grade

The world underneath our feet is a host to many creatures and provides us with food to eat. Come learn how humans would starve without dirt! Plant a snack to eat!

### Conservation Camp

June 24-28 9:00 am - 3:00 pm 4th-6th grade

Want to be a part of CEC's most popular summer camp? Tie-dyeing with natural dyes, participating in our famous "Fear Factor" race, and cooking with a solar cooker are just a few of the fun things we have planned for this week! Don't forget about the overnight on Thursday!

### Art of Nature

July 8-12 9:00 am - Noon 4th-6th grade  
July 29 - Aug 2 1:00-4:00 pm 1st-3rd grade

Awaken your inner artist and gather inspiration from the world around you! Paint with mud, weave with grass, and turn trash into some art! Plan to get down and dirty crafting in nature!

### Backyard Biologists

July 8-12 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm 4th-6th grade

Did you know your backyard is teeming with wildlife? Discover the insects, birds, flowers, trees, and wildlife that are all around us. Be ready to explore the micro-environments that surround CEC.

### Aqua Adventures

July 15-19 9:00 am-Noon 1st-3rd grade

Spend the week splashing in the wetlands, catching (and releasing) frogs, and discovering macroinvertebrates all while learning the importance of water for all forms of life. Beware: You will get wet!

### Salamander Safari

July 15-19 1:00-4:00 pm preK-K

Take a walk on the wild side. What will we find? Salamanders, caterpillars, and toads - OH my! Learn all about the fun little critters that fit in our hands.

### Wilderness Survival

July 22-26 9:00-3:00 pm 7th-12th grade

Do you have what it takes to survive? Spend all week learning shelter building, edible plant identification, and other basic survival skills, then test them out with an overnight camp-out in CEC's woods on Thursday!

### Scat-Venture Hunt

July 29- Aug 2 9:00 am - Noon 1st-3rd grade

We can learn a lot about our animal friends by checking out the clues they leave behind. This class will analyze animal clues from nests to scat to see who lives in our forest.

### 2019 Toddler Time

Time: 10:00 am - 11:00 am

Fee: \$3.00 per child

Join us for monthly Toddler Times where kids explore the outdoors of CEC through a story, hands-on activities, crafts, and a hike. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Be sure to dress for the weather! Toddler Time happens rain or shine! Register online at [www.copeenvironmental.org](http://www.copeenvironmental.org) or call 765.855.3188 (Required).

March 20- Wake Up, Spring!  
April 17- Sounds of Nature  
May 15 - Are You My Mother?  
June 19 - Tadpole Tales!  
July 17 - Solar Snacks

August 21 - Monarch Madness  
September 18 - Tomatoes & Potatoes  
October 16 - Falling Leaves  
November 20 - Feathered Friends  
December 18- A Woodland Holiday