



Project Zero Waste Multi-Year Grant Application

Limited grants are available for funding of *Inside the Outdoors*® programs! This grant is limited to schools in Orange County. The grant will provide funding for TWO Inside the Outdoors Service Learning Traveling Scientist visits, a Field Trip, project supplies and support for 3 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 3 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 garden or waste reduction program
- Curriculum for supporting classroom activities

Section One: Required School Information

School:	District:	Phone:
Your Name:	Email Address:	
Other Participating Teachers Emails:		
Principal or Vice Principal:		
Free and Reduced Lunch Percentage:		

Section Two: Field Trip Selection

Grade	Field Trip Choice*
1st Grade	Shipleigh Nature Center or Great Park
2nd or 3rd Grade	Wild Wetlands
4th Grade	Upper Newport Bay
5th or 6th Grade	Rancho Soñado or Crystal Cove

*Additional Grades or Field Trips may be served, we will work with your school on your Field Trip options.

Select dates for programs on reverse side of application.

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
For more information visit www.insidetheoutdoors.org or call 714-708-3885

Section Three: Date and Day of Visits

<p>Check all weeks that you <u>CAN</u> attend your Field Trip AND your Service Learning Visits (Availability subject to change.)</p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">09/24 - 09/28</td> <td style="width: 50%;">01/07 - 01/11</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10/01 - 10/05</td> <td>01/14 - 01/18</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10/08 - 10/12</td> <td>01/22 - 01/25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10/15 - 10/19</td> <td>01/28 - 02/01</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10/22 - 10/26</td> <td>02/04 - 02/08</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10/29 - 11/02</td> <td>02/12 - 02/15</td> </tr> <tr> <td>11/05 - 11/09</td> <td>02/19 - 02/22</td> </tr> <tr> <td>11/13 - 11/16</td> <td>02/25 - 03/01</td> </tr> <tr> <td>11/19 - 11/21</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>11/26 - 11/30</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>12/03 - 12/07</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>12/10 - 12/14</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>12/17 - 12-20</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	09/24 - 09/28	01/07 - 01/11	10/01 - 10/05	01/14 - 01/18	10/08 - 10/12	01/22 - 01/25	10/15 - 10/19	01/28 - 02/01	10/22 - 10/26	02/04 - 02/08	10/29 - 11/02	02/12 - 02/15	11/05 - 11/09	02/19 - 02/22	11/13 - 11/16	02/25 - 03/01	11/19 - 11/21		11/26 - 11/30		12/03 - 12/07		12/10 - 12/14		12/17 - 12-20		<p>For a Field Trip and Service Learning program, which days of the week <u>CAN</u> your school participate?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">M T W TH F</p> <p>Contract Number of students <input style="width: 50px; height: 30px;" type="text"/> Grade Level <input style="width: 50px; height: 30px;" type="text"/></p> <p><u>Additional Scheduling Notes (i.e. testing dates, holidays):</u></p>
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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
- School Garden (limited number available)
 - Yes, we have a garden, but it needs some help
 - No, we don't have a garden but would like to install one
- 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.

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