

Site Visit: Nov. 28, 29, or 30th, 2017

Check List

Please make sure you have done the following for the trip:

○ Paperwork & Payment

Fill out and return both forms correctly and completely, and pay \$45 on-line at the school website. Please note, proof of online payment must accompany field trip paperwork – trip forms without proof of payment will NOT be accepted. Deadline is **11/17/2017**

○ Clothing & ID - Mandatory

Wear **old shoes that tie**, long sleeve shirt and long pants. You will be walking in water and through sawgrass. Appropriate dress is essential for your safety. You must bring your SPHS student ID.

○ Science Research Journal

Bring your journal on the trip!

○ Food & Drink

Bring lunch and drinks as well as a reusable water bottle – you will not be able to purchase this on site.

○ Don't forget

Bring a hat, sunscreen, and rub-on insect repellent.

Everglades Slogging Experience

Site Visits are NOT Optional; Planned Part of Magnet

This field visit is an all day program which uses a hands-on approach that incorporates science, math, social studies and research. In the outdoor laboratory, participants will carry out analysis and experimentation using data and specimens collected in the field.

Students will have to make sure they arrive to school on time and prepared. The buses will leave South Plantation High at 8:15 a.m. Students will return to the school around 3:30 p.m. in time for the buses. Be aware that trips may run late and may need to have their parents pick them up after school is out.

IMPORTANT: Students must follow guidelines regarding clothing and ID or they will not be allowed on the bus and will be unable to participate in the trip.

NO electronics/ phones out during the trip – they will get wet! Students need to bring sun screen, insect repellent, a hat, and rain gear.

Coolers for lunches and drinks will be on the bus, and students must mark their name in permanent marker. Bags and backpacks will be stored below the bus for the duration of the trip. If trip is cancelled, students will attend their regular class schedule – school-wide refund policy will be in effect. If students are excluded from the trip for failure to follow the rules, no refund will be issued. All code of conduct rules apply.

Field trips are an integral part of the curriculum and students will be tested on the material.

SLOGGING

Learn about adaptations, biodiversity, food web, aquifers, and Seminole history while walking in the marsh. You will get wet!!! Water levels may be up to your waist – be prepared!

AIRBOAT

Explore the Everglades to understand water patterns, animal diversity, and human impacts on the ecosystem.

ANALYSIS

Analyze water quality, and log information in your science research journal; undertake a survey of plants and animals.

Come Prepared for a Day of Learning and Fun!

DESTINATION

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