

Cherokee Point Elementary School Program Schedule  
Ocean Discovery Institute – Ocean Science Explorers  
2019-2020

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade Unit:**

During this unit students will gain experience constructing explanations of how the geosphere, hydrosphere, and biosphere interact as well as the impact humans have on interactions between organisms and their environments.

To ensure a quality learning environment please:

- Review the following schedule and email Rochelle ([RMothokakobo@OceanDI.org](mailto:RMothokakobo@OceanDI.org)) about any scheduling conflicts
- Meet with Rochelle on September 11<sup>th</sup> to preview the new curriculum
- Have students complete waivers and turn into Ocean Discovery Institute staff by: **September 12<sup>th</sup>** (download from [www.oceandiscoveryinstitute.org/teachers](http://www.oceandiscoveryinstitute.org/teachers))
- Please ensure all students wear close-toed shoes and come with nametags to Ocean Discovery Institute’s Living Lab and during their Coastal Learning Experience.
- Debrief with Rochelle on October 2<sup>nd</sup> after school to complete teacher survey and talk about your experiences

Looking forward to working with you this year. Thank you!

**Curriculum Preview Meeting**

Wednesday, September 11<sup>th</sup>  
12:45 – 1:15 ALL 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teachers

**School Learning Experience**

Tuesday, September 12<sup>th</sup>  
8:30 – 9:30 Garcia  
9:40 – 10:40 McGuffey

**Coastal Learning Experience – Sweetwater Marsh**

\*Students will be provided with a field backpack and water bottle for the day, please bring only school provided lunches.

Thursday, September 19<sup>th</sup>

Pick up at Cherokee Point:	9:00am
Drop off at Sweetwater Marsh:	9:30am
Pick up at Sweetwater Marsh:	1:00pm
Return to Cherokee Point:	1:30pm

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**Lab Learning Experience – Ocean Discovery’s Living Lab**

Thursday, September 26<sup>th</sup>

Meet Ocean Discovery Staff Out Front:	8:55am
Depart Cherokee Point (walking):	9:00am
Arrive at Ocean Discovery:	9:30am
Depart Ocean Discovery (walking):	1:00pm
Arrive at Cherokee Point:	1:30pm

**Teacher Debrief**

Wednesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>

12:45 – 1:30 ALL 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teachers

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