



**2016 College of Charleston
ANTH493
Field School in Archaeology:
Excavations at Dixie Plantation
4 Credits May 16th - May 31st
Meeting Mon – Sat 7am – 4:30pm**

This summer the Anthropology Program at the College of Charleston will offer credit for participation in an archaeological research project at Dixie Plantation. This property has a long occupational history (both historic and prehistoric). Focus this summer will be on the early colonial occupation of the site (1700-1750). This project is co-directed by Dr.

Maureen Hays (College of Charleston) and Dr. Kim Pyszka (Auburn University at Montgomery).

The course is intended to introduce the student to field archaeology. Students will be given the opportunity to apply what they have learned in the classroom to field situations. Aspects of archaeological survey, testing, and excavation will be addressed. Proper mapping and cataloging techniques will also be taught. Students will also gain expertise in basic lab techniques and artifact processing.

Students should be in reasonably good physical condition and be able to work nine hour days six days a week. Daily attendance is mandatory and it is strongly recommended that students do not work another job during the field school.

This course fulfills the Anthropology major Research Methods requirement and the Capstone requirement for the Archaeology major/minor.

Prerequisite: ANTH202 or permission of the instructor.

Registration

Because this course is taught in the field, spaces are limited. Please register early. Registration opens in the beginning of March. Currently enrolled students can register via MyCharleston. CofC

Summer visiting online application will be available later in March.

Information about Summer Sessions can be found at:

<http://summer.cofc.edu/>

Information about summer housing can be found at:

<http://reslife.cofc.edu/summer-housing/index.php>

COST:

In-state: \$1832 (4 credits) + fees \$15 registration + \$60 field study = total \$1907

Out-of-state: \$4756 (4 credits) + fees \$15 registration + \$60 field study = total \$4831

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<http://treasurer.cofc.edu/tuition-and-fees/charges%20Spring%202016.php>