

2018/19

6th Grade Science Camp at Alliance Redwoods



Tuesday, November 13, 2018
to
Friday, November 16, 2018

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Students will be leaving from and returning to Eich Middle School on chartered buses which is also included in the student fee. Alliance Redwoods campgrounds' amenities include cabins with beds for students, chaperones, and three meals a day.

**The cost for this fabulous experience will be
\$345.00 per student.**

PROPOSED PAYMENT OPTIONS:

Option #1:

Pay in full at any time

Option #2 Fall Payment Schedule: (Total cost may change)

August 29, 2018:	First Payment	\$ 115.00
September 26, 2018:	Second Payment	\$ 115.00
October 24, 2018:	Third Payment	<u>\$ 115.00</u>
		\$ 345.00*

*** Cost subject to change**

Fundraising Opportunity:

August/September 2018: Cookie Dough Sales

The 6th Grade class will be given the opportunity to participate in an Eich fundraiser to help lower the cost of Science Camp. Every sale your child makes will reduce the price of his/her individual Science Camp account! More information will be given in the fall.

Checks should be made payable to Eich Middle School

RECOMMENDED:

At any time before the payment requested dates, you may make additional payments or pay the balance in full.

Field Trip:

November 13, 2018: Depart from Eich to Alliance Redwoods

November 16, 2018: Arrive back to Eich from Alliance Redwoods

(We will send an email out approximately 30 minutes before the bus arrives at Eich so families may arrange for pick-up.)

Eich Middle School

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- ***The Program comprises a variety of Environmental Science classes, Challenges Course activities, Team Building Initiative classes, night hikes, and camp fire/skit nights (all selected classes and field trips are included in the rate).***
- ***Curriculum meets the CA State Standards for Outdoor Education.***
- ***All Naturalists who teach the curriculum are college graduates with extensive outdoor science and environmental education experiences.***
- ***Alliance Redwoods is located just over an hour north of the Golden Gate Bridge.***
- ***Reservations and classes are booked on a “1st-come-1st-served” basis.***
- ***Spanish material available upon request***

[Meet Alliance Redwoods Naturalists](#)

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Some Information on Science Camp

CABIN ASSIGNMENTS & TEACHING GROUPS:

There will be six to seven students and one chaperone to every cabin (four bunk beds); and three cabin groups for each teaching group (1 naturalist, 3 to 4 chaperones and 18 to 21 students).

MEDIC:

Alliance Redwoods provides a Medic who is available 24 hours/day. All medications, must be turned in to Eich Middle School before November 14, 2017. All information will be sent to parents well in advance of the trip. Our nursing staff will check in all medications and verify doctor orders before the trip.

MEALS:

Bus drivers and additional parent drivers eating meals at camp (especially Friday lunch) must be pre-arranged. Please pre-pay at camp office. All students, chaperones and teacher meals are included. However, you must bring a sack lunch for Tuesday, November 14th only.

SCHOOL PHOTO:

An Outdoor Education school photo will be taken during the week. We will provide ordering information before the trip.

TELEPHONES:

The camp has payphones available; however, it is the school's decision as to whether students will be given access to the payphones during free time. (Cell phones do not work in camp.) For Emergency phone calls, please dial (707) 874-3507 ext. "101".

MAIL:

Mail Call is before dinner each night.

Feel free to write to your child at:
Child's Name/School Name
Alliance Redwoods Conference Grounds
6250 Bohemian Hwy
Occidental, CA, 95465

Mail arriving later than school departure date will be returned.

OUTDOOR EDUCATION RULES:

All school rules apply at camp. Specific rules will be covered on the first day of camp.

DISCIPLINE:

If a camper chooses not to follow camp rules, there will be specific action taken:

Step 1: Verbal Warning
Step 2: Loss of Free time for the day
Step 3: Call made to the parents
Step 4: Sent home at parental expense

The decision to place any student on Steps 3 and 4 are made jointly by the Outdoor Education Director and the student's teacher.