



OUTDOOR EDUCATION

Jonginenge offers safe, exciting and educational experiences for schools. Learners work in small groups and participate in practical tasks, environmental education and adventure activities. Our program offers different outings for each grade so learners enjoy a unique experience each year that they visit.

WHERE DO WE OPERATE?

Jonginenge is fully mobile and can offer our services at a venue of your choice. We are based at Nahoon Beach, in The Nahoon Point and Estuary Nature Reserve. We also partner with a number of local resorts for 2-3 day school camps. We offer half day (3-4 hours) and full day (2 x 3 = 6 hours) outings. We can accommodate up to a whole grade at a time.

GRADE R: BEACH DISCOVERY

Sand sculptures, introduction to rock pool sea creatures, sand boarding, beach treasure & shell collection, beach art (plaster footprint & sand sculpture), spacial awareness game, climbing the tallest dune to spot whales, dolphins, ships, plastic pollution... why and how we can reduce it.



"The art of teaching is the art of assisting discovery."

-Mark Van Doren





GRADE 1: THE RIVER MOUTH

Learners enjoy a canoe ride on the river with lifeguards, learn about sun and beach safety, the sandy beach cleanup squad, discuss pollution story cards, create beach art, study the estuary food web, shell pictographs and swim in the river.



GRADE 2: THE ROCKY SHORE

Learners explore rock pools, snorkel in Mermaid's Pool, boogie board, learn about the marine food chain and adaptations to life in rock pools and shell collection.



GRADE 3: THE SANDY BEACH

Learn to surf, sandboard, build 3D beach maps, and learn about dune plants and the sandy beach ecosystem, plastic pollution in the marine food chain, lifesaving and beach safety.





GRADE 4: THE SARDINE RUN



Discover the Sardine Run, known as the "Greatest shoal on Earth", brave the fear factor sardine challenge, use a compass to find your way, learn to escape the grip of a RIP, surf and/or boogie board, and solve sea creature conundrums.



GRADE 5: FOSSIL FOOTPRINTS

Hike through coastal forest and sandstone coves to the Secret Beach. Discover shell middens, ancient fossil footprints and the way of life of the San or "Strandlopers". Visit the Nahoon Point Lighthouse and look over the sewage waste treatment facility, learn about some endemic or endangered animals, sources of pollution, and include a swim, surf or boogie board.





GRADE 6: ESTUARINE WETLANDS



Visit the Dassie Trail Nature Reserve to learn about biodiversity, invertebrates in the mud flats, adaptations of birds to their feeding habitat, fish in the estuary, the mangrove ecosystem, medicinal plants, biggest threats to estuarine wetlands and enjoy a canoe trail on the Nahoon River.

GRADE 7: VERTEBRATES & INVERTEBRATES



This outing focuses on the classification of species into vertebrates and invertebrates. This is a detailed hands on rock pool study on a spring low tide and the option of snorkelling, surfing, boogie boarding or canoeing. Learners examine the adaptations of birds, invertebrates and fish. We also cover Marine Protected Areas and major threats to coastlines.





LEADERSHIP & TEAM BUILDING DAY

This excursion is for the future leaders. Focus is on the core concepts of team work and leadership. Jonginenge offers an activity circuit comprising 8 or 9 team challenges requiring communication, shared problem solving and team work. Important leadership lessons are learned from each challenge. We are able to accommodate the whole grade at one time.



Jonginenge takes very seriously our responsibility for the safety of the people who participate in our adventures. We have been operating for over 20 years and we have an impeccable safety record. Our team is made up of a qualified teacher, lifeguards, surf instructors and Jonginenge guides with level 3 first aid training. We provide a professional service, which enables teachers to arrange safe outdoor education excursions.

OUTINGS FOR HIGH SCHOOLS



GEOGRAPHY EXPLORER

The activity takes place in the Nahoon Point Nature Reserve and also covers coastal landforms, erosion processes, pollution and human waste management. This outing can include a water activity and/or learners navigating using handheld compass, google earth or aerial photographs.



LIFE SCIENCE ENQUIRER



Learners study the biodiversity of the estuary and/or rocky shore ecosystems. Concepts include classification of species, adaptations to habitat and diet, symbiotic relationships, useful & medicinal plants, endangered species, sustainable use of resources, and paddling canoes on the estuary.



Learners participate in Proudly South African Team Games and Challenges, which celebrate the wonderful diversity of cultures and ethnic groups within South Africa. The day is a celebration of our unique heritage and the amazing potential of the people of South Africa - "Stronger Together".

HERITAGE DAY ACTIVITIES



PROUDLY SOUTH AFRICAN TRIBAL MELTING POT CHALLENGE





ECO-TOURISM ADVENTURER



We can tailor make a unique excursion to meet your specific requirements and learning objectives. Learners explore our beaches, forests and rivers while canoeing, surfing, sand boarding, boogie boarding, snorkeling or hiking.



SCHOOL STAFF TEAM BUILDING

Jonginenge are also team building experts and we can facilitate a staff team building experience for your teaching and support staff. We have a number of exciting options to choose from.



HOW TO MAKE A BOOKING:

1. Contact: 0833052590 or jonginenge@gmail.com
2. We will issue an invoice based on number of learners and the duration of your outing.
3. We require a 50% deposit in order to secure your booking and the balance to be settled after the outing.
4. Once your booking is confirmed, we will send you a letter for parents and an indemnity form for parents to complete, which is part of our safety protocols.

