



ATWOOD ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER

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Adventure Lies Ahead when our school visits Atwood!



At the Atwood Environmental Center, students will be active from “rise and shine” to “lights out!”

Depending on the teachers’ selections, students may participate in several of the following program units:

- Archery
- Astronomy
- Cross-Country Skiing
- Field Science Hikes
- Forestry
- Geology
- Map & Compass
- Native American
- Nocturnal Animals
- Outdoor Living Skills
- Predator/Prey Relationships
- River Study
- Teams Course

Disability-Related Support

We provide support for students with special needs after the normal school day ends. If your child has a disability-related need and you would like to speak with the Park District’s Inclusion staff directly, please call (815) 987-1610, or e-mail: inclusion@rockfordparkdistrict.org.

Accommodations

- Three kid-friendly meals will be provided each day in our dining hall, prepared by our cooks.
- Boys and girls sleep in separate climate-controlled dormitories with complete bathroom facilities.
- The Atwood Environmental Center is licensed and inspected by the state and county health depts.

Our Staff

- Atwood staff typically hold environmental science or elem. education degrees or are upperclassmen.
- Staff are proficient in First Aid, CPR and AED, and are trained and certified by American Red Cross, USA Archery, and others.
- Staff have criminal background checks and random drug screens.

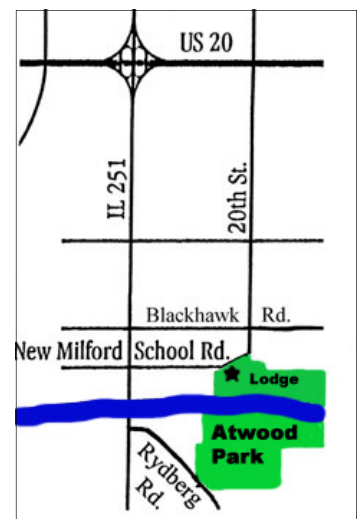
How Can Parents Help?

- Support school fundraising efforts
- Complete all forms as requested
- Volunteer to chaperone (see your teacher)

“This experience is always the highlight of our students’ middle school experience.”

“Staff made the activity fun and exciting with learning thrown in.”

“A wonderful opportunity to learn about the outdoors, Native Americans, see wild birds”



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