

# **Project Zero Waste Two Year Grant Application 2019 - 2021**

Limited grants are available for funding of *Inside the Outdoors*® programs for Orange County schools! The grant will provide funding for TWO Inside the Outdoors Service Learning Traveling Scientist visits, a Field Trip, project supplies and support for 2 years. An additional 2 years of full or partial funding may be available to your school as well. Your school will be responsible for providing transportation for your Field Trips. If your school is selected you will be registered for your programs for the first year based on the dates listed on your application and program availability.

### **Grant Requirements:**

- Two Service Learning Traveling Scientist School visits to help implement a school garden, composting, or waste reduction project at your school over the next 2 years.
- One Field Trip experience, per year, for your students. Your school will be responsible to pay for transportation.
- Implement the project and provide project data (with help from our Traveling Scientists) and pictures.

## What your class receives:

- Three programs with Inside the Outdoors
- Supplies for a waste reduction program
- Curriculum for supporting classroom activities

## Section One: Required School Information

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School:	District:	Phone:					
Your Name:	Email Address:						
Other Participating Teachers Emails:							
Principal or Vice Principal:							
My Principal supports my registration for this program.		Free and Reduced Lunch Percentage:					

## Section Two: Field Trip Selection

Grade	Field Trip Choice
Kindergarten or 1st Grade	Shipley Nature Center
2nd or 3rd Grade	Wild Wetlands or Aliso Watershed
4th Grade	Investigating Ecosystems at Irvine Regional Park
4th Grade Full Day	Upper Newport Bay (additional cost to school of \$15.00 per student)
5th or 6th Grade	Investigating Ecosystems at Santiago Oaks
5th or 6th Grade Full Day	Rancho Soñado (additional cost to school of \$15.00 per student)
Middle or High School	We will work with your school to determine the best fit for your students.
Which Sessions can you attend?	
9:00 - 11:00 am	11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Select dates for programs on reverse side of application.

## Section Three: Date and Day of Visits

Check all weeks that you <u>CAN</u> attend your Field Trip <b>AND</b> your Service Learning Visits (Availability subject to change.)		For a Field Trip and Service Learning program, which days of the week <b>CAN</b> your school participate?					
10/21 - 10/25	12/16 - 12/20	M	T	W	TH	F	
10/28 - 11/01	01/06 - 01/10	Contract		Grade Level	lo 🗀		
11/04 - 11/08 11/12 - 11/15	01/13 - 01/17 01/21 - 01/24	Number of					
11/12 - 11/13	01/27 - 01/24	students					
11/25 - 11/27	02/03 - 02/07						
12/02 - 12/06	02/11 - 02/14	How many classes are in your grade level?					
12/09 - 12/13	02/18 - 02/21						
Additional Scheduling Note	es (i.e. testing dates, holi	days):					

# Section Four: Project Information

### Please rank your top 3 projects:

Community/School Waste Reduction Plan

Organic Waste Reduction (i.e. composting, share table at lunch)

Recycling

Waste Free Lunch

## Considerations when choosing dates:

- Refer to the district/school master calendar to avoid scheduling conflicts with year-round cycles, district-wide testing, Open House, conferences, winter/spring break, school holidays, inservices, or special events.
- Schools are scheduled on a first come, first serve basis.
- Estimate the number of students. This number will be used on your contract initiated with your school/district. Remember to include Special Education students.
- Check for availability of transportation.
- Cancellations and adjusted enrollment numbers require written notice of at least **20 business days** prior to participation. If another school cannot be found for the open date, your school will be billed for 90% of your contracted enrollment.

To Apply: 1. Fax to (714)662-8716 or 2. Interdistrict Mail to Inside the Outdoors/OCDE #94 or 3. email to ITOgrants@ocde.us



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