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**DISCOVERY PROGRAMS**

Central Park Conservancy offers a variety of educational programs and resources to help children explore Central Park and develop skills for learning in the great outdoors.



*Discovery Kits*:

* Borrow a Discovery Kit for an in-park adventure
* Includes a backpack with kid friendly binoculars, field guides, kid friendly hand lens, sketch paper, color pencils and a clipboard
* Best for ages 6-10
* Groups of 5+ needs minimum 2 weeks of advance registration
* Group size limited to 30 students
* Families may get up to 4 backpacks without registration, ID required
* Free 7 days; Monday-Saturday 10am-3pm, Sunday 10am-1pm

*Discovery Journals and Exploration Guides*:

* Includes activities for kids to investigate the connections between plants and wildlife
* Filled with hand drawn illustration and a large, kid friendly map
* Guides include a map with suggested route and activities for developing the kids’ observation skills
* Maps of the North Woods, the Ramble, the Harlem Meer, Turtle Pond, and the Pond
* Best for ages 6-10
* Discovery Journals $2 each; Free for members; Group discount available

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*Pick up your backpacks at:*

**Charles A. Dana Discovery Center**

110th St. & Lenox Ave.

(2/3 train to Central Park North 110th St)

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**Belvedere Castle**

(A/B/C train to 81st St. Museum of Natural History)

 

**Chess & Checkers House**

Central Drive

(N/Q/R train to 5th Ave/59th St.)

 