

Ecology Excursion



OSU Horticulturist Karen Walsh Gentry, center, and Sara Smith tell students about the habitat demonstration garden.

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Students from Buff Intermediate School toured the Central Oregon Agricultural Research Center on May 17, during an Ecology Day field trip.

Visiting different learning stations at the center, students saw habitat plantings in the demonstration garden, learned about honeybees and pollination from Steve Harris of the Oregon Master Beekeeping Program, saw a weather station in action, learned to identify noxious weeds, and saw examples of backyard birds from East Cascade Audubon Society educator Sheryl Pierce.