

"Inspiring stewardship of the natural world through exceptional experiences to benefit future generations."

BRING NATURE TO YOU!

Great Plains Nature Center outreach programs bring our naturalists to your school, event, senior home, church, and more. Give your group an up-close experience with native animals, artifacts, and activities.

FREE

30-minutes

Up to three consecutive presentations

Includes animal program or activity

Can present at booths



ANIMAL HOMES (K-2ND)

Find out what animals need from their environment in order to survive! Meet an ornate box turtle up-close and learn about their day-to-day life. (K-LS1-1, K-ESS3-1)

ANIMALS AND THEIR PARENTS (K-2ND)

Growing up is something we all do! Meet a critter and learn more about how young animals (and plants) grow and develop into something that looks a lot like their parents! (1-LS3-1)



DIVERSITY IN HABITATS (K-2ND)

Our state has so many different habitats. Find out what types of animals call these habitats home. See how diverse places allows for diverse animals while meeting one of those animals! (2-LS4-1)



LIFE CYCLES (3RD-5TH)

Living things go through many phases in their unique journey from birth to adulthood. Sometimes, those phases get pretty crazy. Meet an amphibian and explore the concept of metamorphosis! (3-LS1-1)



Programs available Mon.-Fri., FREE. Visit gpnc.org/educational-programs/ to schedule.

Questions? Contact us: 316-683-5499, or email programs@gpnc.org.



KANSAS THROUGH TIME (3RD-5TH)

Discover the ancient history of Kansas in the rocks beneath our feet. Learn how Kansas has changed over time, and see what creatures used to call it home. (4-ESS1-1)



THE FOOD WEB (3RD-5TH)

Everything has to eat! Learn about how animals interact in food webs and explore these connections in-depths by meeting a predator-prey duo. (5-PS3-1, 5-LS2-1)



PROGRAMS FOR MS, HS, ADULTS

Our nature education is truly for all ages! Bring a naturalist to you and meet one of our animal ambassadors. Pique your interest and appreciation of the natural world through a live encounter!



CAREER PROGRAMS

Want to learn more about careers in nature, conservation, and environmental education? Have a naturalist come speak to your group!



KANSAS DAY

Learn about our state symbols- the plants and animals of the Kansas landscape that make our state unique! Meet either our state reptile or state amphibian. (K-LS-1, K-ESS2-2, 1-LS3-1, 2-LS4-1, 3-LS1-1, 4-LS1-1)

This program is offered from only for a limited time January and February.



All programs can be adapted to best fit the needs of your group