

SEATON JURASSIC Education Visits

Exploring the wonders of the natural world, past and present, in a fun, hands on and engaging way.



We offer a range of cross-curricular workshops, suitable for children from age 3 to 15. Example workshops can be found inside or we can tailor a programme to suit you. Themes include the marine world, fossils, Victorian figures and more!



Maths



Science



Geography



Music



English



Art

Each workshop lasts approximately 1.5 hours and costs £3 per child. Minimum rates apply.

A  **Devon**
Wildlife Trust Visitor Centre



Seaton Jurassic Experience

Travel through time from the Victorian age of discovery to the Jurassic marine environment and emerge shrunken in our present day rock pool area. Then explore the garden which represents a range of habitats from the local area. Find out how living things have adapted and survived to be part of our natural heritage today. Suitable for all ages.



Explore the Coast

Devon's coast is alive with a whole host of exciting and interesting wildlife. Enjoy exploring Seaton's rock pools and learn to identify marine wildlife using ID guides. Discover the adaptations and survival strategies of rock pool creatures and compare them to their Jurassic ancestors. Please note that this activity is tide dependent. Not suitable for children under 5, except by special arrangement.



Fascinating Fossils

Discover the life story of Mary Anning and how her discoveries changed geology and science forever. Explore our garden as a palaeontologist and piece together our mysterious marine reptile. Find out how fossils are formed, what they tell us about Seaton's past and make your own fossil to take away. Suitable for all ages.





Living Things and Habitats

Explore our garden and wildlife area to discover the hidden world of tiny creatures. Through activities, games and investigation, learn how to classify living things and discover the diversity of creatures in different habitats along the coast. Suitable for all ages.



Coastal Change

Visit our local beach and explore Seaton's coast to discover the importance of our coastline and what we can do to protect it. Find out how pebbles were created from our ancient cliffs and travelled for miles along the Jurassic Coast. Create your own beach profile of the natural and man-made features of Seaton. This session requires more time - up to 2.5 hours. Not suitable for children under 5, except by special arrangement.



Exploring Evolution

The Victorian era saw many great discoveries and developments in science. One of these was the theory of evolution, a concept formed by Charles Darwin. Through activities, games and investigation, discover the remarkable story of how Darwin developed the theory of evolution and how it has helped us explain the diversity of life on Earth. Not suitable for children under 5.





Magnificent Marine World

Devon's marine life is a diverse array of creatures with amazing adaptations, from hypnotising cuttlefish to shell-drilling dog whelks. Find out about the different adaptations marine creatures have through games and activities, investigate mysterious objects found on the beach and find out how each of these creatures is interconnected in a giant food web. Create your own marine creature and find out what we can do to protect marine life! Suitable for all ages.



NEW FOR 2019/2020

We can now offer outreach sessions for your group/centre. We are happy to tailor a programme to meet your requirements. Please ring to chat through how we might help you.

"Thank you very much for a brilliant day. Your organisation was excellent and you anticipated all of our needs. The children loved the day and learned a lot... I thought the day was a great balance between fun and educational."

Teacher from St Christophers School- May 2019

"Thank you for a fantastic day on Friday. The children talked about it non-stop all the way back to school which, as we got caught in a long traffic jam, was nearly an hour and a half of talking!"

If you would like to hear more about our education offer, please contact

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