

San Francisco Nature Education- School Volunteer Application

Thank you for your interest in San Francisco Nature Education, a not for profit organization that provides environmental education programs for Kindergarten through 3rd grades in San Francisco public schools.

All students in our programs receive classroom visits and activities

We lead our 3rd grade students on field trips to Golden Gate Park.
We focus on birds and habitat in the classroom and on our field trips.

Volunteers assist our staff during classroom visits and lead field trips.

We provide training for our volunteer naturalists.

For more information on our volunteer program, please visit our website:
www.sfnature.org and click on Get Involved.

Please complete the application and return it by fax, email, or mail. We will then schedule an interview.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Telephone: home () _____

Office/cell () _____

Email address _____

Please tell us about any applicable experience, interests , or work with children that would benefit the program. Please include dates.

The San Francisco Unified School District requires that each volunteer naturalist submit to a background check, including fingerprinting, by the Dept. of Justice.

Volunteers are responsible for the \$50 background check fee. In addition there is a \$50 fee for training, books, and materials.

I agree to comply with the background check and fees.

_____ **Yes**

Classroom visits start at 9 am and conclude at noon.

Field trips start at 10 am and conclude at noon. Volunteers meet at the San Francisco Botanical Garden (Strybing Arboretum) Bookstore or Stow Lake Boathouse at 9:30 am.

We schedule classroom visits and field trips Tuesday through Friday. Our programs run from September through May of each year.

Are you available to volunteer at least:

Once a week? _____ Twice a month? _____

Other availability—please tell us below.

Comments—write on back or attach if necessary:

We will contact you shortly after receiving your application. Many thanks.

Please email application to volunteer@sfnature.org or mail to SFNE, 3450 Geary Blvd. Suite 208, San Francisco, CA 94118.