Illinois Department of Natural Resources Field Trip Packs for Early Childhood Educators

Content Check List Please make a copy of this list before using it.

Backpack	Other Items
	AAA batteries – 3
Books	aluminum pan
Animal Tracks - Illinois	Audubon bird call
Audubon Society Clouds and Storms Pocket Guide	Bird Song Identifier
Peterson First Guide: Birds	Bushnell binoculars – 2
Peterson First Guide: Butterflies and Moths	compass
Peterson First Guide: Caterpillars	dip net
Peterson First Guide: Insects	forceps, plastic - 10
Peterson First Guide: Mammals	insect viewing cube - 2
Peterson First Guide: Reptiles and Amphibians	magnifying glasses – 5
Peterson First Guide: Trees	measuring tape
	observation container with magnifying lid and
Folder	grid on bottom
binocular instruction sheet	plant press
Content Check List	Port-a-Bug container
Field Trip Tips	sand sieve
IDNR Education Promotional Sheet	trowel
Instruction Sheet	
Natural Illinois: Birds	
Natural Illinois: Butterflies and Moths	
Natural Illinois: Frogs and Toads	ILLINOIS
Natural Illinois: Insects	}.
Natural Illinois: Leaves Are All Around	
Natural Illinois: Mammals	
Natural Illinois: Rock On!	
Natural Illinois: The Trees You See	DEPARTMENT OF
Out and about with Preschoolers: Science in the	N A T U R A L RESOURCES
Built Environment	
Out and about with Preschoolers: Sunshine	
Science	Illinois Department of Natural Resources
Poison Ivy	Division of Education
Top Ten Things for Early Childhood Students to Do	One Natural Resources Way
Outdoors	Springfield, IL 62702-1271
Wildlife in the Classroom	217-524-4126

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