

--- SUMMER CREDIT FIELD-CAMP COURSE ---



Colorado Ecosystem Field Studies



Earn 3 undergraduate credits, or 6 teacher relicensure credits, in the foothills of the Rocky Mountains at the spectacular 1,200-acre, private **Cal-Wood Education Center**

(near Jamestown, Colorado, 1 hr nw of Denver, 1/2 hr nw Boulder)

Course 1- June 7-20, 2009

Course 2- July 19 – Aug 1, 2009

Explore & analyze the fundamental concepts & components of the Colorado Front Range ecosystem including hands-on investigation of:

- * Geology, geography & climatology
- * Ecology, wildlife & botany
- * Field identification & research methods



This all-outdoor course synthesizes and applies life science, earth science & geography educational standards to an authentic and dynamic environmental setting. Instruction is delivered with direct lecture, inquiry-based activities with data collection, guided exploration, labs, field trips and guest speakers. Students base/tent-camp in a beautiful mountain location, hike daily, and actively participate in an intensive educational experience. Students must be in good physical condition and health.

Class size is limited to 16 students.

Cost: \$1,050 includes all meals, camping fees, group camp/field equipment & use of Cal-Wood Lodge for showers, phone, computer. Students provide own tent & personal sleeping/outdoor gear.

For a course syllabus and all registration inquiries, email
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Visit Cal-Wood's web site at: calwood.org

Hands-on field studies



Rocky Mountain National Park

"Amazing course! It is one thing to learn something in class, its another to learn that same information in the field where it's pertinent and you can experience it...from the cold of the tundra to the heat of the grasslands, the most interesting and engaging 2 weeks of my life. I am really sad to leave!"

Participant remarks