



MarineLab

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

4 DAY, 3 NIGHT STANDARD PROGRAM

This is another popular MarineLab program. It includes a lagoon snorkel and five snorkeling field trips to the seagrasses, mangroves, at least two different coral reef areas, and another bottom community.

DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY
1	2:00 PM	Arrive, orientation
	3:00 PM	Swim test, gear orientation
	4:00 PM	Lagoon Snorkel
		Supper
	7:30 PM	LAB: Invertebrate Diversity
	8:45 PM	DISCUSSION: Seagrass ecology
2		Breakfast
	9:00 AM	FIELD TRIP: Seagrass ecology
	11:00 AM	DISCUSSION: Coral reef ecology
		Lunch
	2:00 PM	FIELD TRIP: Coral reef ecology #1
		Supper
	7:30 PM	Sea Turtle stranding report
	8:45 PM	FIELD TRIP: Astronomy/plankton tow
3	9:00 AM	FIELD TRIP: Rodriguez Key
	2:00 PM	FIELD TRIP: Mangrove ecology
	7:00 PM	LAB: Sponge spicule identification
	7:30 PM	DISCUSSION: Field Identification of reef fish
	8:45 PM	Spicule wrap-up
4	9:00 AM	FIELD TRIP: Coral reef ecology #2
		Lunch, then depart

Cost: Includes meals, accommodations, all instruction and field trips, and snorkel gear. **\$500 for 2010; \$510 for 2011.** To book this program, please call (800) 741-1139.

Field trips last from 9 am until 12 pm, and again from 2 pm until 5 pm. Evening programs run until 10 pm each night. Sequence and content of field trips subject to change due to weather and other considerations. Meals are served at 8 AM, 12:30 PM and 6:30 PM unless otherwise noted.

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