

GCEC Summer Symposium 2025

Looking to go beyond the meeting? Fun and immersive activities are waiting for you at the Learning Campus at Gulf State Park!

Monday

- ▶ Scavenger Hunts
- ▶ Explore the Trails
- ▶ Organic Gardening

Tuesday

- ▶ Art in Nature
- ▶ Nature Journaling
- ▶ I-Spy Critters

Wednesday

- ▶ Eco-Art Classes

EXPLORE MORE,
PLAY MORE



Learning Campus

AT GULF STATE PARK



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Private Program Descriptions

MONDAY

8:00 AM to 10:00 AM - 40 spots available

Kick-off your conference week with a summer camp style competition! Test your adventuring skills with a team to find the most items in a scavenger hunt before everyone else. Then, join an environmental educator on a guided hike on one of the park's winding trails!

2:30 PM to 4:30 PM - 40 spots available

Wind down for the day by immersing yourself in all things nature! Explore our organic chef's garden and learn how to start your own with organically produced compost. AND learn about our wonderful world in a brand new way through sensory experiences!



TUESDAY

10:30 AM to 11:30 AM - 40 spots available

Explore the beauty of nature! Learn about the outdoor museum creator Andy Goldsworthy and creating your own outdoor art while practicing leave no trace principals. You will get the chance to create your own work of art in nature!

2:00 PM to 4:00 PM - 40 spots available

Experience nature like never before! Learn about sustainable gardening at the Learning Campus in a "Garden to Table" program. But the fun doesn't stop there! Immerse your senses in the world around you by learning to see, hear, feel, taste, and smell the world around you.

WEDNESDAY

The fun doesn't have to stop there!

We offer a plethora of experiences and unique learning opportunities here at the Learning Campus! After the conference, join us for an engaging Eco-Art activity: Oyster Shell Decoupage. Fun for the whole family, make and take your very own unique oyster art piece while learning about the significance of oysters in Alabama!

