Education Outreach Programs

MEET YOUR WILDLIFE FRIENDS
This very popular, hands-on presentation uses artifacts and live animals to instill a message of good stewardship and offers a unique experience to get up close with nature. Appropriate for all audiences.

EVERGLADES COMMUNITIES
Learn about the Everglades ecosystem by examining distinctive communities that exist within this unique Florida feature. Observe animals and plants that are uniquely adapted to live in the Hammock, Sawgrass Prairie, Pinelands Cypress, and Mangrove habitats.
Appropriate for grades 4th-12th.

SNAKES LIVE!
Learn everything you need to know about snakes. See and interact with up to four different species of snakes. Learn the differences between venomous and non-venomous. Become a Snake Expert!
Appropriate for all audiences.

TURTLES OF FLORIDA
Observe and learn about some of Florida's water and land turtles. Meet one of Florida's most threatened reptiles—a gopher tortoise! Appropriate for grades 3rd-12th.

BIRD ADAPTATIONS
Experience through touch, interactive activities, and live wildlife, Bird Adaptation Ecology (how birds adapted to various habitats) .
Appropriate for grades 2nd-12th.

OWL PELLET DISSECTION
Dig in & discover what and how owls eat, by dissecting an owl pellet. Get up close with some of our owls. There is an additional charge for this program due to the variable pricing of the pellets.
Appropriate for grades K-8th

Ask about our afterschool program Nature Quest!

Please contact Robin Reccasina, Education Director, at 954/752-WILD for pricing and program availability.
robin@sawgrassnaturecenter.org

Service Opportunities

- Collection of items on Wish List. Please call center to have list sent to you.
- Work projects such as garden maintenance, building maintenance, planting days, etc.
- Volunteering at special community outreach events.
- Adopt or Sponsor one of our animals on exhibit or one of our educational animals.
- Sponsorship of a habitat or Tree of Life leaf.

These are a few of the ways schools, after-school clubs, student government and parent-teacher organizations can support the Sawgrass Nature Center & Wildlife Hospital. To arrange a project, please contact the Volunteer Coordinator at: sncvolunteers@gmail.com

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