



COURSE DESCRIPTIONS

Marine Ecosystems Course (Semester)

Overview: Marine Ecosystems provides a basic overview of marine ecology and the world's major oceanic ecosystems. Students will explore beaches, salt marshes, coral reefs, kelp forests, mangrove swamps and even deep water hydrothermal vents through interactive lessons that include discussions, lecture, group activities, and field trips.

Format: This class includes thirteen (13) 2-hour classroom sessions plus three optional field trips. 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 trips is additional.