



# FOCUS ON NATURE: Workshops for Your Students

Focus on Nature is a registered charity that inspires young people to explore and connect with nature through photography.

## What are the workshops?



Full-day workshops that come to your school



A unique incorporation of nature and art



Hands-on nature and photography activities

## Who are the workshops for?



Elementary-school aged children



Aligns with the Ontario Arts Curriculum



Adaptable for grades 3 to 11

## What is the purpose?



Get young people off screens and outside in nature



Contribute to physical, mental and emotional health



Improve focus, engagement and depth of learning across topics

## What do the students think?

154 students (grade 5 to 8) from 16 classrooms across 9 schools were surveyed

Reported that the **Focus on Nature program** changed how they see nature

70% of students

71% of students

Reported that **using a camera** outside changed how they see nature

Noticed more details when they had a camera with them

81% of students

90% of students

Enjoyed visiting outdoor places around their school

Felt proud of the photos they took

91% of students

85% of students

Where surprised by the photos they took

