

Ocean Explorer Academy



Looking for a summer adventure? Come explore the waters and habitats of Long Island Sound for five fun days filled with hands-on marine science!

Discover interesting marine animals while you pull in a trawl net on board our research vessels, or study the animals whose homes are in the marsh and intertidal zones in our aquatic backyard. Campers will observe plankton under a microscope, use seine nets to collect and study marine life, and use science kits to test the water for things like oxygen, salt, and temperature. This is the perfect program for campers that want to get their feet wet as they explore by land and sea.

Summer 2019 Schedule

Week 1 (July 15 - 19): ECO ENGINEERS

Campers will try their hand at operating a Remote Operated Vehicle (ROV) and design their own fishing gear!

Week 2 (August 5 - 9) HIDDEN HABITATS

Squish through the salt marsh, climb on the rocky shore and comb through the beach as you explore a different habitat each day!

Week 3 (August 12 - 16) ANIMAL ADAPTATIONS

Campers will collect and observe animals from Long Island Sound and discover how they are adapted to find food and protect themselves from predators! Tuition \$475

Military Discount \$50 Sibling Discount 10% Multi Session Discount 10%

Camp Hours

Monday 9am - Friday 4pm



Sample Daily Schedule

8:45 am Drop-off Begins

9:00 am Prep for the day's adventure

9:15 am Take small boats to Bluff Point for Marsh Exploration

12:00 pm Lunch on Beach

12:30 pm Seine net fishing and water chemistry at Bushy Point Beach

2:00 pm Return to Project O

2:30 pm Color Me Beach Lab at Project O

3:45 pm Clean up

4:00 pm Camp end - Pick-up

