Overview: Participants will learn in the classroom and outdoors about the intricate coastal and marine ecosystems of the Southern Florida areas. Weather permitting, camping overnight on one of the islands is one of the highlights of this trip. Environmental stewardship, marine wildlife and community outreach are the themes for this hands on, outdoor experience!

Day-to-Day: Each day will include coastal cleanup and environmental restoration of the surrounding shore from invasive species and exotic plant removal. Service will also include building oyster domes to provide habitats for marine life.

The Nitty Gritty Details: Participants will stay in campground cabins and will be provided with sheets. Meals are not provided by the housing or service sites but the group will be given a small grocery budget to purchase food and make meals throughout the week. Participants should expect to spend additional funds on some meals especially for travel days to and from St. Petersburg.

Location: St. Petersburg, FL
Price: $340
Price includes:
- Transportation
- Housing
- Program fees
- Tools/supplies needed for service

Transportation: Participants will travel by bus to Atlanta and utilize rental vans for travel to FL and the week for local transportation.

Housing: KOA Campground Cabins
Meals: Not Included

Social Justice Issue: Environmental, Preservation

Physicality Level: Medium/High