

NM Environmental and Natural Resources Education Services

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Classroom Education Visits:

Agency	Grade Level	Lesson Focus	NM Standards	Cost	Contact	Website	Notes
NM Dept. of Game and Fish	K-12	Project WILD, Aquatic Resources Education	Life Science Standards	Free	Colleen Welch (505) 476-8119 colleen.welch@state.nm.us	www.wildlife.state.nm.us/education/index.htm	Education trunks and publications available
NM Environment Dept.	K-12	Specialist based: water quality, food safety, env. health etc.	Not aligned	Free	Check website for specialists' contact information.(505)425-2810	www.nmenv.state.nm.us	Ed program by specialist
NM State Parks	K-12	Anything nature: astronomy, beavers, wetlands, kites	Aligned, willing to accommodate to teachers	Free	Pat Walsh (575) 445-5607 patricia.walsh@state.nm.us	www.nmparks.com not specific to education	Willing to adjust programs to teacher needs
NM State Land Office	3-5	Natural resources, energy, energy consumption	Social Studies: I-A, II-E, II-F, III-A, IV-A, IV-C Science: I,II,III Math: N.1, D.3	Free	Miranda Miller (505) 827-4003 mmiller@slo.state.nm.us	www.nmstatelands.org	Renewable & non-renewable energy
Wind River Ranch	K-5	Roots & Shoots service learning, adaptations, habitat	Aligned: life sciences, water, soil; willing to accommodate to teachers	Free	Wind River Ranch (505)425-1819	www.windriverranch.org	
Tierra y Montes Soil and Water Conservation District	K-12	Roving River demo, conservation	Not aligned	Free	(505)425-9088		Educational materials available
Bradbury Museum, Science on Wheels	K-5	Sun, solar system, stars, earth, rocks	Aligned- see website		Edu-bsm@lanl.gov	www.lanl.gov/LosAlamos.museum/programs/science_on_wheels	50 minute; 90 minute programs

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Sandia Mountain Research Center	3-7	Ecology	Aligned		Paul Mauermann (505)281-5259 sandiamountaincenter@gmail.com	www.nmnaturalhistory.org/smnhc/index.html	The Ecology Road Show
Asombro Institute for Science Education	K-12	Animal and plant adaptations, biomes, weather, solar system	Aligned	\$85 + .45/mile	(575) 824 – 3334 Las Cruces information@asombro.org	www.asombro.org	

Field Visits:

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NM State Parks	K-12	Anything nature at Storrie Lake S.P.	Aligned; willing to accommodate to teachers	Free	Pat Walsh (575) 445-5607 patricia.walsh@state.nm.us	www.nmparks.com not specific to education	Storrie Lake S.P. is the Field Site
NM Environment Dept.	K-12	Specialist based: water quality etc.	Not aligned	Free	Check website for specialists contact information	www.nmenv.state.nm.us	Ed program by specialist,
Las Vegas National Wildlife Refuge	K-12	Wildlife at LVNWR, adaptations	Aligned; will to accommodate to teachers	Free	Chris Leeser (505) 425-3581 chris_leeser@fws.gov	http://www.fws.gov/southwest/REFUGES/newmex/lasvegas/index.html	4&5 grades Through the Eyes of a Bird
Wind River Ranch	K-12	Wildlife, service learning, ecosystems and habitat	Aligned: life and earth sciences, willing to accommodate to teachers	Free	Teresa Gray (505) 425- 1819 teresaeakergray@yahoo.com Watrous, NM	www.windriverranch.org	Beautiful location 20 miles from Las Vegas

