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Quest for the Mountain Top

Day Program for Grade 5-10

10:50 AM	**Ferry arrives at Sturdies Bay, Galiano Island from Tsawwassen**. Click here for BC Ferry schedules
10:50 – 11:05	**Load bus and drive to Mt. Galiano.** Need on-island transportation? Rent our bus! Seats up to 54 small students or 36 adults.
11:05 – 11:35	**Welcome, Intro and Snack** Please note food for lunch and snacks is not provided by the Galiano Conservancy
11:35 – 12:35	**Hike up Mt. Galiano (311m high).** 5.6 Km round trip hike up a beautiful forest ecosystem and arrive at a breathtaking view of the southern gulf island and in to the San Juan Islands.
12:35 – 1:00	**LUNCH at Mt Galiano Peak**
1:00 – 1:55	**Gary Oak Ecosystem Teaching Train** Discover the complexity and beauty of this fragile Garry oak ecosystems. Students will learn and teach each other through an interactive teaching train.
1:55– 2:05	**Snack break**
2:05 – 3:00	**Broom Removal and species at risk detective biodiversity game.** Get gloves on and get working! Cutting and removing invasive scotch broom restores this area to what it once was and encourages a healthy ecosystem.
3:00 – 4:00	**Hike down Mt. Galiano**
4:00 - 4:25	**Wrap Up at Mt. Galiano Base and load bus**
4:25 – 4:40	**Load bus and drive to Sturdies Bay**
5:45pm	**Ferry leaves for Tsawwassen**
6:35pm	**Arrive at Tsawwassen Terminal**