

Environmental Field Days

Environmental Field Days (EFD) are offered free of charge to all Caldwell County 5th grade students. EFD are held in April just prior to End of Grade Testing as a means to review . 10 stations are set up and each group stays at each station for 20 minutes. Station topics include:

- Weather
- Genetics
- Force & Motion
- Ecosystems (Producers, Consumers, Decomposers)
 - Water Cycle
 - Human Body (2 stations)
 - Soils
 - Forestry (Ecosystems)
 - Enviroscape (Stewardship)

All stations are manned by professionals in their field and include: NC Forest Service, retired Caldwell County School Teachers, Caldwell County Public Health Educators, USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service Soil Conservationists, Caldwell County Co-Operative Extension, and NC Environmental Educators.

EFD are held at local parks and begin at 9:00am and end at 1:45. Snacks and water are provided for every student. Students are responsible for their lunch. Schools are responsible for transportation.