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Citizen Watershed Monitoring Team	7-12	Wildlife, watershed monitoring	Not aligned	Free	Lea Knutson (505) 425-554 info@cwmt-nm.org	www.cwmt-nm.org	Defined ed program coming
Tierra y Montes Soil and Water Conservation District	8-12	Roving River demo, conservation	Not aligned	Free	(505) 425-9088		Educational materials available
Randall Davey Audubon Center	K-8	8 programs in conservation and habitats	Aligned - see website	\$150 +	(505) 983- 4600 Santa Fe, NM	http://nm.audubon.org or nm.audubon.org/Education/index.html	Scholarship available. Summer camps.
River Source	K-12	Watershed, natural resource monitoring, restoration		Free	Rich Schrader rich@riversource.net (505) 660-7928	www.riversource.net	www.ecowiser.org for ed resources grid
Sandia Mountain Research Center	3-7	Ecology	Aligned		Paul Mauermann (505) 281-5259 Sandiamountaincenter.org	www.nmnaturalhistory.org/smnhc/index.html	Traveling Field; on site in ABQ
Rio Grande Nature Center		Bosque		\$15/ bus	(505) 344-7240 friends@rgnc.org	www.rgnc.org	
Capulin National Monument	K-12	Volcano				www.nps.gov/cavo/forteachers/index	
Bradbury Science Museum	K-5	Science	Aligned		Los Alamos Edu-bsm@lanl.gov	www.lanl.gov/museum	Interactive

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The Wildlife Center	K-12	Wildlife	Aligned - see website	\$30-75	(505) 753-9505	www.thewildlifecenter.org	½ day ed \$75, tours \$30+
NM Museum of Natural History & Science	K-12	Natural history and science	Not specifically aligned	\$4-7/ person	(505) 841-2836 Albuquerque	www.nmnaturalhistory.org/edu_main.html	Groups 25% off, exhibits, theater, planetarium
Santa Fe Children's Museum	K-6	Life Science, Earth Science, Physical Science	Aligned – see website PDF	\$3/child	(505) 989-8359 x112 children@santafekidrensmuseum.org	www.santafekidrensmuseum.org	Reservation required, PDF of programs
Explora!	K-12	Science Education, large list of programs	Aligned	\$120/160	(505) 224-8300 Albuquerque	www.explora.us/en//programs/school%20groups	List of programs in "Education Guide"
ABQ BioPark	K-12	Aquarium, Botanic Garden, Zoo	Not specifically aligned	\$3-5	(505) 764-6272	www.cabq.gov/biopark	Zoo-to-You visiting program
Asombro Institute for Science Education	K-12	Animal and plant adaptations, biomes, weather, solar system	Aligned	\$2.50 student	(575) 824 – 3334 Las Cruces information@asombro.org	www.asombro.org	Well developed education program

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Education Kits:

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NM Dept. of Game and Fish	K-12	Wildlife	Aligned	Free	Colleen Welch (505) 476-8119 colleen.welch@state.nm.us	www.wildlife.state.nm.us	Available for checkout
Center for Hands on Learning	K-5	Science	Aligned	\$140-535	1800-894-1496 Rio Rancho	www.handsonlearning.org	Available for purchase
EarthWorks Institute	K-12	Science, conservation, sustainability	Some aligned	Free, online	(505) 982-9806	www.earthworksinstitute.org	Online teacher tool kit
Albuquerque Bio Park and Zoo	1-12	Adaptation; Suitcase for Survival			(505) 764-6214	www.cabq.gov/biopark	

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Educator Training:

Agency	Program	Contact	Website	Notes
NM Dept. of Game and Fish	Project WILD Project Aquatic	Colleen Welch (505) 476-8119 colleen.welch@state.nm.us	www.wildlife.state.nm.us	Stipend may be available
Center for Hands on Learning	Science	1800-894-1496 Rio Rancho	www.handsonlearning.org	
Wind River Ranch	Roots&Shoots, Project Learning Tree; Outdoor & science ed	(505) 425-1819 Watrous, NM	www.windriverranch.org	Space available for in service training
River Source	Watershed, monitoring	(505) 660-7928 rich@riversource.net	www.riversource.net	
NM Museum of Natural History & Science	Natural history and science	(505) 841-2836 Albuquerque	www.nmnaturalhistory.org	Brochure online; resource catalog
Environmental Education Association of NM	Project Learning Tree, WET, etc.	Barbara Garrity (505) 859-3366	www.eeanm.org	
Sandia Mountain Research Center	Ecology	Paul Mauermann (505) 281-5259 paulmauermann@state.nm.us	www.nmnaturalhistory.org/smnhc/index.html	Curriculum and teacher workshops