



# Wildlife Habitats

Time	Session	Description
9:00 am	<b>Check In and Review</b>	
9:15 am	<b>Principles of Wildlife Management</b>	Participants will learn about the basic needs of wildlife, habitat management principles and how to evaluate a Habitat Education Site for specific wildlife species.
10:15 am	<b>Wildlife in Your Habitat</b>	Birds, bugs, mammals and herptiles are the focus for this series of classes. Participants will learn about common wildlife found in a school habitat, habitat requirements for specific species, and how to attract wildlife to your school habitat. Feeding stations and nest boxes will also be introduced.
Noon	<b>LUNCH</b>	
12:45 pm	<b>Mapping and Site Inventory</b>	Mapping and inventorying your site before you break ground or expand your school site should include the participation of the students. Participants will be introduced to student wildlife habitat inventory worksheets and learn simple tools for teaching youth how to map and measure their site.
1:45	<b>Native Plants</b>	In this class participants will learn about some of the most common native plants found in Oregon and what make good plants for school gardens for enhancing wildlife. Learning about the functions of different native plants and how to select and care for the best plants for your school garden will be covered in this workshop.
2:45	<b>Designing and Creating Your Site</b>	This session helps participants understand some of the important considerations in the design process for school wildlife habitat gardens and how to involve youth and families in the design process
3:15 pm	<b>BREAK</b>	
3:30 pm	<b>Maintaining Your Garden Year Round</b>	Learn about the cycle of a garden and basic tips and strategies for maintaining fall harvesting and planting, and putting your garden to bed for the winter. Participants will learn specific activities for garden related activities year round.
4:00 pm	<b>Lesson for the Habitat</b>	4-H has multiple curriculum in every area of habitat gardens from bugs to birds to plants. Learn some hands-on lessons that engage students and brings science alive. These lessons require little materials and are fun to teach.