



## Connecting children to nearby nature

### Program Goals

- Provide children with more physical activity
- Connect children to natural spaces in their local community
- Inspire children to develop an ethic of stewardship for their neighborhood's natural environment
- Promote the cultivation of a "sense of place"
- Offer children opportunities for fun, imagination, and delight with nature



### Accomplishments

- This school year, OutdoorExplore! celebrates the milestone of serving over 1,000 children at 15 elementary school locations in San Diego.
- 2008 San Diego Science Alliance Partner Award
- Program highlighted at 2008 "Best Out Of School" Conference (Palm Springs, CA)
- Program featured in cover story of Jan/Feb 2009 San Diego Family Magazine

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### Project Partners

