

**2026 APPLICATION
DOWNEAST AUDUBON SUMMER CAMP SCHOLARSHIP**

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS: Students must live in Hancock County and submit this completed form, letter of interest and one teacher recommendation by February 28, 2026. Please check the scholarship for which you are applying:

Acadia Institute of Oceanography <https://www.acadiainstitute.com/>

- ☐ Introductory Science Camp for ages 10 to 12, June 21 – 26
- ☐ Intermediate Science Camp for ages 12 to 15, June 28 – July 10
- ☐ Advanced Marine Science Camp for ages 15 – 19, July 26 – August 7

National Audubon Society's Hog Island

<https://hogisland.audubon.org/news/2023-hog-island-camp-schedule>

- ☐ Mountains to Sea Birding for Teens for ages 14-17, June 28 – July 3

Hurricane Island <https://www.hurricaneisland.net/2023programs>

- ☐ Island Ecology € Marine Ecology for students entering 7th to 10th grade, July 12 - 17
- ☐ Island Ecology € Marine Ecology for students entering 10th to 12th grade, June 28 – July 3 or July 5 – July 10.

Please fill in all of the information below:

Name _____ Age _____

Address _____

Phone _____ e-mail _____

School Name _____

Name of Parent or Guardian _____

Parent or Guardian's phone _____ e-mail _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian (required) _____

Why do you want to go to camp?

Please write a letter about why you are interested in going to camp and tell us a little about yourself. Please limit your letter to 400 words or less, either neatly written, printed out or digital. Teacher recommendations should state how the student would benefit from this camp.

Please send this application, your letter and a teacher recommendation to:

Downeast Audubon, PO Box 1212, Ellsworth, Maine 04605 or deaudubon@gmail.com

All application materials must be received by Saturday, February 28.

Winners of the scholarships will be announced by April 1. Please note that the winners must **provide their own transportation to camp and all campers will be expected to write a brief summary of their experiences at camp and supply a photo for publication in the Downeast Audubon newsletter.** GOOD LUCK!

More info: deaudubon@gmail.com; <http://www.downeastaudubon.org>