



YMCA CAMP WABANSI OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Wisconsin Curriculum Alignment – Grade Four Performance Standards

Water Ecology	Find out what makes the Great Lakes unique! This hands-on species-based class will teach students how to identify various water organisms and zebra mussels.
Science C.4.2	Students will <u>distinguish</u> between native and invasive species in Green Bay.
Science H.4.2, H.4.4	Students will <u>create</u> a slogan and bumper sticker to promote awareness of ways to prevent the presence of invasive species.

Underworld Explorers	It may just seem like dirt to us, but many creatures call it home. Explore the soil, take a look under a magnifying glass, and discover the organisms that make their home beneath our feet.
Science C.4.1, C.4.4, E.4.1	Students will <u>identify</u> various ground species.
English Language Arts C.4.3	Students will <u>discuss</u> the need to respect plants and insects.
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The Un-Nature Hike	See how many unnatural items you can spot on our Un-Nature Trail! Can you find them all? Why are some harder to see than others? This class will develop some keen eagle eyes.
Science C.4.2	Students will <u>generalize</u> about plant & animal camouflage with regard to colors and textures.
English Language Arts C.4.3	Students will <u>verbalize</u> and <u>discuss</u> the dangers of unnatural items in natural habitats.



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Tree-ific	Camp Wabansi is home to a towering umbrella of impressive forest. Learn how to identify the trees you see and what makes them different from each other.
Science C.4.1	Students will <u>identify</u> plants and trees native to the Door County region.
Science C.4.6	Students will <u>create</u> an artistic display of plant and tree species.

Orienteering	Learn how to find your way without modern technology. With a short lesson and a compass to guide you, find your way through Camp Wabansi's navigation course!
Science C.4.1	Students will <u>identify</u> the parts of a compass using correct terminology.
Science C.4.4	Students will <u>navigate</u> a set course while reading a compass.

Native American Culture	Northeast Wisconsin has a rich Native American history. Learn about the tribes and traditions that were a part of this beautiful area during past centuries.
Social Studies B.4.3, B.4.10	Students will <u>classify</u> Native American tribes based on their history and traditions.



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Wildlife 101	Learn how different animals adapt to get what they need to survive. Test your knowledge by creating your own animal species and deciding where they will live, what they will eat, and how they will adapt to the world around them.
Science F.4.1	Students will <u>identify</u> basic survival needs of animals (food, water, shelter).
Science C.4.2	Students will <u>strategize</u> about what causes various species to increase and decrease in number.
Science C.4.6	Students will <u>design</u> a new species and <u>determine</u> how their species will adapt to fulfill their basic needs.