

2019 Summer Camp Schedule

Carroll University's Prairie Springs Environmental Education Center will run their second season of nature-based camps this summer 2019. We will be adding a few new options to help expand our reach. There are a limited number of scholarships available for each camp as well. Please see our offerings and contact information below. All camp sessions include indoor and outdoor activities, and provide a unique combination of content-rich programming and complementary games and crafts. All programs are designed to encourage the curiosity of the natural world, allow exploration of natural areas, and promote a sense of stewardship in the next generation.

Registration Begins in March! - https://www.carrollu.edu/prairie-springs/summer-camps

Nature Explorers*



Date: July 8-July 12 **Age:** 6-8

Time: 9am-12pm daily **Cost:** \$75

Description: Five days of explorations in nature...what could be better than that!?! Come and spend a week at Prairie Springs hiking, playing games, working on projects, and getting to be part of the nature that is all around us. From the animals to the plants, to the soils and the waters, this week will definitely be the best of the summer.

Travelers of the Earth and Sky*



Date: July 15-July 19 **Age:** 9-11

Time: 9am-4pm daily Cost: \$175

Description: Volcanoes, glaciers, ecosystems, and constellations. Learn about what makes planet Earth and the space around us so amazing. Be a part of a week at Prairie Springs and off-site where we'll investigate the awe-inspiring features that make us so lucky to call this place home.

*Pioneer Rangers Program

Age: 12-17 **Cost:** Free (limited positions available)

Description: New this year, we will be offering the opportunity for students aged 12-17 to serve as mentors and assistants in the Nature Explorers and Travelers of the Earth and Sky summer camps. Rangers must commit to helping for at least three days of a camp and will receive instructions and training from the Prairie Springs educators before that camp begins. This is a great option to get to have fun outside while building useful skills.

Pathfinders Experience



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Date: July 25-July 27

Age: 12-17 **Cost:** \$75

Time: Thurs: 9am-4pm; Fri: 9am - Sat: 11am (Overnight!)

Description: Lions, tigers, and bears...nope, we don't have any of those, but we do have two and a half days of adventures for students aged 12-17 looking for a unique summer experience. We'll spend a few days exploring and getting to know each other, then spend the night at Prairie Springs! Making food, going on a night hike and having a campfire are all highlights of this new program.