**Due Date**:

Please submit the completed application by one of the following methods:

By Mail: Tuleyome, CalNat Training Program, 607 North Street, Woodland, CA 95695

By Email: Mary K. Hanson, [mhanson@tuleyome.org](mailto:mhanson@tuleyome.org)

Put “CalNat Registration Form” in the subject line

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| **First Name:** |  | **Last Name:** |
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| **Mailing Address (include city, state, and zip code)** | | |
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| **Physical Address, if different from mailing address (include city, state, and zip code)** | | |
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| **Home Phone:** |  | **Cell Phone:** |
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| **Email Address:** |  |  |
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Please respond to all questions and sign the **Statement of Terms of Acceptance** at the end of registration application. If you have any questions, please contact us BEFORE you submit the signed form.

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| **Organization / Affiliation of Student:**  Please let us know if you are affiliated with any business, school / college, nonprofit organization, etc. If none, enter **N/A**. | |
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| **Academic Credit:** Upon completion of this course, you are eligible to receive four (4) UC academic units (for a fee). Do you want to take this course for academic credit? You don’t have to commit to anything right now, but if you’re interested, let us know. | |
| Yes, I would like to pay the fee for the | No, I don’t need the units |
| four UC Academic units | Maybe. Tell me more. |

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| Please give your reason(s) for applying for the Certified California Naturalist program. | |
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| Briefly describe your outdoor, nature, or science-based experiences. Include any relevant areas of personal interest, degrees, certificates, etc. | |
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| Tell us about your volunteer experience. (Think broadly.) | |
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| Tell us what you’d most like to get out of the Certified California Naturalist training program. | |
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**Statement of Terms of Acceptance**

**Attendance Requirements:**

To become a Certified California Naturalist through Tuleyome, participants are expected to attend all classes and field trips. Only one class session can be missed, and the participant will be expected to complete make-up assignments at the direction of an instructor. Only one field trip can be missed, and the participant will be expected to complete make-up assignments at the direction of an instructor. Participants are expected to inform the instructor in advance if they plan on missing any of the classes or field trips.

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**Participant Requirements:**

Class participants are required to complete a “capstone project” either individually, with a partner, or in a group of no more than three classmates. The capstone project is briefly described as an 8-hour long volunteer project with a “deliverable” at the end of it, to be presented to the class on the day of graduation. (More detailed information will be given during the course of the program.) Additionally, class participants are expected maintain a “field notebook” to record observations, submit a minimum of five (5) observations to iNaturalist, participate in the “nature table” exercise in class, and complete all homework and reading assignments assigned by the instructors.

      Initial. I have read and agree to the terms of the participant requirements.

**Class Forms:**

I agree to print, complete, and submit to the instructor(s) the Demographics Information form, the Emergency Contact form, and the Liability Waiver form prior to the first day of class. The forms are part of the registration packet and can be found online at <http://tuleyome.org/projects/calnat/> at the bottom of the page under Additional Resources.

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**Digital / Computer Access:**

Communication to participants in the class will be via email; instructions, directions and documents will be sent electronically as attachments to some emails. Additionally, since all students are expected to post photographs and observations to iNaturalist, access to some kind of photo-taking equipment (camera, cell phone) is required. (Tuleyome has some cameras available for loan if you need one.) During the class, participants will be encouraged to join the Tuleyome Facebook Naturalists group online where students and instructors can post images, volunteer opportunities, and other information. Upon completion of the program, all participants will also be expected to use the web-based Volunteer Management System (available through the UC CalNat website) to record volunteer hours and access information about volunteer opportunities, activities and teaching materials. Therefore, all students are required have a valid, working email address, access to the internet via a cell phone or PC, and some means of taking and sharing photographs (with a camera, or cell phone with photo-taking capabilities).

      Initial. I have read and agree to the terms of the digital/computer access requirements.

**Class Payment, Textbook, and Refund Policy:**

Tuition is due and payable before the course begins. (Tuition does not include the cost of the required textbook, field notebooks or other personal class supplies participants may want to bring with them.) Please see the website ([www.tuleyome.org](http://www.tuleyome.org)) for information on how to submit your payment. Since the classes and field trips will go forward regardless of circumstance, there will be NO REFUNDS of any kind for tuition paid (unless Tuleyome cancels the course).

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| [Print Name of participant] |  | [Date] |