

# WAJ Science Club Summary —#1

October 19, 2023

**4-H Program Manager:** Sara Poggi-Decker \* **4-H and ENR Coordinator:** Sam Hopson

**WAJ Teacher:** Jennifer Higgins

**Chaperones:** 3 \* **Students:** 31



We had a large number of students and beautiful weather for our first meeting of the 2023-2024 school year. Since this was our first meeting we took a nature walk and got to know the Siuslaw Model Forest a bit better.



Students worked together to come up with 5 words to describe this place. Examples included....



Trees, muddy, mushrooms, grass, shady, sunshine and pond.

Students also did leaf rubbings and practiced using scientific tools including magnifying glasses and binoculars. These are skills we will build upon in our future meetings.

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