



ARIZONA PROJECT WET (WATER EDUCATION FOR TEACHERS) WORKSHOP FOR 4th Grade Teachers in Tucson, Arizona

Date: Saturday, January 21, 2012

Time: 3:30-6:30 PM

Location: TBD

What is a Project WET Workshop? It's an opportunity to learn about Arizona's water resources by participating in fun, interactive, classroom-ready activities. The activities, developed and tested by teachers, are designed to develop critical thinking and build an understanding of concepts by experiential learning. [The National Project WET Guide is correlated to the Arizona Academic Standards!](#)

This workshop will help you prepare your students to attend the Water Festival on Friday, February 10, 2012! The curricula cover the properties of water, the water cycle, watersheds, and groundwater, as well as an understanding of the importance of water to all water users. At the workshop, we'll focus on using inquiry, cooperative learning, and science notebooks to get your students excited about science!

Why should you learn and teach about water? Water is essential to our lives; most people can live no longer than three days without water. Water is a scientific wonder! Throughout history, water has been the deciding factor in how peoples settled North America, where communities were established, and whether businesses were feasible.

Arizona Project WET also provides a small stipend of \$80 to go towards participation in the Water Education workshop. Educators in need of such assistance should contact the program assistant, Ryn Shane-Armstrong, for more information.

Holly Thomas-Hilburn, the statewide Arizona Water Festivals coordinator from the University of Arizona's Water Resources Research Center will be leading the workshop. Come spend a day with us! **Thanks to the above sponsors, participants will receive free: the *National Project WET Activity Guide*, as well as other pertinent materials. Lunch is free!**

RSVP to Ryn Shane-Armstrong @ 520-626-9517 or rynsa@cals.arizona.edu, or register on our website: http://cals.arizona.edu/arizonawet/workshops/current_workshops.html#Tucson