



ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE and IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

COURSE SESSION START and END DATES

**Arrival and Departure times will be spaced out by Class to reduce congestion and wait times. (please try to adhere to these times as much as possible – but we understand that travel delays may occur)*

Session #1 (CGC 1W), (SNC 2D) and (SBI 3U)

Arrival Date: SUNDAY June 28th

- Gr. 11 Biology (1:00pm-1:30pm)
- Gr. 10 Science (1:30pm-2:00pm)
- Gr. 9 Geography (1:30pm -2:00pm)

Departure Date: FRIDAY July 10th

- Pick-ups between 10:30am-11:30am
- IF A Return Bus Home is arranged it would leave the CEC circa 10am (interest must be requested in secondary forms)

Session #2 (SES 4U) and (SBI 4U)

Arrival Date: SUNDAY July 12th

- Gr. 12 Biology (1:00pm -2:00pm)
- Gr. 12 Earth and Space (1:00pm-2:00pm)

Departure Date: FRIDAY July 24th

- Pick-ups between 10:30am-11:30am

*NO return bus option for session #2 due to small enrolment #'s. Public Transport may be an option

CHECK-IN and CHECK-OUT PROCEDURE – Stay Tuned!

Further details will be shared at the Mandatory parent/guardian Virtual TEAMS pre-course meeting that you signed up with when you completed the secondary registration forms.

IMPORTANT PHONE, CONTACT NAMES AND NUMBERS

Mailing Address: Canadian Ecology Centre, 6905 Hwy 17, P.O Box 430. Mattawa Ontario, P0H 1V0

Phone: 1-705-744-1715 Extension "0" for main office.

General Email: education@canadianecology.ca

Website: www.canadianecology.ca



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COMMUNICATION

Email communication is preferred as we are often out with the students and not in the office. **Please state your students NAME and CLASS in the subject heading** when emailing our office/staff with questions/concerns.

If you need to call, please leave a message on our office phone. Messages will be checked daily by the end of business hours. Unless we deem it an urgent matter or an emergency we may not respond until the next day (especially if a message was received at the end of the day).

For any emergency inquiries please call or text the CEC Management Staff cell numbers listed below. Please ensure you leave a message with your name and student name so they can respond back appropriately.

CEC MANAGEMENT STAFF (ext 0 for all staff)

Laura Kielpinski (Director of Education & Operations)
laura@canadianecology.ca / education@canadianecology.ca

ext 0 or cell (emergency only): 705-845-1150

Bill Steer (General Manager, Founder & Head Master)
wilsonsteer@gmail.com

ext 0 or cell (emergency only): 705-840-0848

CEC Camp Coordinator/Support Staff (on-site for the duration of each session) ext 0
programs@canadianecology.ca

Michelle Browne

MAIL

Please **do not** send any care packages via mail. If you are intending to send a care package, we kindly ask that you prepare it ahead of time and bring it with you upon arrival. We can hand out mail/packages ONCE, approximately halfway through the course session.

We will not be doing frequent checks at our local post office so please send any letters earlier in the session. Please use the address above with **Attention: Student Name and Course (address as listed above)**

DIRECTIONS to the Canadian Ecology Centre

The Canadian Ecology Centre (CEC) is located **within Samuel de Champlain Provincial Park** on Hwy 17, Mattawa Ontario. We are approximately 30 minutes from North Bay and 4 hours from Toronto or 3.5 hours from Ottawa. There are no directional signs on the highway for the CEC but you will see signage for the Provincial Park.

The Centre itself is located about 2.5km from the main entrance on the highway. Maps and directions are available on our website:

<https://www.canadianecology.ca/directions-and-maps/>

Please feel free to contact us if you require any additional help with directions. If using GPS Navigation, please note that we are located in "Calvin Township" and that some car unit GPS do not have us properly marked. Please verify this before you start driving! Remember...we are located within the Provincial Park!

*Please contact our main office if you require suggestions for off-site accommodation prior to the start of the credit.

Permanent signage is still being re-installed within the park that was damaged in last June's storm. If these are not ready for the start of the session, portable signage will be placed along the roadways to direct you to the CEC.