



THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF ENTOMOLOGY

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Kentucky Entomology Leadership Program

AN ENTOMOLOGY EXPERIENCE OFFERED DURING THE
KENTUCKY FORESTRY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

June 5-9, 2006

University of Kentucky Leadership Center
Jabez, Kentucky

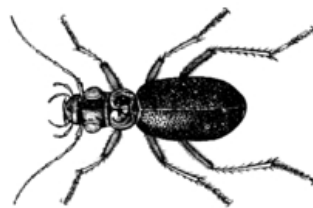
For high school students entering junior or senior year.

The Program

The Kentucky Entomology Leadership Program is a five-day, overnight experience designed to allow participants to gain entomological skills in a forest setting. Students will learn about the role of insects in the forest ecosystem by collecting and identifying insects and by studying the signs of their impact.

Collaboration

The Kentucky Entomology Leadership Program is partnered with the Kentucky Forestry Leadership Program, a concurrent week-long course that introduces high-school students to forest management. Although each program will have unique team leaders and agendas, students in both programs will work together at key points during the week to solve real-life forest management problems.



Admission Requirements

This is not a recreational summer camp. If you plan to attend, you should have a strong desire to learn throughout the program's intensive daily schedule. Also, you must be willing to work as a team member in order to complete the program.

To be admitted to this program, you must be entering your junior or senior year in high school and have an interest in biology and ecology. You must also have a C or higher grade point average.

Application

To apply, complete the attached application form and submit a letter of recommendation from your high school guidance counselor or principal along with a non-refundable check or money order for \$50 to the address listed at the bottom of the application form. **DEADLINE: May, 2006.**

The total fee for the program is \$195 (including the non-refundable \$50 application fee). This fee covers all programming costs, plus room and board.

The 2006 Forest Entomology Leadership Program is open to students who are entering the junior or senior year of high school. Enrollment is limited to 8 participants. Up to 2 applications per county will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis. In May 2006 we will begin to notify by mail those who have been accepted. If a student is admitted to the program, they will be sent maps and lists of materials necessary for the program.

Students are responsible for their own transportation to and from the Kentucky Leadership Center.

First Day Activities

On-site registration and rooming assignments begin at 10 a.m. on June 5, 2006. Lunch will be served at noon. Be prompt: scheduled events begin at 1 p.m.

For More Information:

For more information about facilities and other details, see the enclosed brochure for the Kentucky Forestry Leadership Program. This brochure also outlines the goals and philosophy that underlie these two programs.

For more information about the Kentucky Entomology Program, specifically, contact:

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Cancellation

The University of Kentucky may cancel or postpone this program due to insufficient enrollment or other unforeseen circumstances. If the program is cancelled or postponed, the Kentucky Forestry Council will refund all fees, but cannot be responsible for unrelated costs assumed by the student.

APPLICATION

FOREST ENTOMOLOGY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM Kentucky Leadership Center, Jabez, KY

This form may be duplicated for additional applicants. Print or type and return to the address below by May, 2006.

I would like to attend the Forest Entomology Leadership Program at the Kentucky Leadership Center in Jabez, Kentucky, June 5-9, 2006.

I understand that this program is not a recreational summer camp and that I will be expected to fully participate as a team member in the daily activities.

Last Name First Name

Home Address (street and/or box number)

City State Zip

County

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Daytime Phone

Age: _____ Sex: Male _____ Female _____

Parent/Guardian Signature

Make checks payable to:

Kentucky Forestry Council

Mail application to:

Douglas McLaren

Department of Forestry

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