



COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Marine Animals Course (Semester)

Overview: The Marine Animals Course will provide students with an overview of common marine animal species. Species reviewed will include toothed and baleen whales, sea turtles, pinnipeds (i.e. seals and sea lions), sharks, cnidarians (i.e. jellyfish), cephalopods (i.e. octopi and squid), echinoderms (i.e. sea cucumbers, sea stars and sea urchins), teleosts (bony fish), and mollusks through interactive lessons that include discussions, lecture, group activities, and a field trip.

Format: This class includes thirteen (13) 2-hour classroom sessions plus an optional field trip. Class time will include lecture, class discussion, video illustrations and group activities. Students will be assigned reading assignments as homework each week.

Age Group: 6th to 12th Grade

Max. Size: 25 students

Materials: Students will be provided with classroom and laboratory materials, instruction, curriculum, handouts and visual aids. Student will be required to provide his or her own 3-ring binder, notebook paper, writing utensil and Bible (NKJV or NIV, preferred).

Cost: There is a cost of \$320 per student for this Course. Expenses associated with the optional field trip are additional.