MORE ABOUT CONANICUT ISLAND SAILING FOUNDATION

Founded in 2000, by Bradford N. Swett, the Conanicut Island Sailing Foundation is located in Jamestown, RI.

CISF is a 501 (c) 3 non-profit charitable organization whose mission is to both provide and promote marine access, marine education, and sailing to people of all ages, abilities, and backgrounds.

In doing so, CISF hopes to develop the next generation of ocean and environmental stewards, as well as bring more people into the sport of sailing.



CONTACT INFORMATION, COST & DETAILS

Location:

Ft. Getty, Jamestown, RI

Age Groups:

Kindergarten to 8th Grade

When:

9am - 12pm (lunch at 11:30am) or 11am - 2pm (lunch at 11:00)

Price:

\$7-12 per student: 65 students max

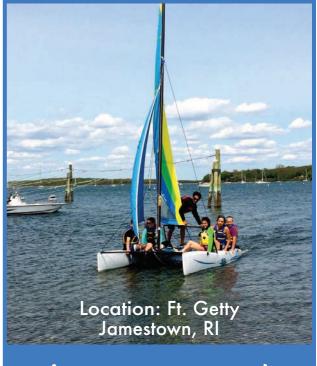
To schedule a field trip or if you have further questions, please email: CISFprograms@gmail.com



For more information please visit our website: www.cisf.info



Field Trip Guide Spring & Fall



Inquiry, project, and exploratory-based Outdoor Education for grades K-8

Programs for K - 4th

▲ Marshing Around K- 4th

Explore and learn about the unique and important ecosystem of a salt marsh at Ft. Getty. Learn about the different animals and plants that live in our back yard. We will investigate the salt marsh habitat by using different tools to test water quality, learn to use a seine net to catch sea creatures, compare the macro life to the micro, and explore the rocky beach! A day spent at the ecosystem marsh teaches us about our role and responsibility to the ecosystem.



▲ Simple Machines 2nd-4th

A fun filled day of exploring simple machines, specifically how they are utilized in sailing. The day will be filled with a simple machine scavenger hunt, land sailing, sailing on Hobie Cats (weather permitting), and other handson activities that show how simple machines are utilized within the marine industry. Adapted from US Sailing's REACH curriculum.

Any Grade

Customized Field Trip : Any Grade



Are you teaching curriculum that needs hands-on inquiry-based activities?

If so, contact us at cisfprograms@gmail.com and we will design a field trip for your class or grade. The program will include: highlighting curriculum specific content, hands-on activities, all while being outdoors in the fresh air! Increase student interest and information retention with our outdoor education programming!

To schedule a customized field trip: please email cisfprograms@gmail.com at least two weeks prior to desired day for field trip.

Programs for 5th - 8th

▲ Sailing Mechanics 5th - 8th

What makes a boat float? Students will experiment with how sailboats work. They will go to four different activity stations that will demonstrate the basic physics of sailboats. Students will test out different buoyancies, how sails work, different hull shapes, and actually go out sailing with an experienced sailing instructor (weather permitting). Sailing is part of Rhode Island's history. Everyone should feel excited, encouraged, and educated about the mechanics of sailing.



▲ Team Building 6th-8th

Get children outdoors, challenge them, and through team building activities encourage growth in core principles including leadership, confidence, and working together. Trained facilitators will scaffold the groups into 4-6 different group challenges that inspire and further develop effective communication, respect, cooperation, motivation, as well as trust in self and others.