

University of Kansas Field Station Schedule of Fees

The University of Kansas Field Station (KUFS) affords tremendous opportunities for environmental research, teaching, and outreach. Diverse natural ecosystems, managed habitats, experimental facilities, laboratories, classrooms, meeting rooms, and limited accommodations are available to individuals and groups whose activities are consistent with the KUFS mission. KUFS is administered and managed by the Kansas Biological Survey (KBS) at the University of Kansas (KU). The Kansas University Endowment Association owns most lands in the KUFS system. Operation and maintenance of the station is supported principally by the parent institution, the administrative unit, and by user fees. KUFS may in some circumstances be able to provide assistance or support to persons or groups lacking funds to pay user fees. Please contact the KUFS Field Office (785-843-8573) for reservations and information, or the administrative office (785-864-1540) for more details. Additional information about KUFS can be found at www.KUFS.ku.edu.

1. SITE USE

Research Students, faculty, staff, and others	\$10/person/day
Educational use	
University of Kansas courses	\$100/visit
University or college courses from other institutions	\$125/visit
Public service and outreach, K-12 instruction	contact administrative office
Non-profit groups	\$100/visit
Non-scientific use or other uses Includes all for-profit organizations	contact administrative office

2. FACILITIES, EQUIPMENT, STAFF

Laboratory space	\$15-23/day
Use of field equipment (on-site use only) Vehicle, tractor, truck, water tanks, boat/motor	\$20-60/day
Field staff assistance Equipment operation, project implementation, project maintenance, consultation and guidance, or other services	\$12-62/hour

3. ARMITAGE EDUCATION CENTER

The Center includes a 550 sf classroom with movable tables and chairs (accommodates 35–50 people), an adjoining 325 sf entry room and a 250 sf kitchen, a small covered porch, and outside lawn area. Laboratory facilities also may be made available upon request. Charges may be waived for short term use of the Center in support of classes, field trips, and events.

University of Kansas groups	\$100/day (plus \$30 for kitchen)
Other educational groups	\$130/day (plus \$40 for kitchen)
External non-educational groups	\$152/day (plus \$50 for kitchen)

4. HOUSING

Sleeping cabin \$20-25/person/night for single occupancy (\$100-125/week)

Cabins are small, one-room units that are air conditioned and heated. Fee includes bed and access to kitchen and showers/restrooms in the Armitage Education Center; guests must provide their own bedding and towels.

PLEASE NOTE:

- 1. Fees for site use, facilities, equipment, staff time, the Armitage Education Center, and housing should be included in grant proposals.*
- 2. Researchers are required to consult with station personnel before submitting proposals involving KUFS.*
- 3. All requests for use must be made at least two weeks in advance. Fees and availability of facilities are subject to change.*

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