



Virtual Requested Program Offerings

PROGRAM	GRADE LEVEL	COST	DESCRIPTION
Nature-to-Go Pocket Labs	varies	varies	Pocket Labs are ideal for hybrid science classrooms where some students are virtual and some in person. They include a worksheet, nature nugget video from a Metroparks Naturalist, and materials and instructions for a hands-on activity or project. All materials are pre-packaged and dropped off at the school or coordinator's location (within 25 miles of Wildwood Metropark*) with no sanitation required. Requests must be received 2 weeks in advance of the drop-off date. *If outside of allotted radius, the request will be evaluated and a separate fee determined.
Awesome Owls	K-7th	\$5 per student	Pocket Lab includes owl pellet dissection activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Naturally Native Plants	K-5th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes seed ball activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Stream Critters	K-7th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes stream quality assessment activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Roles and Residencies	K-4th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes food chain model activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Pollinator Parade	K-4th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes honeycomb candle activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion. *This lab contains real honey, please be aware of any participant who may be allergic.
Build a Swamp	K-4th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes model swamp activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Rock it Out	K-4th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes rock sorting activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Soil Study	K-6th	\$5 per student	Pocket Lab includes core sampling activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Windows on Weather	K-4th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes cloud identification activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Magnificent Metamorphosis	K-4th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes butterfly lifecycle activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.
Pocket Sundial	K-5th	\$3 per student	Pocket Lab includes "Shepherds" dial activity, worksheet, and nature nugget video for discussion.



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Virtual Project-Based Learning Programs	varies	\$30	All programs include a 45 minute interactive experience via a zoom meeting with opportunities for discussion, to ask questions, and learn from each other. Each program will introduce a PBL for teachers to expand upon. The PBL will be introduced utilizing Flipgrid and each student* will receive a personalized video response from a Metroparks naturalist upon completing a video address PBL prompts. The Metroparks naturalist will then be available throughout the school year as a mentor to the teacher on that subject. *A list of all students' first name and last initial will be required during registration in order to set up access to Flipgrid. Coordinators will receive communications from the assigned staff mentor 1 week prior to the zoom meeting. This will include Zoom log-in instructions/access and Flipgrid access, and discussion points for the PBL.
Team Green	K-12th	\$30	How can we take care of our environment and inspire others to help us?
Globally Rare	4th-12th	\$30	Investigate local species that are (or were) native to the area and are now endangered (specific to Oak Openings Region).
Animal Adaptations	2nd-6th	\$30	Explore the structures and behaviors possessed by plants and animals that increase their chance for survival.
Land Ethic Writers	7th-12th	\$30	Students partner with children in K-2 classrooms to write children's books about environmental issues centered on the creation of a personal land ethic.
Virtual Field Trips	K-12th	\$30	Join us for a LIVE look at nature nearby from the comfort of your home! Each ecosystem features a different park with one-of-a-kind, natural attributes to discover. Zoom login instructions and a downloadable Metroparks game/activity will be sent with your confirmation receipt after booking. Zooms will be approximately 45 minutes.
Prairies	K-12th	\$30	The prairie community at Wildwood is home to many diverse and fascinating plants and animals. Learn more about the biodiversity of the prairie community through this virtual program.
Wetlands	K-12th	\$30	Located within the Lake Erie Coastal Plains Ecoregion, Howard Marsh Metropark enhances the quality of life for both people and wildlife. Discover the many features of the nearly 1,000-acre park that leads the way in the effort to revert farmland to its natural wetland state during this virtual program.
Floodplains	K-12th	\$30	Floodplains provide space for floodwaters, minimize erosion, filter water, and support migratory pathways. Learn more about the ecological function of these important areas during this virtual program.
Upland Forests	K-12th	\$30	The large, forested section of Wildwood is one of the most significant contiguous woodlands in Lucas County and is critical habitat for native wildlife. Learn more about this oasis for native natural communities during this virtual program.
Oak Openings	K-12th	\$30	Oak Openings Preserve Metropark is part of the larger Oak Openings Region. The Region's geology and specialized habitats are globally significant. Discover the beauty and richness of this truly unique area during this virtual program.
Oak Grove School House	K-12th	\$30	Step back in time to the 1890's during this virtual field trip to the Oak Grove one-room schoolhouse. Explore daily life from this time period through real lessons of the past, stories, and artifacts.
Wildlife Detectives	K-12th	\$30	Decode the mysteries of Northwest Ohio wildlife during this virtual program. Learn the secrets of locating animals based on their tracks, feathers, and scat to become a true wildlife detective.