

**Instructional Related Activities
Report Form**

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ACTIVITY TITLE	DATE (S) OF ACTIVITY
Activity #434: Fieldtrip to Santa Cruz Island	October 1, 2011

PLEASE EXPLAIN (1) DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY; (2) HOW DID THE ACTIVITY RELATE TO A COURSE(S); AND (3) WHAT YOU LEARNED FROM THE PROCESS.

1) 13 STUDENTS, ONE PROFESSOR FROM POMONA COLLEGE, AND DR. DELANEY-RIVERA TRAVELED TO SANTA CRUZ ISLAND AS A PART OF THE CLASS ANTH 490: THE SEA COAST THROUGH TIME. STUDENTS VISITED THE NATIONAL PARK VISITOR CENTER ON THE ISLAND. WE ALSO HIKE AND VISITED SEVERAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES ON THE EAST END OF SANTA CRUZ ISLAND NEAR SCORPION ANCHORAGE

2) THE COURSE COVERS HOW HUMANS HAVE INTERACTED WITH THE OCEANS AND COASTAL ENVIRONMENTS, PAST AND PRESENT. THE FIELDTRIP WAS INVALUABLE AS IT EXPOSED STUDENTS TO

1) A MARITIME SOCIETY (THE CHUMASH) THAT WE HAVE LEARNED ABOUT IN CLASS,
2) THEY WERE ABLE TO EXPERIENCE THE COASTAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE PAST AND PRESENT

3) THEY WERE ABLE TO EXPERIENCE THE DIFFICULTIES ASSOCIATED WITH TRAVEL AND RESOURCE EXPLOITATION IN COASTAL ENVIRONMENTS

4) FINALLY, 11 OF THE 13 STUDENTS HAD NEVER BEEN OUT TO CHANNEL ISLANDS BEFORE.

3) I NEED TO ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO EXERCISE MORE BEFORE UNDERTAKING AN ALL DAY HIKING FIELDTRIP.