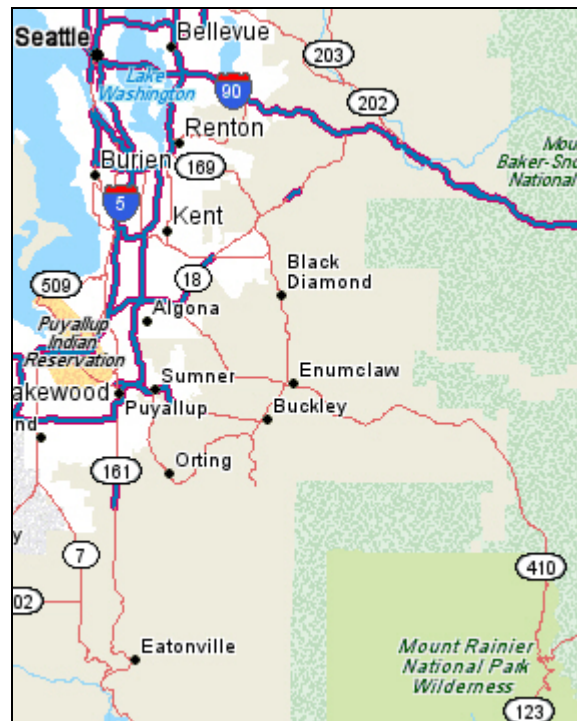
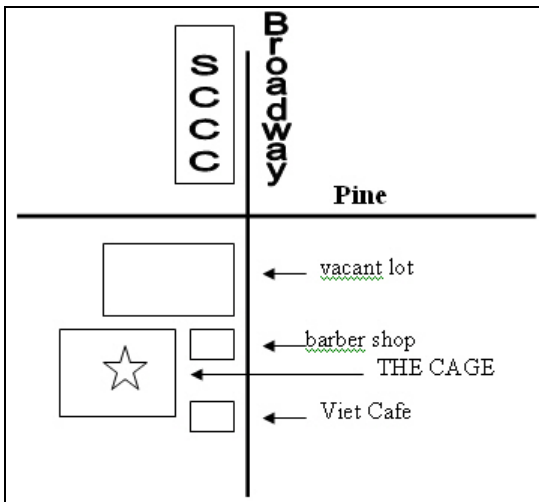


**Forest Field Trip, April 23 (Saturday) or April 24 (Sunday)
White River east of Enumclaw, Federation Forest and vicinity**

- Depart from SCCC at 7:00 a.m., return to SCCC at approx. 5-6 p.m.
- Depart from The Cage, the storage/parking area for SCCC vehicles. The Cage is located just south of the intersection of Pine and Broadway, between the barber shop and the Vietnamese Cafe. See map.
- Be on time for departure; we don't wait. Be careful where you park.....
- No alcohol or drugs on field trips. No smoking in the van.
- We will pick up or drop off people other than at The Cage.
- NO CALCULATORS, NO BOOKS.
- Turn your electronic devices to "silent" mode.



Detailed Time Table, Stops and Mileage Markings

We'll all be traveling in the rental vans. But here are the directions of travel for your own reference.

- Depart 7:00 a.m. from Seattle Central.
- Drive southbound I-5, eastbound I-90, southbound I-405 to exit for 169/Maple Valley road. Turn south on Hwy 169 into Enumclaw, left onto Hwy 410. Go east on 410 past the Mud Mountain Dam turnoff, which is on the right hand side. Travel 5.3 miles after the dam turnoff to the first, obvious, brand-new clearcut on right, squeeze vans in.
- **Stop 1:** Recent clearcut on 410. Arrive 8:30 am.
 - Discuss logging practices, industrial farming overview
 - Private versus public timberlands
 - Leave 9:15 am.
- Drive 6.1 more miles east on 410 to Federation Forest visitor center.
- **Stop 2:** Federation Forest visitor's center. Arrive 9:45 am.
 - Use restrooms
 - Measure trees in parking lot
 - Go on nature walk
 - Use restrooms. Leave 11:30
- Drive 9.2 miles east on 410 to Dalles Campground, gate on right, park one van on opposite side of the highway.
- **Stop 3:** The Dalles National Forest campground. Arrive 12:00 pm.
 - Use toilet and have lunch
 - Measure 5-6 big trees in campground area
 - Visit 900-year-old Douglas fir
 - Discuss age of lahar/terrace (time permitting)
 - Minnehaha Cr. debris flow deposits (time permitting). Depart 1:00 pm.
- Drive 2.7 miles westbound 410, just past overlook on left, logging road 72 on right.
- **Stop 4:** Visit to young second-growth forest. Arrive 1 pm.
 - Measure 15-20 trees.
 - Discuss negative impacts of logging roads.
 - Walk through "stick" forest and discuss understory. Depart 3:00 pm
- Return to Seattle, arrive at 5 pm, traffic permitting.