

# Kroka Expeditions

## New Hampshire/Vermont Semester

### Projected Tuition and Fees

(as of May 2011)

<b>Application fee</b>	<i>Covers the administrative cost of processing your application, ensures to us your genuine interest in considering this program. (Non refundable)</i>	\$100
<b>Tuition</b>	<i>Covers the cost of planning and administering the entire program, including marketing, teaching, and administrative staffing, insurance and food and equipment that will be shared by the group</i>	\$14,000
<b>Materials Fee</b>	<i>Students will be crafting items for use on the semester. Including hand made knives with sheath, mitten shells, anorak, moccasins, paddle, pack basket, as well as other handwork materials. These items will go home with the students upon the completion of the program.</i>	\$450 <i>Approximate</i>
<b>Required Equipment &amp; Gear Purchase</b>	<i>Students are required to purchase a standard set of equipment from our camp store and partner vendors. For example: Skis, axe, boots, gaiters, etc. These items will go home with the student upon the completion of the program.</i>	\$600 <i>Approximate</i>
<b>Required Donations</b>	<i>We collect donations from the parents and make a single consolidated gift to these important organizations: Upper Valley Land Trust, Connecticut River Watershed, and the Catamount Trail Association</i>	\$200
<b>Student Account</b>	<i>Used to pay any incidental personal expenses that arise for each student during the program. Some student account money will be pooled and used together by the group for special food &amp; entertainment. Unused money will be refunded at the completion of the program.</i>	\$200
<b>Optional Gear &amp; Equipment Purchase</b>	<i>Each student will need to arrive at the program with certain personal clothing and equipment. Perhaps your student is already well-outfitted for this type of expedition, but if not, be prepared to invest in a backpack, winter clothing, and other personal items. Kroka will recommend types and brands of equipment, and some items are available in our camp store. The personal equipment will vary from student to student, depending on what each person already owns,</i>	<i>Varies</i>

# Kroka Expeditions Hampshire/Ecuador Semester Projected Tuition and Fees

(as of January 2011)

<b>Application Fee</b>	<i>Covers the administrative cost of processing your application, ensures to us your genuine interest in considering this program. (Non refundable)</i>	\$100
<b>Tuition</b>	<i>Covers the cost of planning and administering the entire program, including marketing, teaching, and administrative staffing, insurance and food and equipment that will be shared by the group.</i>	\$12,500
<b>Materials Fee</b>	<i>Students will be crafting items for use on the semester. These items include hand made knives with sheath, felted hat or vest, semester book leather cover, machete sheath, tattoo pants and embroidered shirts. Shiwakotcha basket as well as other handwork materials. These items will go home with the students upon the completion of the program.</i>	\$450 Approximate
<b>Required Gear &amp; Equipment Purchase</b>	<i>Students are required to purchase a standard set of equipment from our camp store and partner vendors. For example: machete, knife, compass, etc.. These items will go home with the student upon the completion of the program.</i>	\$300 Approximate
<b>Student Account</b>	<i>Used to pay any incidental personal expenses that arise for each student during the program. Some student account money will be pooled and used together by the group for special food &amp; entertainment. Unused money will be refunded at the completion of the program.</i>	\$200
<b>Optional Gear &amp; Equipment Purchase</b>	<i>Each student will need to arrive at the program with certain personal clothing and equipment. Perhaps your student is already well-outfitted for this type of expedition, but if not, be prepared to invest in backpack, mountaineering boots, expedition clothing and gear, and other personal items. Kroka will recommend types and brands of equipment, and some items are available in our camp store. <u>Check with Kroka before you purchase any equipment.</u> The personal equipment will vary from student to student, depending on what each person already owns,</i>	Varies
<b>Transportation Fee</b>	<i>Airfare, airport tax and other Ecuador transportation</i>	Up to \$1200 approximate

# Kroka Expeditions Semester Programs

## Financial Information

### **Costs**

The cost of the program is divided between tuition and other fees. Our aim is to make the program affordable to all, and we charge less than the majority of other comparable experiential outdoor programs.

### **Payment Plans**

A \$2,000 deposit is required upon acceptance into the program (before the financial aid decisions are made). This deposit is refundable up until 60 days prior to the program start. The remaining payments are typically spread out over a period of months, on a schedule that meets your needs, with all tuition and fees due prior to the completion of the program.

### **Financial Aid**

Kroka Expeditions is a financial needs-blind institution, with financial aid decisions made after admissions decisions. We are committed to allowing participation to everyone regardless of income. Financial aid ranges from 5% to 30% of the full tuition depending on the family income and circumstances and different payment plans are optional.

If you are applying for financial aid you must attach the following:

1. A completed Financial Aid Form
2. Your recent tax form
3. If parents are separated or divorced, you must provide a letter explaining each parent's responsibility towards child support and educational expenses and supply tax forms for both parents.

### **Public School Funding:**

Some school districts will pay some or all of our tuition costs. Check with your local school district.

### **Fundraising Support Package:**

We have fundraising support package for individual families with ideas on how to accomplish raising part of the tuition. In the past, a number of students raised over half of their tuition through small \$25 donations.