



SW Ohio Regional Workshops to
Distribute New Rain Garden Curricula
OEEF Mini-Grant F 10M-033

Rain Garden Lesson Guide Teacher Workshops

June 15, 2010 – Grades 3-8
June 22, 2010 – Grades 6-12

Are you interested in planting a rain garden on your school site? Then this workshop is for you! A New Rain Garden Lesson Guide was developed in 2009 as part of the Clermont Soil & Water Conservation District “*Partnering to Protect Water Resources: A Rain Garden Demonstration and Education Project*” OEEF General Grant F-09G-018. This Rain Garden Lesson Guide contains six project-based science and math lessons that take you and your students through the process of designing, installing, maintaining, and monitoring a Rain Garden on or near your school campus. The Lessons are divided into three grade bands (3-5, 6-8, and 9-12). All Lessons have been correlated with Ohio Academic Standards and use an inquiry-based approach to learning. A 2010 OEEF Mini-grant is allowing us to offer two single day workshops for teachers at no cost. There are also thirty \$100 stipends for teachers who meet the stipend criteria.

- Who:** Grades 3 -12 educators welcome! (formal and non-formal)
What: Hands-On Teacher Training Workshops
When & Where: Grades 3-8 - Tuesday, June 15, 2010 at the Academy of World Languages, 2030 Fairfax Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio 45207
Grades 6-12 – Tuesday, June 22, 2010 at the Hamilton County Education Service Center, 11083 Hamilton Avenue Cincinnati, Ohio 45231
Time: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Cost: Registration is free. Registration includes Rain Garden Lesson Guide, Rain Garden CD, other teacher resources, beverages, and snacks. Participants need to bring their own lunch. There are thirty \$100 stipends available but teachers must apply and meet stipend requirements.
Credit Option: One hour of graduate credit available from UC Center for Economic Education for \$190.
Registration Deadline: June 4, 2010

For more information or to register, contact Anne Lyon at alyon@green-acres.org or call her at (513) 891-4227 Ex. 1110.

Project Partners: Greenacres Water Quality Project LLC, Hamilton and Clermont County Educational Service Centers, Hamilton, Clermont, and Butler Soil & Water Conservation Districts, Mill Creek Restoration Project, Civic Garden Center, Clermont County Water Resources Department - Storm Water Management Division, and Ohio EPA Office of Environmental Education.



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Circle One: June 15th or June 22nd

Name	
Title/ Occupation	
School/ Organization	
Work Address	(please include street address, city, state, and zip)
Home Address	(please include street address, city, state, and zip)
Daytime Phone	()
Evening Phone	()
Fax	()
E-mail	
Audiences, grade levels and subjects you most commonly teach	
Special dietary needs	
Credit Interest? (circle one)	Yes No
Send Stipend Application? (circle one)	Yes No

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Return registration form to:

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- Registration forms for UC credit will be available at the registration desk. You must have your payment with you. You can pay by check or use a credit card for an additional fee.
- For information about: Greenacres Water Quality Project LLC: www.green-acres.org