Guided Kayaking with St. Augustine’s Kayaking

For an extra special trip, add guided kayaking in Peterson Bay. The protected yet rich waters of Peterson Bay are perfect for beginning and experienced paddlers alike. Kayak over the intertidal zone you explored at low tide and get a new perspective on the coastal cliffs. View seabirds and keep your eyes open for sea otters, harbor porpoises, and seals. Single and double kayaks are available, depending on age and ability level.

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Just have an hour or day?

- Guided walks, hikes, or educational activities at the Wynn Nature Center
- Onboard Oceanography programs
- Creatures of the Dock Tours at the Homer Harbor
- Day trips to the Peterson Bay Field Station

Contact us soon to reserve preferred trip dates!

Coastal Ecology
Trips for Groups
Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies

How to Schedule

Let us help you create an incredible experience exploring the unique ecosystems of Kachemak Bay for your group. Whether you want experiential science education, adventure, relaxation, or a little bit of everything, we will work with you to develop an unforgettable trip.

Contact CACS Program Director, Katie Gavenus, by calling 907-235-1974 or via katieg@akcoastalstudies.org

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Educational Experiences
Alaska Coastal Ecology

The Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies provides engaging, science-based education through Alaska Coastal Ecology field trips. Naturalists will lead hands-on activities and guided exploration during tailored to your group's interests. Options include:

- tidepooling
- microscope labs
- scientific sketching
- forest ecology hikes
- geology exploration
- environmental monitoring projects
- marine invertebrate touch tanks
- local Alaska Native cultural studies
- ethnobotany & medicinal plants
- service learning opportunities

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Adventure & Relaxation
Along Beautiful Peterson Bay

The Field Station and the surrounding forest and beaches make for an incredible outdoor adventure playground or secluded nature retreat:

- mellow beach walks
- reflective solo spot time
- moderate to strenuous hikes with views of mountains and bays
- team-building activities
- nature journaling
- campfires & s’mores

Explore Kachemak Bay

For over 35 years, the Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies has been connecting visitors of all ages with the unique ecosystems of Kachemak Bay. From the remote Peterson Bay Field Station, we take guests through one of the most diverse and productive coastal areas in Alaska. Our welcoming and knowledgeable staff will open up a new world and deepen each visitor's appreciation and understanding of this very special place. Groups stay overnight in yurts, with access to the Field Station kitchen, dining area, outdoor teaching space, and fire pit. There are 5, comfortable, heated yurts that sleep 6-8 people each.