

Outreach Programs

3rd and 4th Grade

Mini Labs (30 students)

Snail Science: Using the Scientific Method (1st-5th)

**Live Animal Encounter*

Take measurements, set-up experiments, and make predictions in the hands-on, live animal program featuring mud snails and whelks.

Science SOLs: 3.1, 3.4, 3.5, 4.1, and 4.5



Out in the Ocean (3rd-5th)

**Live Animal Encounter*

Learn about the features of the ocean floor, zones of life, and amazing adaptations for surviving in the deep, dark sea.

Science SOLs: 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.10, 4.5, and 4.9.

Virginia's First People: The Chesapeake Indians (1st-4th)

**Live Animal Encounter*

Examine a variety of replica artifacts to discover how the first peoples used natural resources provided by local rivers, the Chesapeake Bay, and the Atlantic Ocean.

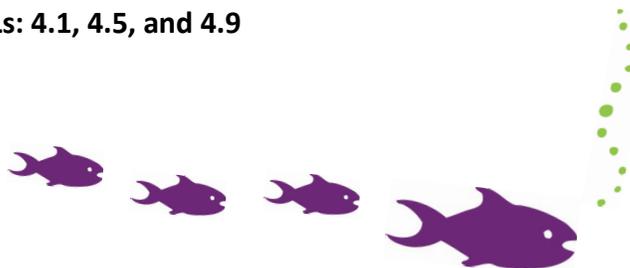
Science SOLs: 4.9

History SOL: 3.7, VS.2

Wetlands and Watersheds (4th-9th)

What's a watershed? How do watersheds affect water quality? How do people impact watersheds? Find out through this hands-on program that highlights the Chesapeake Bay watershed.

Science SOLs: 4.1, 4.5, and 4.9



Mini Labs

Pricing per 50 minute program:

- \$110 for single program
- \$90 for two or more programs

Programs are available from September—mid-June.

Travel Fees

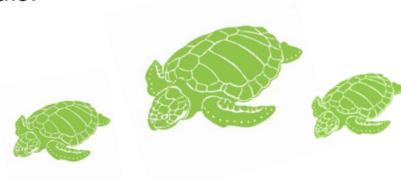
\$0	Virginia Beach
\$25	Norfolk, Chesapeake, and Portsmouth
\$45	Newport News, Hampton, Suffolk, and Poquoson
\$65	Williamsburg and Yorktown



Sea Turtle Rescue (4th-12th)

Students play the role of marine scientist as they explore research techniques to help stranded marine animals.

Science SOLs: 3.1 and 4.1



Inside the Squid (4th-12th)

**Live Animal Encounter*

In this detailed dissection, students will discover how the squid has adapted to its environment by learning about its external and internal anatomy.

Science SOLs: 4.5 and 4.9

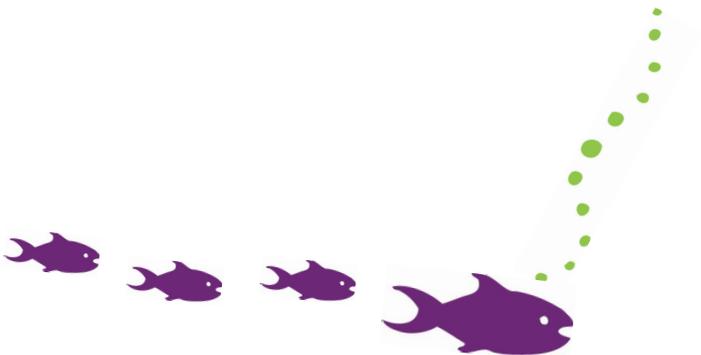


Life in the Chesapeake Bay (1st-12th)

**Live Animal Encounter*

Come face to face with a sea snail, spider crab, and a hermit crab as your students get a hands-on lesson in Chesapeake Bay ecology focusing on adaptations, predator-prey relationships, and life needs.

Science SOLs: 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.10, 4.5, and 4.9



QUESTIONS?

Contact our Outreach Coordinator at ashlnbee@virginiaaquarium.com or (757) 385-0330.

Festivals & Events

Touch Pools (k-12th)

Let the Aquarium bring marine science to your school fair or event. Your students and guests can touch live marine invertebrates and artifacts at our display booth and talk with our educators about ocean conservation.

Pricing:

- \$150 per hour + travel fee

READY TO BOOK?

Contact Guest Services at (757) 385-FISH or vamscgso@virginiaaquarium.com

