



Crafty Kids Program

Objective

By using creative imaginations, children will discover secrets of the Chihuahuan desert including survival, adaptations, and geological formations. With hands on projects, the visitors at White Sands will learn a key lesson about this unique environment as well as design their own keepsake to take home and remember their trip and the monument.

Lesson Layout

This program is designed for one instructor to teach a lesson for 30 minutes, and help demonstrate a step-by-step workshop on a specified craft. For a larger or younger group, another assistant or teacher may be needed to help with construction of crafts.

- Lesson 1: Leapin' Lizards
- Lesson 2: Kit Kites
- Lesson 3: Staying Cool
- Lesson 4: Snake Celebration
- Lesson 5: Owl Prints
- Lesson 6: Great Horny Toads

All lessons are suitable for pre-kindergarten and elementary students. With older groups, more technical vocabulary and lesson plans may be implemented.

Each lesson requires a table space covered with newspaper or paper table cloth.

*Pictures of the crafts listed above can be mailed to you upon request.