



DIRECTIONS

Marjory Stoneman Douglas Biscayne Nature Center
6767 Crandon Blvd
Key Biscayne, FL 33149

- Take I-95 or US 1 to the Key Biscayne Exit.
- Follow signs to the **Rickenbacker Causeway** and through the toll.
- Continue going straight until you see signs for **Crandon Park**.
- Take the **North Beach Entrance** into Crandon Park.
(This is across the street from the Golf Course)
- Once within the Park, drive through the toll booth and turn left.
- Proceed to the end of the parking lot.
- The Nature Center is located at the Northern End of the park.
- There is a cream-colored shelter where the Naturalists will be waiting for you.
- If you arrive in the Village of Key Biscayne, turn around, you have gone too far.
- Please call (305) 361-6767 if you are lost.

REMEMBER: The Naturalists will meet your bus under the shelter at the front of the Nature Center. Please pull the bus to the front of the center. The Naturalists will be collecting the permission forms and check upon arrival, so please have these documents prepared. Bring everything off the bus, including lunches. Your group will then be led into the Center and be given an introduction to the events for the day.



IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER

- Please remember to bring the Biscayne Nature Center Release Forms on the day of the trip. Every child and adult that is attending the field trip **MUST** have a release form that is **COMPLETED** and **SIGNED**.
- **Students who do not have a form that is signed by a parent or guardian are unable to participate in the program.**
- The ratio of adults to students for water programs (Seagrass Adventure) is 1 to 5. The ratio for dry programs is 1 to 10 (Coastal Exploration, Beach Babies).
- Closed-toe shoes are **REQUIRED** to participate in our programs. We do not allow Crocs or flip-flops.
- If you are participating in a water program, please remember to bring a dry change of clothes and shoes. For dry programs, there is always a possibility that clothes and shoes may get wet or muddy, so please plan accordingly.
- Our programs are outdoors so be sure to come with sun protection! We recommend wearing a hat, long sleeved shirt, comfortable shoes, and REEF-SAFE sunscreen. Insect repellent may be used for DRY programs.
- There is nowhere to buy lunch on the premises, so make sure that everyone brings a bagged lunch that does not require refrigeration. Water fountains are available.
- If possible, please encourage students to bring a reusable water bottle and lunchbox and be mindful about using single-use plastics. Help us reduce plastic waste in order to save our oceans and planet!
- **If your group includes students with special needs or specific accommodations, please let us know so that we may provide the best learning experience possible.**
- Don't forget to bring an open mind and a smile. :)
- If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the Biscayne Nature Center.