

Field Trip - Sample Agenda

Below is a rough idea of a typical first field trip to a golf course. It can be modified depending upon the number of students and topics that the teacher and golf course superintendent wish to cover. Typically, each learning lab lasts 15-20 minutes. Split the class into smaller groups, the teacher(s) are a big help here. We recommend no more than 10 in a group – this results in the best hands-on learning experience for the students.

| What | Timing |
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| Arrive, park, and assemble | T-15 min |
| Begin field trip | Т |
| Introduction to golf course, e.g., history of the club, terrain, stats. | +15 min |
| Activity – Consult with the teacher(s) and choose three to four labs to cover. A full list of First Green labs can be found on thefirstgreen.org. | +45 min |
| Conclusion (possible golf activity* on practice green, fill out surveys, snack) | +15 |
| Leave club | |
| TOTAL TIME | 1 hour 30 min |

* Golf activity could be a simple putting contest on a practice green. Including a golf activity can extend the field trip time by 15-30 minutes.