

# Calgary Parks Programs

Resources for Teachers

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## **Full-Day School Programs**

Visit our Parks School Programs webpage for details and booking information.

Registration for the 2025-2026 school year opens on August 27, 2025

All full-day programs are 5 hours long and \$265

| Location                 | Grade 1-3<br>Programs                   | Grade 3-6<br>Programs                   | Grade 7-9<br>Programs |
|--------------------------|---|---|-----------------------|
| Inglewood Bird Sanctuary | Pollinator Power                        | The Canopy and Me                       | BioBlitz              |
| Ralph Klein Park         | Wetland Wigglers                        | Marsh Madness                           | H2Ohh!                |
| Reader Rock Garden       | Growing Gardens,<br>Changing Cities     | Exploring Our<br>Legacy                 |                       |
| Multiple Locations       | Winter Evidence & Investiation (Div. 1) | Winter Evidence & Investiation (Div. 2) |                       |

## **Sponsored School Programs**

Visit our Parks School Programs webpage for details and booking information.

| Location         | Programs  |
|------------------|---|
| Ralph Klein Park | ConocoPhillips Canada Mud Between My Toes (Grades 1-9)  Application-based. Applications open from May 1 to May 30, 2025.  ConocoPhillips Canada |

### **Specialty Programs**

Visit our Parks School Programs webpage for details and booking information.

| Location   | Programs  |  |
|--|---|--|
| City park or greenspace of your choice                               | Guided Nature Walks (Grades K-12)   |  |
|  | \$106 for 60 minutes or \$130 for 90 minutes  |  |
| Inglewood Bird Sanctuary, Ralph<br>Klein Park, or Reader Rock Garden | City EcoAction School (Grades 1-12)   |  |
|  | Application-based. Applications open from April 1 to May 7, 2025.   |  |
| Your school  | Community Trees: School Planting Program (Grades 1-12) NEW – a yearlong program culminating with planting of a small-scale urban forest at your school. Inquire at booth for details. |  |
|  | Application-based. Applications open from February 13 to April 1, 2025.   |  |

#### **Free Resources**

#### Nature Kits - webpage

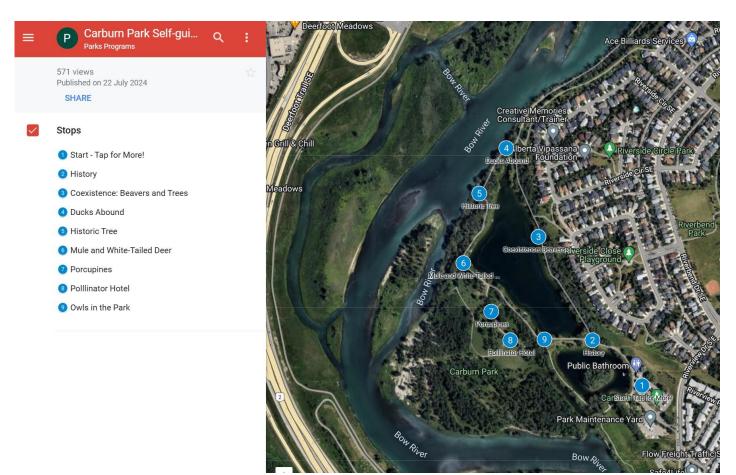
Nature Kits are available to rent for one week at no cost from the Inglewood Bird Sanctuary. These compact kits are packed with biofacts, photos, and ecosystem-specific information. Use them to explore the outdoors with your class or as a classroom resource to prepare students for an outdoor adventure. Visit our <a href="weepage">weepage</a> for a list of available kits, and email <a href="mailto:ParksPrograms@calgary.ca">ParksPrograms@calgary.ca</a> to book.

#### Self-Guided Walking Tours - webpage

Explore Calgary's parks at your own pace with self-guided walking tours, available for 13 parks and growing! These map-based guides are packed with history, nature facts, and captivating stories about your local green spaces. These are a great starting point for educators to lead a class field trip to a City park. Visit our <a href="webpage">webpage</a> for a full list of locations.



Contents of Nose Hill Park Nature Kit



Carburn Park Self-Guided Walk