

Conservancy Kids

We bring the Sonoran Desert to you!



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Welcome to Conservancy Kids!

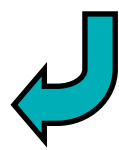
Become a junior scientist, exploring the natural world, asking questions, and making discoveries. Join us for an adventure that will take you outdoors, around the house, and into the incredible Sonoran Desert. Welcome to Conservancy Kids! We're excited to see you!

Geology Rocks!

When you stand outside, what do you think is under your feet? Rocks! Lots of rocks! If you look around your home and the Sonoran Desert, you'll find lots of cool rocks and formations that tell us about the natural history of this environment. Join Luke as he explores the geology of the Sonoran Desert!



Click to watch!



Let's be a scientist!

Geologists study the earth--what it's made of and how it was (and continues to be) formed. There are a lot of cool rocks to discover in the Sonoran Desert, even around our urban homes! Join Mike as he explores the rocks outside and become a geologist yourself with the video and lesson plan below!



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[Geology Activity](#)

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Connect a kid to nature



Nicole Kallman, Education Manager

Nicole loves science and exploration. In college, she studied physics and biology. Now, she shares her excitement about science with others, encouraging everyone to follow in the footsteps of Miss Frizzle: "take chances, make mistakes, and get messy!"

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Luke Challis

Luke loves science and being out and about in nature! He studies a lot about biology, ways of thinking, and philosophy. Luke also loves to teach and encourage kids and adults to always keep learning.



Mike Nolan, Geologist

Mike loves being outdoors in nature. He's especially interested in geology, and in watching birds and their behavior. He enjoys introducing people to the natural wonders they can find right outside their door.