



## Contact Us

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Outdoor Environmental  
Education Program

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## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ STEAM activities
- ◆ Hands-on investigations
- ◆ New friends
- ◆ Orienteering
- ◆ Seining
- ◆ Hiking
- ◆ Authentic field science research
- ◆ Engineering challenges
- ◆ Habitat exploration
- ◆ Naturalist-led animal encounters

## Important Dates

Registration Deadline  
May 15, 2021

Virtual Q&A Session  
June 1, 2020 6-7 PM



# Middle School Science and Nature Institute

*For Students Entering  
Grades 7-9*



Sunken Meadow State Park

June 28-July 1

8:00am-2:00pm

Offered by:

SCOPE Education Services

In cooperation with

Western Suffolk BOCES

## About the Program

Participants are immersed in the natural world and gain authentic field science experience within the diverse habitats of Sunken Meadow State Park. During this four-day program participants will explore the varied ecosystems of Long Island and their inhabitants, discover geologic processes that shaped Long Island, and will develop strategies to help conserve valuable natural resources. Participants will also engage in interactive hikes and foster new friendships through team building activities.



*For 25+ years, SCOPE has operated respected summer programs in cooperation with Western Suffolk BOCES for students across Long Island.*

## Covid-19 Precautions

- Daily staff and participant health screening
- Daily temperature checks
- Masks required indoors at all times and outdoors when social distancing is not possible
- Regular sanitization of shared materials
- Hand sanitizer available at all times
- Social distancing when possible

## Program Details

Participants are supervised at all times by experienced, qualified environmental science educators.

Who can participate?

- Any student entering grades 7, 8, or 9

What are the times of the program?

- Monday-Thursday  
8am-2pm

**Participants must bring a cold lunch and a water bottle daily.**

## Program Cost

\$450 per child

Included in the program fee:

- Small group sizes led by trained naturalists
- All materials and supplies
- Staff who are trained in First Aid, CPR, and AED

## How to Register

To register please call Jill Lau at 631-360-3652 or email at [jlau@wsboces.org](mailto:jlau@wsboces.org)