

Dierkes Lake Climbing Itinerary

- 8:15 am: Normal Arrival at School
- 8:25 am: **Meet in the Cafeteria**
- 8:40 am: Depart Middle School
- 10:10 am: Arrive at Dierkes Lake & have an orientation and demonstration meeting.
- 11:00 am: All students climbing (students eat lunch during this time)
- 1:00 pm: Optional Hike or Plein Air Watercolor for students who are done climbing
- 2:30 pm Wrap up/Debrief load buses
- 2:45 pm *Depart Dierkes for WRMS*
- 4:15 pm Arrive at WRMS/students help with unloading gear unless
- 4:30 pm *Pick Up - parent or other transportation necessary***

What to wear:

- Comfortable shoes for hiking
(climbing shoes and all climbing equipment are provided)
- Loose, comfortable clothing for movement.

What to bring in your backpack:

- A lunch (*sack lunches can be ordered from the kitchen with a days notice see Ms. O'Brien*)
- 1 quart of water (no soda or energy drinks please) Refills available on trip.
- Light nylon rain/windbreaker jacket
- Sunscreen and/or a sun hat
- Optional: Personal climbing harness, shoes.

Note: We'll be collecting your cell phones and other electronics prior to boarding the bus so you may want to bring a book for the hour and a half ride.