



# Winter 2009 Adventure Learning Camps



## Phillips Farm, Idaho

December 29th

This day will be spent in a winter wonderland only 20 minutes from Moscow. We will sled, snowshoe, XC Ski, and snowboard while learning about the physics of snow, winter ecology, and survival skills for winter recreation.

Level One Trip

Cost: \$30      Ages: 8 years and up      Difficulty Rating: 3 out of 10

## Palouse Divide XC Ski Trip, Idaho

December 30th

This is a beginner XC ski trip. We will be doing a scenic loop with some good views of our local mountains while learning about snow, avalanche safety, and winter ecology.

Level One Trip

Cost: \$35      Ages: 9 years and up      Difficulty Rating: 5 out of 10

## Winchester State Park, Idaho

January 23rd to the 25th

Join us for a long weekend on the prairie XC skiing, making snowshoes, learning how to use map and compass, building shelters and making fires—all while staying in the comfort of a yurt. This trip is a winter wonderland of fun. We will learn winter ecology go sledding, and you can bring your fishing gear and ice fish.

Level One Trip

Cost: \$130      Ages: 10 years and up      Difficulty Rating: 3 out of 10

## Winchester State Park, Idaho

January 17th to the 19th

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Level One Trip

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## Moscow Mountain, Idaho

January 26th

Discover this treasure right next to us on snowshoes as we hike to the top of the mountain and sled, ski, or snowboard down. Learn about avalanche safety and what to do if you get stuck out in the wild winter unexpectedly.

Level One Trip

Cost: \$30      Ages: 8 years and up      Difficulty Rating: 5 out of 10

## Cape Lookout State Park, Oregon

January 30th to February 1st

This State Park is one of the best places on the Oregon Coast to see all the elements of the coast; tide pools, coastal forest, beaches, sunsets, fog, seals, and maybe even a whale or two! We'll be sleeping out of the elements in yurts.

Level One Trip

Cost: \$155      Ages: 8 years and up      Difficulty Rating: 3 out of 10

## Trip Levels

You must first attend a level one trip before you attempt a level two trip. This will ensure that you are prepared for a certain level of difficulty so that you and your fellow participants have a enjoyable experience.

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Check for full itineraries on our website: [www.adventurelearningcamps.org](http://www.adventurelearningcamps.org)

# Hang this on your refrigerator!

## Mt. Rainier National Park, Washington

February 13th to the 16th

On this trip we'll be snow camping on the highest mountain in Washington. During the day we will XC ski and snowshoe in Paradise, getting some beautiful mountain views, occasionally sneaking into the lodge for hot chocolate. You will learn basic mountain climbing skills; self arresting with an ice axe, crampon use, and roping up for glacier travel. We will not be climbing Mt. Rainier, but you will be able to use these skills on one of our summer trips climbing Mt. St. Helens and Mt. Adams.

Level Two Trip (you must attend a level one trip before this one!)

Cost: \$175    Ages: 12 and up    Difficulty Rating: 7 out of 10

## Smith Rock State Park, Oregon

February 28th to March 1st

This state park is a world renowned rock climbing mecca. This time of year the crowds have yielded to the wildlife and hearty people who can weather the cold nights to enjoy the warm days of sunny eastern Oregon. We'll do some hiking and bouldering while learning the ecology of Oregon's high desert.

Level One Trip

Cost: \$100    Ages: 8 years and up    Difficulty Rating: 3 out of 10

## Cost of Trips

We charge only the actual cost of the trip, that is the cost of the transportation, food, equipment and insurance. We are grant and membership funded. We appreciate you becoming members at whatever category fits your income, or donating to our scholarship fund.

We provide scholarships for more than 75% of our participants, so your donations and memberships help to support children and families who need help in order to participate.

## Grand Canyon National Park, Arizona

March 13th to the 22nd

If you get excited thinking about our geologic past this is the trip for you. If you are excited about clear blue skies and a dry place to hike in the spring - come on this trip. The Grand Canyon is a mile deep and 18 miles across, and on this trip we will see some of the best parts. We'll hike to the bottom and spend five days learning about the history of the Native Americans who came before, and those who came to explore the canyon. We'll keep our eyes peeled looking for the 70 species of mammals, 250 species of birds, 30 species of reptiles and amphibians. We'll hike to the bottom of the canyon and spend two days doing day hikes in the bottom of the canyon along the Colorado River. Then we'll hike out of the canyon on the sixth day.

Level Two Trip

Cost: \$495    Ages: 10 years and up    Difficulty Rating: 8 out of 10

## Arches and Canyonlands National Parks, Utah

March 27th to April 5th

On this trip we will be visiting 2 premiere national parks at the best time of year to be in southern Utah. We will be car camping and doing lots of day hikes to amazing rock formations. We'll spend 3 days at Arches and 4 days at Canyonlands, enjoying blues skies and starry nights by the campfire.

Level One Trip

Cost: \$370    Ages: 8 years and up    Difficulty Rating: 5 out of 10

Register early to  
reserve your spot!

**We offer scholarships!**

Parents welcome on all of  
our trips!

- ◆ Perfect Safety Record
- ◆ Small group size (Maximum of 10)
- ◆ Low teacher to student ratio 1:5
- ◆ Interdisciplinary
- ◆ Educational **AND** Fun

Adventure Learning is a non-profit whose mission is to provide an opportunity for people of all ages to learn about themselves and the natural world through exciting, challenging and interactive wilderness experiences.