



The National Great Rivers Research & Education Center (NGRREC) Invites You to Join the Project WET Illinois Team by Becoming a Project WET Facilitator!

What is a Project WET Facilitator?

- 💧 A facilitator is someone who is certified to conduct Project WET (Water Education for Teachers) workshops, helps workshop participants (usually educators) gain an understanding of how to use Project WET, and involves workshop participants in Project WET activities so they will become familiar with the materials and use them *after* the workshop.

Who can be a Project WET Facilitator?

- 💧 Facilitators have previously completed a Project WET Educator workshop and have used Project WET activities within their own program for at least one year.
- 💧 Successful facilitators usually have several key qualities: they enjoy working with groups of adults, they are comfortable leading educational workshops, they have some knowledge of environmental science and water issues, and they are willing to donate their time to organizing and leading at least one six hour, educator workshop each year.

How do I become a Project WET Facilitator?

- 💧 First, submit an application to the Project WET coordinator in your region. Natalie Marioni with NGRREC is the Project WET Illinois Coordinator (nmarioni@lc.edu).
- 💧 Second, if accepted, you must attend a facilitator training session. Only people who have completed the training session can receive materials from NGRREC and conduct workshops.
- 💧 To be considered an active facilitator, you must conduct or assist with at least one workshop or promotional display during the year following your training.



Project WET Illinois New Facilitator Workshop February 7th – 8th, 2014

When: Fri., February 7th (8:30a – 5:30p) & Sat., February 8th (8:30a – 12:30p)

Where: Shawnee National Forest, 50 Highway 145 South, Harrisburg, IL 62946

Registration Fee: \$50

Registration & Payment Deadline: January 15th (Wednesday)

Workshop Co-Facilitators:

Natalie Marioni, Project WET IL Coordinator
National Great Rivers Research & Education Center
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Application & Registration Form

To become a facilitator and receive the new guide, you must attend the *entire* 12 hour workshop.

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ County: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Organization/ Affiliation: _____

Educator Status:

In order to maintain Project WET Illinois Facilitator status, you will be required to hold a minimum of one 6-hour educator workshop each year. Are you willing and able to host one Project WET educator workshop each year?

When (year) and where (city, state) did you *attend* your most recent Project WET educator workshop? This New Facilitator workshop is limited to those previously trained as a Project WET educator in Illinois (other states acceptable) and have demonstrated the use of Project WET activities or by invitation and who have.

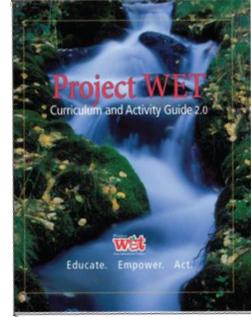
Year: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Approximately how many times have you used Project WET activities in the last 2 years. _____

Please describe your typical audience and use of Project WET activities at your organization.

Why do you want to become a Project WET facilitator?

Do you currently have the most recent (2011) full color, Project WET Curriculum and Activity Guide 2.0 (pictured right)? If you already have a Project WET 2.0 guide, bring it with you and deduct \$24.00 from your registration fees. Please make sure that your guide cover looks exactly like the one pictured to the right. If you are unsure, please call and we'll help you figure out which edition you have.)



Will you require CPDU credits from this Facilitator Refresher Workshop?

Do you need a Project WET Workshop invoice to process your registration payment? Invoices will be sent in PDF form via email.

Registration Fees

Project WET Curriculum & Activity Guide 2.0	\$24.00
CPDU Credits*	\$10.00
*Subtract \$10 from your total if will not be asking for continuing education credits.	
Facilitator Handbook and Resources	\$16.00

Total: \$50.00

Please bring \$7 cash for a working lunch on Friday. Do not include this with your registration fees. We hope to have the Friday lunch cost sponsored.

Please email this completed form to Natalie Marioni (NMarioni@LC.edu). Please include a copy of your registration form with your check payment.

Registration payment should be received *no later than* January 15th, 2014.

Make checks payable to: Lewis & Clark Community College (L&C)

ATTN: Natalie Marioni

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Godfrey, IL 62035

For credit card payments, call Natalie at #618.468.2783.