

# Blue Mountain Early Learning Hub Natural Resource STEM Kit Check-out Agreement

The Blue Mountain Early Learning Hub Natural Resource STEM Kit is to be used for teaching lessons about the natural world to early learners.

## Patron Eligibility

- Patrons must be either a child care provider, preschool educator, kindergarten teacher or work with an agency that serves children and families.
- Patrons must provide services in Umatilla, Morrow or Union counties.

## Loan Period

- You may check out the kit for up to three months.
- The kit is expected to be returned through the IMESD courier by the date indicated on the STEM Kit Check-out Agreement, which has been placed inside the binder. Please use the label provided (also inside the binder) and ship through the courier to "IMESD- Hart Warehouse."

## Patron Responsibility

- I agree to return all non-consumable items to the BMEL Hub by the date indicated on the check-out form.
- I agree to inform BMEL Hub staff regarding any issues with items (broken pieces, tears, cosmetic damage, lost items, etc).

## The Following Non-Consumable Items Must be Returned

### General Supplies:

- Instruction Manual/binder
- 20 collecting bags
- 20 whiteboards
- 20 dry erase markers
- 20 hand lenses
- Tools: Glue gun, glue sticks, hole puncher

### Grow as we Go Unit:

- Lesson Plan
- Lesson cards
- Life Cycle Match
- Baby animal pictures
- Life cycle cards
- Story book: Bumblebee Queen

### The Shape of Things Unit:

- Lesson Plan
- Grab & Go lesson cards
- Story book: Leaf Man

### Hiding in Plain Sight Unit:

- Lesson Plan
- Lesson cards
- Small replicas of prey animals
- Animal cards
- Story book: Animals in Camouflage

### Who Lives in a Tree Unit:

- Lesson Plan
- Grab & Go lesson cards
- Great Grandmother Tree Song
- Tall Pine Tree Poem
- Flannel tree and animals
- 6 socks
- Story book: One Small Place in a Tree

### Wildlife Water Safari Unit:

- Lesson Plan
- Lesson cards
- Story book: Over and Under the Pond

**\*The Blue Mountain Early Learning Hub is not responsible for any bodily damage caused by misuse of the contents.**

**\*Gentle wear-and-tear is expected but ALL parts/non-consumable items must be returned and assessed for damage.**

## Delivered and returned options:

- Pick up from the InterMountain ESD office in Pendleton
- Have delivered to an IMESD Courier location: [https://purchasing.imesd.k12.or.us/reports/pdf/courier\\_schedule](https://purchasing.imesd.k12.or.us/reports/pdf/courier_schedule)

**To return:** address the tote with the return label included in the binder.