



Parks & Museum Education

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

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The Parks and Museum Education Program at Hocking College has become renowned for training experienced, confident and talented educators. Students in the program will be trained to educate others about the environment and human connections to it.

Classes use the backdrop of Southeastern Ohio to extract stories of interest in the natural world and the history of nearby areas. Emphasis is placed on practical experience, leading programs with groups of all kinds, exhibit design and development of interpretive sites. Students will also receive unique training in researching and developing living history subjects and techniques.



Hocking Woods Nature Center provides students the opportunity to work with captive wildlife, including raptors and reptiles. We even have a planetarium for learning and teaching about astronomy and night interpretation. Robbins Crossing is a collection of authentic log homes that allows students to practice “living history” presentations in period clothing, designed to engage visitors in the skills and lifestyles of the past including blacksmithing, wood stove cooking and woodworking.

PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT

Examples of places where Hocking College alumni have worked or are currently working include the following:

National Parks Service • State Parks • Conner Prairie • Aquariums • Zoos

ALL-INCLUSIVE PRICING

Hocking College offers all-inclusive pricing and works with students to assure they have complete college funding, including financial aid, before they start classes. All-inclusive pricing includes the following:

PER SEMESTER

\$300.....Learning Fee

\$20.....Health Center Services

\$75.....Career Center Services

Not Included in the All-Inclusive Pricing

\$53.....Parking



Pricing for housing and meal plans can be found at hocking.edu/residence-halls.

DEGREE TRACK

2024/2025 Academic Year

AUTUMN 1				
SCHEDULE	COURSE	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HOURS	COURS FEES
8 Weeks (1)	FOR-1009	Dendrology I	2.00	\$280
8 Weeks (1)	PM-1100	Introduction to Interpretation	2.00	\$525
8 Weeks (1)	WLM-1056	Wildlife Ecology & Identification	3.00	\$210
8 Weeks (2)	ENVS-1134	Field Biology I	1.00	\$100
8 Weeks (2)	GEO-1125	Map Reading & Interpretation	1.00	\$100
8 Weeks (2)	Math-1103	Applied Mathematics	3.00	\$150
16 Weeks	GS-1010	Pathways to Prosperity	1.00	\$50
		SEMESTER TOTAL	13.00	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$4,125
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$6,440
SPRING 1				
SCHEDULE	COURSE	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HOURS	COURS FEES
8 Weeks (1)	COMM-1130	Speech	3.00	\$50
8 Weeks (1)	FOR-1010	Dendrology II	1.00	\$100
8 Weeks (1)	PM-1118	Environmental Education Techniques	3.00	\$650
8 Weeks (1)	PM-1121	Interpretive Guide Techniques	3.00	\$350
8 Weeks (2)	BIOS-1163	Wild Edible Plants & Mycology	1.00	\$10
8 Weeks (2)	ENGL-1510	English Composition I	4.00	\$50
8 Weeks (2)	ENVS-1135	Field Biology II	1.00	\$36
8 Weeks (2)	WLM-2272	Ornithology	2.00	\$160
		SEMESTER TOTAL	18.00	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$4,116
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$6,431
SUMMER 1				
SCHEDULE	COURSE	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HOURS	COURS FEES
12 Weeks	NRM-2600	Natural Resources Practicum	1.00	\$100
		SEMESTER TOTAL	1.00	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$344.25
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$537.25
AUTUMN 2				
SCHEDULE	COURSE	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HOURS	COURS FEES
8 Weeks (1)	ENVS-2217	Aquatic Ecology	3.00	\$290
8 Weeks (1)	PM-2215	Historical Interpretation	2.00	\$450
8 Weeks (1)	WLM-2203	Environmental Ethics	3.00	\$100
8 Weeks (2)	ENGL-2225	Technical Writing	3.00	\$50
8 Weeks (2)	PM-2109	Night Interpretation	1.00	\$140
8 Weeks (2)	PM-2240	Interpretive Facilities & Display Design	3.00	\$400
		SEMESTER TOTAL	15.00	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$4,140
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$6,455
SPRING 2				
SCHEDULE	COURSE	COURSE NAME	CREDIT HOURS	COURS FEES
8 Weeks (1)	BIOS-1171	Zoology	3.00	\$500
8 Weeks (1)	GEOL-2271	Geomorphology	3.00	\$135
8 Weeks (2)	PM-2420	Trail & Waterway Interpretive Guide	3.00	\$450
8 Weeks (2)	GS-2010	Pathways to Prosperity II	1.00	\$50
16 Weeks	PM-2650	Interpretation Capstone (SL)	3.00	\$300
		SEMESTER TOTAL	13.00	
		IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$4,145
		OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$6,460
		TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	64.50	
		TOTAL IN-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$16,870.25
		TOTAL OUT-OF-STATE TUITION & FEES		\$26,323.25

QUESTIONS? CONTACT

Admissions

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