## Planning Template for longer outdoor learning experiences



### Learning Activity:

Learning Objectives:

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notes:

# Skills students will need to learn in order to be successful:

measuring, filling in data charts, use of tools, dressing for weather...

Materials:

### Location:

- · access explored for safety
- landowner notified

### Administrative Pre-work:

- Admin Approval
- Permission Slips and Chaperone Request
- Transportation Request
- students' special needs, ie. medication, behavior plan consideration

## CHECKLIST:

### <u>In Teacher's bag:</u>

cell phone and school number first aid kit extra snacks water bottle pencils, pens, pencil sharpener extra warm layer for student student medications and instructions

In Students' Bags:

notebook and pencils specimen bag or container magnifying glass snack, lunch, water bottle warm layer ball cap/hat in spring, summer warm cap for winter

#### <u>Before You Leave:</u>

check students' bags to be sure that they have what they need

everyone use restroom

consider a mindfulness practice

### Create a Hook/Generate Excitement:

pose a compelling question, create a public display, teach others, present findings, spark curiosity, participate in community science

Public display ideas: artwork, informative posters, audio files to go with photos, poetry, websites, sculptures, prototypes, PSAs, story walks, interpretative walks Locations: library, school hallways, markets, post office, park, school grounds Build background knowledge to spark curiosity with videos, books, and stories

### Establish expectation and norms:

What does it look like? What does it sound like? Positive, specific, clear

Questions, Notes, Ideas...

