Field Trip Exercise

Saturday or Sunday

Field Trip Locations

Driving directions on class web site

North Creek Park

Gather at sign kiosk

Saint Edward State Park

Watertower trail

Orchard loop trail

Gather at playground – orchard loop or water tower trail

Field Trip Exercise

March 6

9:00 – 10:30

Wetland Team 1 leads

Forest Team 1 in wetland

10:40 – 12:10

Wetland Team 2 leads

Forest Team 2 in wetland

1:00 – 2:30

Forest Team 1 leads

Wetland Team 1 in forest

2:40 – 4:10

Forest Team 2 leads

Wetland Team 2 in forest

March 7

9:00 – 10:30

Wetland Team 3 leads

Forest Team 3 in wetland

10:40 – 12:10

Wetland Team 4 leads

Forest Team 4 in wetland

1:00 – 2:30

Forest Team 3 leads

Wetland Team 3 in forest

2:40 – 4:10

Forest Team 4 leads

Wetland Team 4 in forest

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Handouts

Teams or individuals are responsible for bringing at least 7 copies of a handout.

It would be nice if there were copies for each member of your own team as well.

Dress appropriately

Be prepared to take notes
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<td>• Selected specific examples (what, where) of things you learned in each topic section (need not be exhaustive in number but thorough in description of the examples you use)</td>
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