Meet State Standards with Garden Field Trips

Science  Social Studies  Sustainability

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Tours:

Sixth grade – eighth grade: 2 Hours

$2.00 per student

Contact Kathy Tucker at 912.871.1503 or by email at ktucker@georgiasouthern.edu for more information or to schedule a Garden trip.
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Sustainability Tour
Experience an adventure through the Garden while learning about a variety of environmental issues. Visit the Longleaf Pine ecosystem and learn how organisms depend on each other to survive. Become part of a food chain and experience what happens when pesticides are introduced. Compete in the Recycling Relay, and learn about ecological footprints and what can be done to reduce their size.

Biology Tour
After training to become an official Garden botanist, students learn about the Longleaf pine ecosystem by representing a variety of organisms that live there. They must work together to prevent extinction of these organisms. Classification of organisms will also be discussed and students will use a dichotomous key to classify four plants. Other topics include: flower anatomy, pollination, colony collapse disorder and carnivorous plants.

Social Studies Tour
Go to school during the 1800’s by becoming a student at the fully restored Oak Grove One Room Schoolhouse! Reenact a typical school day at the one room school house and do everything a student from the 1800’s would do. Participate in lessons about penmanship, adjectives, math, problem solving, spelling, and of course, recess!

The Garden of the Coastal Plain at Georgia Southern University
- promotes knowledge and appreciation of the native plants and animals of the southeastern coastal plain
- Connects people to the natural and cultural heritage of the region
- Inspires environmentally responsible behavior

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