

**TRIBES & TRADITIONS: NATIVE AMERICANS IN
ROCKY MOUNTAIN NATIONAL PARK
JULY 23, 2020
AUGUST 6, 2020**



**COURSE LEVEL: II
COURSE #s: S6085,
S6086
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INSTRUCTOR: FELLOWS

FEE FREE FOR CHILDREN AGES 9-12

TIME: 9:00 AM – Noon

LOCATION: Upper Beaver Meadows

Take Hwy. 36 toward the south entrance of Rocky Mountain National Park. After passing through the Beaver Meadows entrance station, continue straight ahead on Hwy. 36 as it curves to the right. You will see a sign which reads “Upper Beaver Meadows.” Turn left and follow the dirt road all the way to the end (two miles). Meet the instructor by the restrooms near the parking lot.

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Long before us, Native Americans called this place home. Through this fun exploration through time, children will be able to experience part of what life was like for the Native children that lived in this area long ago! Kids will learn how Natives started their day, what they ate, and their daily chores. They will learn and play a few of the games that some of the earliest settlers loved. Participants will learn a basic understanding of which Native people once lived in what is now Rocky Mountain National Park, and what life was like for those Natives both long ago as well as today.

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Short-distance walks throughout the day primarily on level terrain

TENTATIVE COURSE SCHEDULE:

9:00 AM Meet and greet.
9:15 AM Intro to daily life as an early Native.
10:15 AM Snack: Native American food tasting
10:30 AM Games of the Native peoples
12:00 Noon Parents pick up children at the drop-off location.

REMEMBER TO BRING:

- Snacks & water
- Rain gear
- Sunscreen and hat
- Hiking shoes
- Your curiosity!

REFUND POLICY:

Cancellations received at least 14 days prior to the start of a class will qualify for a refund minus a cancellation fee of \$25 per participant for a one-day class, \$50 for a multi-day class, \$5 per kid’s class and \$15 per half-day class or bus tour seat. Registration money transferred to another class will be subject to a \$10 switch fee. Cancellations received less than 14 days prior to the start of a class or bus tour will not generate a refund. If the Field Institute cancels a class, every effort will be made to place the participant in another class; otherwise, a full refund will be given.