



GRADES 6-8

Application 2020

Greenspaces Restoration & Urban Naturalist Team

Discover plants and animals and have fun on adventures in the great outdoors! Meet new friends, build leadership and teamwork skills and help protect the natural areas you get to explore. This is a **FREE** outdoor program and we take daily field trips into nature!

Dates

Summer Session: Meets Tuesday - Friday from 10am - 4pm

July 7 - July 24 OR July 28 - Aug. 14

AND

School Year Session: 1 Saturday a month October - April

Meeting Location

East Portland Community Center, 740 SE 106th Ave. Portland

*Buses 15 and 20

Who Can Apply?

- Youth currently in 6th - 8th grades
- Willing to get dirty
- Able to walk two miles on uneven ground
- Able to safely handle sharp tools
- Able to attend all days of the summer session

GRUNT is often competitive and volunteer spaces are limited. Priority will be given to eligible applicants who meet one or both of the following criteria:

- **Low-income** (as demonstrated by enrollment in Title I school, participation in Free and Reduced-price School meals program or qualification for other federal assistance programs)

AND/OR

- From a background underrepresented in professional environmental fields (people of color, people with disabilities, LGBTQ+)

STEPS for Applying

1. Complete the attached application.
*If you need help to apply, please let us know.
2. Turn it in by **April 15**.
3. You will get a **confirmation** from us that we received your application. If you do not then contact us!



Explore **your** parks & natural areas



Environmental Adventure



Environmental Science & Stewardship

Contact Us!

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Answer the questions by either writing or drawing.
You may write in English or Spanish.

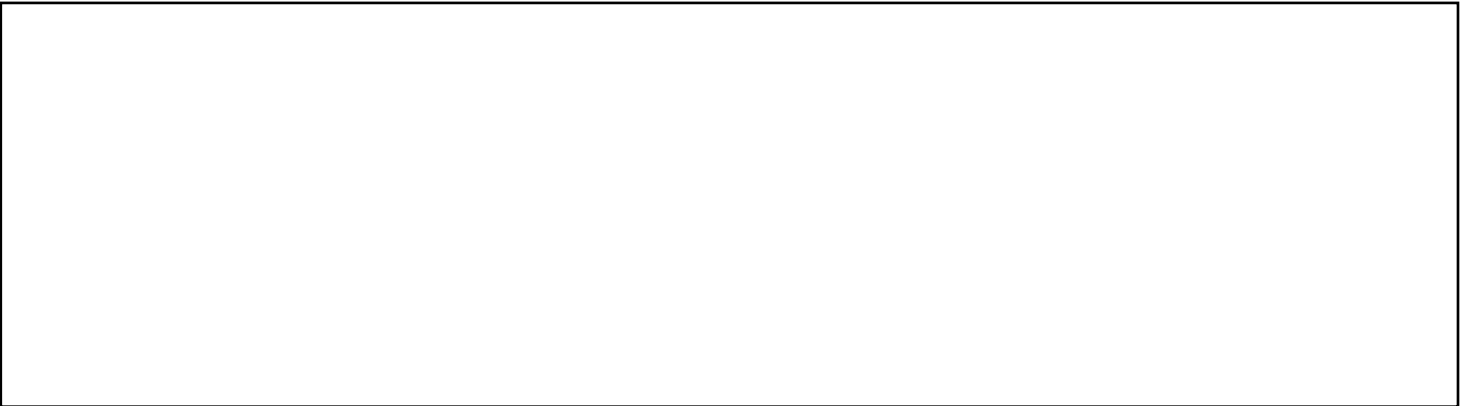
I learned about GRUNT from



I am interested in GRUNT because



Do you get to do fun things in nature? Why or why not?



Describe or draw your favorite memory of nature or being outside.

