Spring 2016 Outdoor Science Investigations Field Trips

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Dear Educator:

Spring has sprung and we are now taking reservations for the Outdoor Science Investigation Field Trip Program which will run from April 4 to June 10, 2016.

**Sign up for a Field Trip Online!**
Sign up early to increase your chances of getting your preferred dated! You can register online by filling out the [Field Trip Registration Form](http://wupcenter.mtu.edu). More information about the field trip program is available on our website: wupcenter.mtu.edu

**Cost**
Field trips are $30 for a group of up to 30 students to offset transportation expenses (the CCISD will bill your school district at the end of each field season: fall, winter, spring). The Center provides all necessary equipment and supplies to conduct the lesson, including pencils & clipboards, when needed. All you need to bring, along with your students, is a positive outlook! 😊 *Note that this year you can apply for field trip grants through the Wheels to Woods Field Trip grant program: [https://www.treefarmsystem.org/school-forests](https://www.treefarmsystem.org/school-forests)*

The Michigan Tech Center for Science and Environmental Outreach coordinates the field trip program, with assistance from the Western UP Center for Science, Math and Environmental Education, and funding support from the Wege Foundation (since 1999) and the Michigan STEM Partnership (2015-16) which covers staff and supplies.

Field trips are a great way to get your students outside and involved in hands-on science education. Take a break from your instruction and give your students a chance to learn from someone else!

Thanks in advance for showing your students that you value time spent learning outside! Contact me at any time if you have questions.

See you outside!

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