

Teachers! Here is a list of STEAM ideas to use in your classroom. We invite you and your students to browse these ideas, and go outdoors!

Science

<u>Backyard</u> <u>Habitats:</u> https://www.nwf.o rg/garden-forwildlife/create

<u>Wildlife ID (scat/track/signs):</u> https://blogshewrote.org/how-tofind-collect-animal-tracks/ https://peecnature.org/take-itoutside-week-3-day-3/ <u>DIY Plant Press:</u> https://www.fieldmuseum.org/blo g/diy-plant-pressing



<u>Youth Birding Competition:</u> https://georgiawildlife.com/YBC Details on the 2023 competition will be available here later this year. <u>Go Fish Education Center:</u> https://gofisheducationcenter.com/

<u>Adopt-A-Stream:</u> https://adoptastream.georgia.gov/org anization/about-georgia-adopt-

stream-0

Rivers Alive: https://riversalive.georgia.gov/

Technology

<u>GIS Mapping:</u> https://mangomap.com/gismapping



<u>iNaturalist App (identify</u> <u>plants/animals):</u> https://www.inaturalist.org/

<u>Merlin App (birding):</u> https://merlin.allaboutbirds.o rg/ <u>Huntwise App- Available</u> <u>through IHEA</u>: https://huntwise.com/

<u>Every Kid Outdoors:</u> https://everykidoutdoors.gov/inde x.htm

<u>Observe Migration Patterns:</u> https://dynamicearthlearning.c om/gps-wildlife-tracking/



<u>eRanger:</u> https://gastateparks.org/eRanger

<u>Explore Bowhunting:</u> _https://archerytrade.org/growarchery/bowhunting/

<u>Explore Bowfishing:</u> https://archerytrade.org/growarchery/bowfishing/

Engineering

Build a ground blind/shelter in your back yard: https://www.instructables.com/Buil ding-A-Natural-Ground-Blind/ https://www.youtube.com/watch? v=O5OLy5hlZxI

<u>Birdhouse:</u> https://www.youtube.com/wa tch?v=aEdlcAPpXeU

<u>Carpenter Bee Trap:</u> https://bestbeebrothers.com/ blogs/blog/how-to-create-adiy-carpenter-bee-trap <u>Duck Boxes:</u> Game Management in each region looks for volunteers to help assemble and distribute duck boxes each yearhttps://www.ducks.org/conservatio n/waterfowl-researchscience/build-a-wood-duck-box

<u>Community Garden-</u> https://kidsgardening.org/res ources/create-sustain-aprogram-starting-acommunity-garden-on-schoolgrounds/

Art

<u>Georgia River of Words Poetry &</u> <u>Art Contest:</u> https://projectwet.georgia.gov/gariver-words Details on the 2023 competition will be available here later this year.

<u>Give Wildlife a Chance Poster</u> <u>Contest:</u> https://georgiawildlife.com/Poste rContest Details on the 2023 competition will be available here later this year.



<u>Georgia Fish Art Contest-</u> https://www.wildlifeforever.org/ho me/fish-art/winners2021/go-fishgeorgiaaward/#:~:text=The%20Go%20Fish!,t he%20great%20state%20of%20Geor gia Details on the 2023 competition will be available here later this year.

<u>Nature Loom:</u> https://figmentcreativelabs.com /2020/04/get-outside-andmake-a-nature-loom-for-natureweaving/

<u>Make an Atlatl Using a Paint</u> <u>Stick:</u> http://www.mrpowellscience. com/home/atlatl-invasion





Youth Birding T-shirt Art Contest: https://georgiawildlife.com/YBC TshirtArtContest Details on the 2023 competition will be available here later this year.



Math

Population Management: http://www.bomsr.com/4.S1.1 6/F16%20109-112.pdf

<u>Christmas Bird Count</u> (youth and adult): https://www.audubon.org/ conservation/science/chri stmas-bird-count

The Christmas Bird Count occurs December 14 to January 5 every year. <u>Archery Scoring:</u> https://www.rookieroad.com/arch ery/how-is-archery-scored/



<u>Turkey Poult Count:</u> https://georgiawildlife.blog/2 020/10/15/results-ofgeorgias-wild-turkeysummer-poult-survey/ <u>Migratory Patterns and when we</u> <u>will see various birds/butterflies:</u> _https://dnr.maryland.gov/wildlife/ Documents/MigrationMath-for-MiddleSchool.pdf

<u>Covey Counts:</u> https://www.quailcount.org/moni toring/fallcovey.html

Other Helpful Resources



<u>Grants for outdoor education:</u> <u>Outdoor Tomorrow Foundation</u> https://www.gootf.com/education/

Questions? Contact the Hunter Development Program Office (706-557-3355). or visit: GeorgiaWildlife.com



WILDLIFE RESOURCES DIVISION

<u>Find Project Wet, Wild, and Learning</u> <u>Tree nature-based education resources</u> <u>that correlate to Next Generation</u> <u>Science Standards (NGSS)-</u> https://www.fishwildlife.org/projectwild /project-wild-resources (correlation to standards)

https://georgiawildlife.com/projectwild

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https://www.fishwildlife.org/projectwild /growing-wild

https://www.fishwildlife.org/projectwild /flying-wild

https://www.fishwildlife.org/projectwild /aquatic-wild

https://www.projectwet.org/standards (Correlation to standards) https://www.plt.org/alignment-tostandards (Correlation to standards)



<u>To become a Project Wild</u> <u>Facilitator (professional</u> development) https://georgiawildlife.com/sites/d efault/files/wrd/pdf/cewc/Professi onal%20Development_2021.pdf

