

Join us for a Forest Education Program



Programs take place in the spectacular forest environment within Toolangi State Forest.

Primary & Secondary Programs



Only 1.5 hours from the centre of Melbourne, the Toolangi Forest Education Service offers a fabulous learning environment in Victoria's tall forest region.

Full Program 4 Hours

- *Visit the Toolangi Forest Discovery Centre*
- *Walk in the Cool Temperate Rainforest*
- *See the Flora and Fauna of the Central Highlands*
- *Tour Mountain Ash Forest*
- *Visit an operating Sawmill or take the Sculpture Trail walk*

EDUCATION PROGRAMS OFFERED BY THE TOOLANGI FOREST EDUCATION SERVICE

Ideal for supporting the learning of students of all ages, Toolangi Forest Education Service programs will enable students to experience the natural environment and appreciate the important role that they have in achieving sustainable living now and in the future.

LEVEL	TITLE	THEME
1&2	Natural Homes	Forests are homes for wildlife
1&2	Forest Forage	How little creatures survive in the forest environment
3	Forest Fun	Factors that effect the survival of living things
3	We All Need Forests	History of human forest use
3	Mountain Minibeasts	Role that invertebrates play as the forest decomposes
4	Bushfires And Firefighters	Bushfire plays an important role in the forest ecosystem
4	Food In The Forest	Relationships between living things and their food sources
4	Sawmill Settlements	Journey from seed to sawmill
4	Ecosystem Explorer	Relationships between native plants and animals
5	Forests - Making Connections	Our lifestyles, choices and impacts on the natural environment
5	Tale Of Two Forests	Comparing different forest types
5&6	Bushfires	Working with bushfires
5&6	Going With The Flow	Water is our most essential resource
5&6	Forests, Our Carbon Sinks	Forests reduce the impacts of the greenhouse effect
6	Our Forests Our Future	Sustainable forest use and management
VCE	TITLE	THEME
Geography		
Unit 1	The Natural Forest Environment	The factors changing forests over time
Unit 3	Water Resources Within The Murray-Darling Basin	How forests contribute to the water resources in the Murray Darling Basin
Outdoor & Environmental Studies		
Unit 1	The Forest Experience	People value and use forests in different ways
Unit 2	Impacts Of Forest Use	Minimising our impacts on the forest
Unit 3	Relationships With Forests	Past and present forest management
Unit 4	Future Forests	The future of forest management
Biology		
Unit 2	Dynamic Forest Ecosystems	The relationships between forest organisms and their environment
Environmental Science		
Unit 1	The Forest Environment	Understanding forest environments
Unit 3	The Leadbeater's Possum	The conservation strategies in place to conserve the Leadbeater's possum
Design and Technology		
Unit 1	Wood As A Resource	Wood as a working material
Tertiary		
Tertiary	Forest Management	Sustainable forest management planning

Detailed outlines of all programs offered are available and correlated with Victorian Essential Learning Standards, or programs can be tailored to meet specific needs.

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