Big Sky Science Partnership Culture Camp 2008 Schedule

Begin at 9:00 am each day; end at 4:30 pm on Tuesday and Wednesday; end at 7:00 pm on Thursday.
For campers: Breakfast Wednesday at 8:00 am; breakfast on Thursday at 7:30 am; dinner at 6:00 pm (Feast at 5:00 pm)

Tuesday morning

9:00   Effects of weather and climate on natural resources – CSKT Natural Resource professionals
10:30  Impacts and Solutions - Wedge Game

Tuesday afternoon – Two groups, concurrent sessions of 90 minutes each from 1:00 to 4:30 pm with break

• StarLab
• Blackfeet Calendar Stick - Latrice Tatsey

Tuesday evening

Optional night sky observation and storytelling – Beginning at 9:30 pm

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Wednesday morning - Two groups, concurrent sessions from 9:00 to 12:30 pm with break

• Seasons Model
• Culturally competent lessons - Salish seasonal lesson; Tipi, Sun and Time lesson with Gina

Wednesday afternoon – Concurrent sessions from 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm, teachers’ choice of 1-4 below.

1) Native plants – Arleen and Myrna
2) Basket making with Eva, Buck and Crystal – Mary Jane will get supplies
3) Making doubleballs and tournament
4) Stephen SmallSalmon on regional regalia – Relate to local availability and climate

3:30 to 4:30 - Panel of Elders – Cultural stories about stars, weather, and seasons
Sophie Haynes, Matt Michel, Louise Andrew, Mike Durglo, Sr., Pat Pierre, Stephen SmallSalmon

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Thursday morning – Two groups, concurrent sessions from 9:00 to 12:00 pm with break

• Tribal council meeting and Tribal greenhouse tour. Travel by bus leaving from Blue Bay at 8:15 am or meet at Beaverhead Building at 8:50 am
• Computer lab for observing software – Beaverhead Building Computer Lab

Thursday afternoon – Back to Blue Bay, lunch at 1:00 pm

2:00 – 4:00 pm  Phases of the Moon
4:00 – 5:00 pm  Teacher test
5:00 – 7:00 pm  Feast and giveaway