

Junior Naturalist Pledge

I am proud to be an Iowa Junior Naturalist. I promise to respect and protect all natural places. I also promise to continue learning about the natural world and share what I learn with others.

Signature: _____

Date of completion: _____

After completing all the requirements, bring your booklet to the Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center to receive your award! You may also mail us your booklet and receive your award in the mail.

Dorothy Pecaut Nature Center

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Iowa Junior Naturalist Program



Welcome to the Iowa Junior Naturalist Program! This is an opportunity for children 6-18 years old to share outdoor learning and experiences with adults.

This program is offered each calendar year and encourages youth and adults to attend environmental education programs and embark on independent outdoor activities together. Participants will receive a patch and certificate upon completion.

Requirements: Participants must attend 3 different nature programs and complete 3 independent activities. Participants 13-18 years old must also complete a 1-hour volunteer commitment. Record your progress in this booklet!

This booklet belongs to:

Program Attendance

Title: _____

Date: _____

Name of presenter: _____

What I learned: _____

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What I learned: _____

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Date: _____

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What I learned: _____

Independent Activities

Complete 3 or more of the following activities!

Visit the raptor house	Visit Stone State Park	Go bird watching	Tour the Nature Center
See swans at Little Sioux Park	Bike the Union Bridge Trail	Play at the Playscape	Create artwork inspired by nature
Go fishing	Have a picnic	Watch the sunset	Go on a hike
Hike with your pet	Go camping	Go boating	Play a game outside

Draw a picture of your favorite activity!

