2023 SEDGE ISLAND FIELD AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

JULY 20-22, 2023

New Jersey Fish & Wildlife is offering a 3-day, 2-night program open to **students going into grades 10 through 12 in September 2023.** This program is ideal for high school students interested in pursuing a college education in marine science or environmental studies.

During the program, students will learn about various research methods through hands-on data collection, learn first hand about local research being conducting in Barnegat Bay, and spend time keeping a scientific journal. Research skills learned at this program will be used by students throughout high school science and capstone courses, as well as within college level research and labs.

<u>Accommodations</u>: Students will share a bunk room while staying in the rustic Sedge House. The house is completely off-grid, solar panels provide electricity, composting toilets handle human waste, and a shallow well provides running water for washing dishes and hands. Students will not be showering during their stay. There is an outside rinse-off shower. View the Sedge Island facility by watching the <u>Sedge House Tour</u>.



For Students
Entering
Grades 10 - 12
in the fall of
2023



To Apply

- Complete the Online Application
- Email a Teacher Recommendation Letter to karen.byrne@dep.nj.gov

Only complete applications will be accepted.

Registration is limited to 12 high school participants.

All programs will follow current New Jersey COVID-19 guidelines.

Cost: \$300.00*

*Financial assistance is available.

Deadline to apply is May 1, 2023.

For more information or questions contact Karen Byrne at 609-947-1201 or karen.byrne@dep.nj.gov.





