

# Virginia Aquarium and Marine Science Center

## 2018 Summer Outreach Offerings

### Toddlers (Ages 2-3)

20 minutes

One class per program (up to 25 students)

\$55 for one program; 2-5 programs \$45 each – travel fees do apply outside of Virginia Beach.

- **Tiny Tot Turtle**

Meet a live turtle and learn different ways in which turtles explore their natural habitat through stories, songs, games, and artifacts that highlight its adaptations.

- **Tiny Tot Invertebrates**

Bring the ocean to life in your classroom as your students meet a live horseshoe crab and several other marine invertebrates and learn about their adaptations through stories, songs, games and a variety of marine artifacts.

- **Tiny Tot Slimy Science**

Let your students become scientists for a day as they observe and experiment with live snails and worms.

### Preschool and Kindergarten (Ages 4-6)

40 minutes

One class per program (up to 25 students)

\$110 for one program; 2-5 programs \$90 each – travel fees do apply outside of Virginia Beach.

- **Hermit Crab & Friends**

Embark on a literary adventure in Meghan McDonalds', "Is This a House for Hermit Crab?" and meet a live hermit crab and a few of his friends while your students learn about their natural habitat and adaptations.

- **T is for Turtle**

Join us in a "turtley" awesome time as your students meet a live turtle, play the turtle alphabet game, and investigate our turtle artifacts. You'll also discover the differences in various types of turtles in Susan Ring's, "Where Should Turtle Be?"

- **Mini Movers**

Experience the different ways in which animals move as your students hop, crawl, and wiggle their way through this interactive program. Our Aquarium educator will engage your students with live marine invertebrates, song, games, and story.

- **Slimy Science**

Make observations, take measurements, and explore science with the help of some slimy friends.

- **STEAM**

Learn about our resident harbor seals and how we use training and enrichment to keep them healthy. Students will get a chance to practice animal training skills and complete an enrichment art activity.

## School-Aged (Ages 7-11)

50 minutes

One class per program (up to 25 students)

\$110 for one program; 2-5 programs \$90 each – travel fees do apply outside of Virginia Beach.

- **Beach Creatures**

Adventure through the Chesapeake Bay while your students learn about the many different animals that call it home and the adaptations they have in order to survive. Meet and touch a live horseshoe crab, spider crab, hermit crab, whelk, and diamondback terrapin as we showcase these fascinating animals.

- **All about Turtles**

Explore a world of turtles and the differences between them as your students play the turtle survivor game, explore a variety of real turtle artifacts, and meet and touch a live diamondback terrapin.