

M.U.M.S. Receives International Paper Grant

Recently, Morris Upchurch Middle School Science Department applied and received a grant from the International Paper Foundation for over \$3700 which will allow teachers and students to travel to Caddo Lake State Park for a day of outdoor environmental learning that cannot take place in a traditional classroom setting. Students will be engaged in hands-on learning while on the trip, that will take place in May. Students will participate in making and identifying animal tracks from the area, a guided hike with the outdoor specialist in the surrounding forest, a guided boat tour of the lake and catching and identifying native fish of the lake while fishing. This is the fourth year the M.U.M.S. Science Department has received a grant from International Paper for this educational trip.