

Impact Report

Coastal Expeditions Foundation ensures that experiences with wildlife and the habitats we all share are accessible for all and provides opportunities to channel our collective passion for the environment into preserving and visiting these ecosystems for generations to come. In Summer 2024, we partnered with Kids On Point, an immersive, year round program that is focused on alleviating the resource disparity that many students in the Lowcountry experience.

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Eco-Excursions

Students explored vital coastal ecosystems by boat or kayak based on age

400

K-8 Students & Educators

Participating in the Kids On Point 5-week summer camp at 2 sites: Charleston & N. Charleston

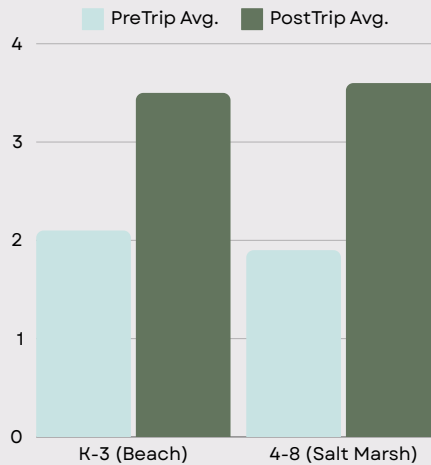
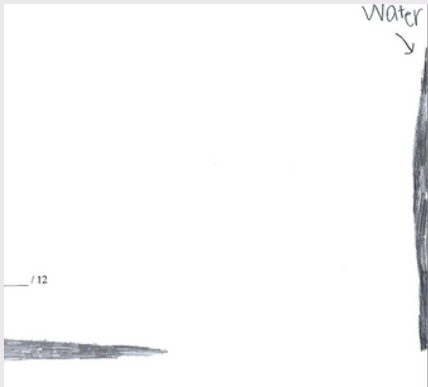
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Environmental Programs

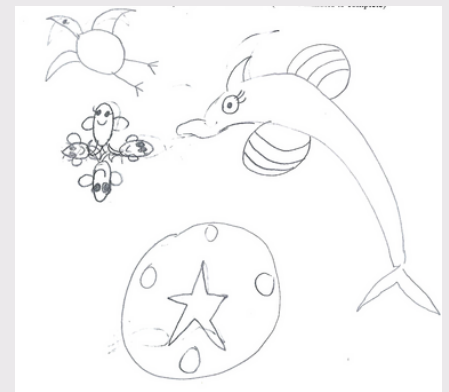
Learning focused on shells, turtles, crabbing & water quality based on student age

Increase in Eco- Knowledge

Pre- Drawing
Jordyn, Age 8

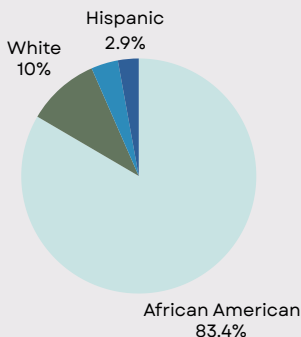


Post- Drawing
Jordyn, Age 8

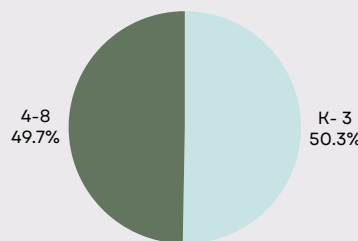


Our Draw-an-Ecosystem Test, prompted K-3 students to “draw and label a picture of a beach ecosystem in South Carolina” and 4-8 students to “draw and label a picture of a salt march estuary ecosystem.” These open-ended questions allowed students to create drawings depicting ecological knowledge based upon their experiences and observations during their Coastal Expeditions trip. Drawings demonstrated an increase in knowledge as a result of their trip.

Race/Ethnicity



Grade



Household

