Global Sustainability Project

Mr. Victor Nelson, Executive Director
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Global Sustainability Project Goals

• Students will develop an understanding and life experience with another culture very different than their own.

• Students will contribute their skills in sustaining their environment, both locally and internationally.
GSP Candidate Requirements

• Complete research project on the Peruvian Amazon.

• Complete 40 hours as a volunteer in scientific fieldwork or university related lab research as assigned by your teacher.

• Complete submit all paperwork and travel documents on time.
Amazon Expedition Video
August, 2019

by Paige Campbell, San Clemente High School
Video Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qNKM_2qSY2E&feature=youtu.be
Travel To Peru
First Day in Iquitos

Casa Morey Hotel

Dinner with Dr. Richard Bodmer
Travel to the Yarapa River – Day 2
Yarapa River Research Site
Communication and Emergencies

• Review Earthwatch Expedition Briefing.
• No cell phone service at the research site.
• No news is good news.
• Earthwatch 24-hour on-call duty officer: (800) 776.0188
• On Call International
  Emergency Travel Assistance: 1-833-819-2939
Scientists and Staff

Seven staff and several crew members are dedicated to the students.
Clothing to Bring

- Synthetic quick-dry or light cotton pants – (2 to 3 pairs).
- Synthetic quick-dry or light cotton long-sleeved shirts – (2 to 3).
- Sun hat & mosquito net.
- Light poncho or raincoat.
- Rubber Boots – knee high.
- Nonslip, closed-toed tennis shoes.
- Sweatshirt or light jacket.
Gear, Personal Supplies, Documents

- Spending money – Peruvian Soles (PEN).
- Water container (one liter).
- Personal medications.
- Sunscreen.
- Insect repellent spray.
- Small backpack.
- Sunglasses.
- Binoculars.
- Flashlight with extra bulbs and batteries.
- Biodegradable Soap & Shampoo.
- Antiseptic wipes come in handy.
- Passport, Visa, Emergency Contacts
Life on the Rio Amazonas - Food
Life on the Rio Amazonas - Cabins
Life on the Rio Amazonas - Travel
Wrap Up and Travel Home

- Evening walk to Mercado Artesanal Anaconda and Plaza de Armas de Iquitos
- Dinner at Casa Morey
- 6:00am Bus Ride to Iquitos Airport
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For applications and more information: www.picernefoundation.org