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Enviro-Explorers camps begin in July

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"This is the 10th year we have offered the Enviro-Explorers summer camp, which is a favorite of the children we have come every year," said Ann Ratteree, a teacher at the Lowry Center. "The children have a wonderful time learning outdoors and working on projects indoors that enhance their understanding."

Camp Dates and Themes:

- Session I – July 6-16, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., "Kids Connecting with the World Around Them: Exploring the Environment Through Children's Interests and Ideas."
- Session II – July 19-30, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., "Woodland Wonders: Exploring Plant and Animal Life Outdoors."
- Session III – August 2-13, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., "Adventures in Architecture: Exploring Building and Creating with Different Materials."

The transition group (ages 2-3 ½) meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday for \$240, Tuesday and Thursday for \$160, or Monday through Friday for \$390.

The multi-age group (ages 3 ½ -6) meets Monday through Friday for \$340.

Before and after care hours are available for an additional fee.

For more information or to enroll your child, contact the Lowry Center for Early Childhood Education at (248) 370-4100. For more information on OU's summer camps, visit the **Summer Camps** Web page.

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