

Student Comments From Evaluation

What did you gain from your project?

"That no matter what people look or act like, they can still work together."

"I gained the opportunity to work with others as a team towards a goal."

"I gained responsibility and commitment because this program showed us that when you're responsible you are more trusted and commitment shows that you are dedicated and you will do what you say."

"I gained how to have good communication with someone I really never even talked to and about the importance of learning different activities."

"I learned to try things before saying I can't do it."

"I learned to work with others and listen. I learned to take care of our environment because keeping it healthy is what helps us to live our lives."

"I learned how to work in a group better. Before this program I didn't like to work as a group and now it helps me and it is easier to accomplish challenges."

"I gained unity and understanding with the people, places, animals and environment around me."

What did you enjoy most about your project?

"I enjoyed making a positive difference in the community."

"I enjoyed how this project made such a big difference in our school and how everyone came together to help put something so small together and how it became something big."

"I learned more about myself. I got to meet wonderful people and I feel great because I have made a great impact in life."

What did your WSU 4-H Eco-Stewardship staff do very well?

"They brought us all together and we became really close like a family. I even became friends with people I used to dislike."

"They were great leaders and great friends. They communicated well and gave us a chance to lead."

If someone asked you why they should or should not sign-up for this program what would you tell them?

"That they have nothing to lose and something to gain."

"I think you should because it teaches you about a lot, it is fun, you are happy, it releases stress and you will learn a lot about life."

"I would tell them to sign up because science looks dead when you read it, but when you experience it, it comes to life."

"I would tell them to sign up because they don't just teach you about our community, but about each other."

"I would tell them that it was my favorite program I have ever participated in and it is an awesome experience. It really broadens your perspective on the world around you. It is eye opening."

Other Comments:

"I'm glad I was able to participate in this project. Now I sometimes catch myself being more aware of my surrounding from the things I've learned."

"I just need to say that I really enjoyed being in the program. I wouldn't mind doing it again...and I hope that

you won't change the way that it is because it makes people realize how important they are and I appreciate that a lot!"

"Keep these programs running for as long as possible because everyone needs to have this experience and share it with others."

"This program is a good way to learn and have fun for students who usually don't like science."

"I know that in the near future kids are going to be wondering how it feels to be out in nature because they are rotting their brains with T.V, and video games and they need people and programs like this to take them into the mountains and explain how our ecosystem works. The best time I have had is in this program."

"I really did not want to do this program the first day, but as time went by I really enjoyed it. If I could do this program on my very own time I would."