



Ferry Beach Ecology School ~ Pre-Visit Information Sheet

Now that you and your students are beginning the final preparations to come to Ferry Beach Ecology School, please take a moment to fill out this sheet and send or fax it to us the week before you come to FBES. We will share this information with our naturalists at the Friday Staff Meeting before your arrival to help them plan lessons and ensure that your students get the best program for their learning and experience level.

Note: This is in no way intended to be an evaluation of your curriculum but rather an important means for FBES naturalists to engage your students as quickly and effectively as possible.

1. Your name _____ School & Grade _____

2. What topics are covered by your science curriculum this year? Will these topics be covered before or after your visit to Ferry Beach?

3. Have you had the opportunity to use any of the activities in the Pre-Visit Activity booklet? If so, please tell us which ones so that our naturalists do not repeat those activities in their lessons.

4. Are there any particular ecological concepts you would like the FBES staff naturalists to focus on? For example: disturbance, geologic change, or diversity.

5. Will the students have any classroom-related projects, such as a journal or data collection, to be working on while they are at Ferry Beach? Are there any projects you will be having them do once they are back at school that they should be thinking about while here at FBES?

6. What do you think your students are most excited about in anticipation of their week at Ferry Beach Ecology School?

7. Please let us know of any specific behavior problems or learning styles/disabilities that our staff should be informed of prior to the school's arrival.

Thank you for putting some thought into these questions. The answers you provide will help our staff develop lessons specific to your school's needs. Looking forward to seeing you soon!

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