

Natural Science Resources for Teachers	Contact Info.	Description	Target Audience	Aligned with Education Standards	Cost & Availability	Partners
<b>General Natural Resources</b>						
<b>4-H Natural Science Publications</b>	<a href="mailto:puborders@oregonstate.edu">Contact your local 4-H agent or e-mail to: puborders@oregonstate.edu.</a>	A broad variety of publications and lessons on the following topics. Aquatic education, amphibians, environmental, entomology, fish, forestry, geology, marine science, plants, water, watersheds and waste management.	K-12th grade	No	Costs vary	OSU Extension Service
<b>Hatfield Marine Science Center</b>	<a href="http://hmsc.oregonstate.edu/education/index.html">http://hmsc.oregonstate.edu/education/index.html</a> <a href="mailto:Maureen.Collson_scheduling.Coordinator@oregonstate.edu">Maureen Collson, scheduling Coordinator 541-867-0159</a> <a href="mailto:maureen.collson@oregonstate.edu">mailto:maureen.collson@oregonstate.edu</a>	Offers materials and programs for educators and students as well as on-site programs at it's Newport, OR facility. The center's focus is marine and estuarine science and resources.	K-12th grade	No	Cost vary by program.	Oregon State University
<b>Map Lessons</b>	<a href="http://erg.usgs.gov/isb/pubs/publists/edu.html">http://erg.usgs.gov/isb/pubs/publists/edu.html</a>	Lessons to teach about maps at each grade level.	K-12th grade	No	Free- Downloadable from the internet.	USGS
<b>National Park Service- Oregon Caves Lesson Plans</b>	<a href="http://www.nps.gov/orca/education/lessonplan.html">http://www.nps.gov/orca/education/lessonplan.html</a>	This site provides lesson plans on forests, caves, fossils, water, bats and other natural resource issues.	K-12th grade	Yes- Oregon and National standards	Free- Downloadable from the internet.	National Park Service
<b>Oregon Ag in the Classroom</b>	<a href="http://aitc.oregonstate.edu/resources/index.htm">http://aitc.oregonstate.edu/resources/index.htm</a>	The purpose of Agriculture in the Classroom (AITC) is to help young people gain a better understanding of agriculture, the source of our food and fiber, and its impact on our economy and daily lives. Learning about agriculture and its positive affect on the community helps make today's students well-informed citizens tomorrow. AITC was designed to provide curriculum, training, reference materials and teaching aides to K-12 teachers throughout Oregon.	K-12th grade	Yes- Oregon standards	Free- Downloadable from the internet. Some cost to program materials or return mail cost to loaned materials.	OSU, 4-H
<b>Oregon Geographic Alliance (OGA)</b>	<a href="http://geog.pdx.edu/oga/lessons_new.html">http://geog.pdx.edu/oga/lessons_new.html</a>	Lessons in forestry, geography and natural resources.	K-12th grade	Yes- National standards	Free - Downloadable from the internet.	
<b>Oregon Museum of Science and Industry (OMSI)</b>	<a href="http://www.omsi.edu">www.omsi.edu</a>	The site contains interactive online activities, virtual exhibits and resources.	K-12th grade	No	Free- Interactive site on the internet.	OMSI
<b>The Rainforest Alliance</b>	<a href="http://www.rainforest-alliance.org/">http://www.rainforest-alliance.org/</a>	The site provides teachers with curricula, presentations, stories and lesson plans. For kids there are coloring pages, stories and animal facts.	K-12th grade	Yes- National standards	Free- Downloadable from the internet.	Rainforest Alliance
<b>Wake Robin- A Habitat for Learning</b>	<a href="http://www.longview.k12.wa.us/wr/index.shtml">http://www.longview.k12.wa.us/wr/index.shtml</a>	A virtual tour website of a real location. Utilize the site in the classroom to teach about animals and plants that inhabit the area.	6-12th grade	No	Free interactive website.	Longview School District
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