



Redbird STEM Lab at AOPA Fly-In @ MSO – June 15-16, 2018
Missoula International Airport, Hangar 8-F

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Aerodynamics and Airplanes

Learning Objective: For students to understand why airplanes can do certain things and why they can't do others.

Description: A higher level discussion of the physics of flight.

Aeronautical Decision Making

Learning Objective: Understand the ramifications of the choices they make.

Description: Every successful flight begins and ends with good decision making. Students will learn a decision-making matrix that will help them make better choices not just in the airplane, but in life.

Aviation Weather Topics

Learning Objective: Students will understand the type of weather they will fly through, around, **or not**.

Description: One of the atmospheric constants is change. See what weather is flyable and what weather is not.

Form and Function – Aircraft Design

Learning Objective: To understand why airplanes look different.

Description: Aircraft are built for particular missions. Learn why certain aircraft look so much different than other aircraft.

Intro to Flight and Aviation

Learning Objective: To understand the benefits of becoming a pilot.

Description: Why should someone learn how to fly? This class will provide answers.

Navigation – Which Way? How Far? How Long?

Learning Objective: Students will understand the basics of air travel from A to B.

Description: You've learned how to fly an airplane. Congratulations! Now, how do you go places beyond the traffic pattern?

Stalls – The Wing is the Thing

Learning Objective: To understand why an aircraft wing allows an airplane to fly – **OR NOT!**

Description: For students to see the relationship between the shape of an airfoil and the atmospheric conditions necessary for flight.

Weather Basics

Learning Objective: Students will understand the genesis of all weather on the planet.

Description: Where does our weather come from? What types of weather do we have? And what are our weather considerations when flying?

Weight & Balance and Aircraft Performance

Learning Objective: Students will understand why there are limits to aircraft weight and its center of gravity.

Description: Ever wonder why more people don't fly with grand pianos? Find out why weight is important, but where we put it can be even more critical.

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