



CHESAPEAKE BAY
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Philip Merrill Environmental Education Program

6 Herndon Avenue, Annapolis, Maryland

The Chesapeake Bay Foundation provides engaging student programs designed to enhance and supplement classroom instruction. Join us on the Philip Merrill Environmental Education Program located between the shores of the Chesapeake. Students survey the flora and fauna that make up an ecosystem's biodiversity. The Merrill Center building



itself is a model of green architecture and has won a Platinum Award from the U.S. Green

Building Council. It is an example of the minimal impact that even large-capacity office buildings can have on the environment.

CBF Education is committed to growing connections between students, teachers, and school administrators to their environment. Program activities are designed to correlate to state learning standards. Whether through art, math, history, science, or social studies—our approach actively engages students in critical thinking on relevant real-world local environmental issues.

Concepts

- Estuarine food chain
- Fisheries management
- Oyster reef ecology
- Conservation behaviors
- Sedimentation
- Eutrophication
- Livelihoods on the Bay
- Mapping skills
- Marsh characteristics
- Watershed dynamics

AGE GROUP	MAXIMUM CAPACITY
Grades 4 - 12	30 single/60 double participants (including chaperones)

TO APPLY, visit cbf.org/educate

If you have further questions about submitting your program request, please contact the scheduling team at 800-445-5572 or fieldtrips@cbf.org.