RAP Camp is for Teachers too!

Teachers can participate in the RAP Camp program and receive graduate credit through Southern Oregon University. During the week, teachers are introduced to unique and creative ways to introduce students to natural resource management concepts and environmental education. Teachers receive curriculum development tools through the Wonders of Wetlands, Project WET, and Exploring Oregon’s Past.

Register Now

RAP Camp is open to students who are 13 to 18 years old.

Students must have completed 8th grade.

Program Cost: $225.00

Does not include transportation costs to and from Camp Esther Applegate.

Scholarships are available.

For Information or an Application

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Resources and People (RAP) Camp has been providing exciting summer fun for students since 1992. The camp gives students a chance to learn about natural resource management by providing them an opportunity to take part in hands on workshops taught by natural resource management professionals, outdoor recreation activities, and educational field trips.

This week long camp is held the third week of June at Camp Esther Applegate on Lake of the Woods in South Central Oregon. Each year, more than 60 high school aged students from both urban and rural areas have the opportunity to interact with each other and engage in outdoor pursuits.

Students can apply for school credit at participating high schools.

Interactive Learning Experience

Exciting and Educational!

Workshops
- Archaeology
- Botany
- Careers
- Fire ecology
- Fisheries
- Forestry
- Hydrology
- Range
- Recreation
- Wetlands
- Wildlife

Activities
- Arts & crafts
- Bird watching
- Canoeing
- Flintknapping
- Fly tying
- Hiking
- Horseshoes
- Journaling
- Orienteering
- Roping
- Swimming
- Talent show
- Volleyball

Field Trips
- Crater Lake National Park
- Fish hatchery
- Fort Klamath Museum
- Cattle ranch

Programs
- Cowboy poetry
- Night sky talk
- Resume building
- Tribal storytelling

Life at RAP Camp

Students at RAP Camp are housed in rustic multi-bunk cabins equipped with wood burning stoves and electric lights. Camp Esther Applegate has flushing toilets, vault toilets, running water, and showers.

Meals are served in a cafeteria style setting and are prepared in a common kitchen. Please indicate on your application if you have food allergies or other special dietary needs.

Participants are responsible for providing their own bedding, towels, and toiletries. Lake of the Woods is at an elevation of 4,950 feet and mornings and evenings can be cool. Warm jackets and shoes that are suitable for walking are recommended.

What to Bring

- Sturdy shoes
- Sandals
- Jacket
- Long pants
- Shorts
- Sweatshirt
- Swim wear (No bikinis)
- Rain jacket
- Soap & shampoo
- Towel
- Sleeping bag
- Sleeping pad
- Pillow
- Flashlight
- Water bottle
- Hat
- Sunglasses
- Sun screen
- Insect repellent

“This was the camp that changed my life!”