

DRAFT as of 20241205	2025 Spring FMN Training Class Schedule: Thursday's 6:30-9:30 PM Fairfax County Government Center - Room 120-C
Class Date	Topic
2/13/2025	Welcome/Opening Remarks (Introduce Board, Training Committee, & Hosts) Introduction to VMN & FMN / Roles of State Agencies Training Requirements: Attendance, Making Up Classes, and Certification Student Profiles: Brief intro and one unusual item about you (1min) American Naturalists Wrap-up and administrative details; Next week heads up
2/20/2025	Citizen Science Ecology
2/27/2025	Geology, Geologic Processes, Rock & Minerals Soils
3/6/2025	Wetlands Ecology and Management Aquatic, Coastal and Estuarine Ecology & Management
3/13/2025	Personal Stewardship for The Land Interpretation
By 3/13/2025	Complete Online Modules: Risk Management and Civil Rights Responsibilities in Better Impact
03/15/2025 9AM - 3PM	Field Trip: Riverbend Session 1: Geology, Soils Session 2: Stream Monitoring
3/20/2025	Mammalogy Dichotomous Keys Volunteer Opportunities (30 minutes)
3/27/2025	Herpetology Ornithology
03/29/2025 8AM - 2PM	Field Trip: Huntley Meadows Session 1: Ornithology Session 2: Herpetology
4/3/2025	Entomology/Invertebrates Climate & Weather
4/10/2025	Ichthyology Botany
04/12/2025 9AM-3PM	Field Trip: EC Lawrence Park Session 1: Fish Session 2: Botany
4/17/2025	Spring Break - No Class
4/24/2025	Dendrology Forest Ecology
04/26/2025 9AM - 3PM	Field Trip: Mason Neck Wildlife Refuge & State Park Session 1: Wetlands Session 2: Dendrology
5/1/2025	Virginia Biogeography Land Use in Virginia Urban/Suburban Systems
05/3/2025 9AM - 3PM	Field Trip: Weather back-up if required
5/8/2025	Student Presentations
06/16/2025 Chapter Mtg 7:00PM - 9PM	Graduation !! During the FMN Chapter Meeting.