

# Equipment Needed

## Overview



To participate in Focus on Nature Online, students will need to have access to a device to take pictures, as well as edit their photos. Students are encouraged to use any combination of devices they have access to at school or at home. If students do not have access to a device, please see our Community Camera Collection Tool Kit for guidance on gathering equipment.

Below you will find a list of recommended devices:

## Recommended Devices



### Camera options:

One of the below options is needed:

#### **Digital camera:**

- Point and shoot digital cameras or DSLRs are adequate
- Any cables, chargers and batteries should be included
- Ensure the camera has internal memory, or a cleared memory card
  - We recommend a memory card with at least 4GB
- Recommended brands:
  - Panasonic Lumix (we use these in our workshops)
  - Canon
  - Nikon
  - Sony
  - Fujifilm

## **Camera phone:**

- Smart phones with a camera are recommended for best results
- A charger and any additional cords should be included
- If using a donated device, ensure phone is factory reset before use
- Students should turn phones to airplane mode to focus on taking pictures when outside

## **Tablet (with camera)**

- A charger and any additional cords should be included
- If using a donated device, ensure tablet is factory reset before use
- Students should turn tablets to airplane mode to focus on taking pictures

### **Device for photo editing**

**One** of the devices below is needed

- Computer, laptop, or Chromebook
  - This is our first recommendation, as students can view and edit their photos with more detail and accuracy
- Smartphone
- Tablet