



Teachers on the Estuary: Investigating a Changing Environment
Application for Participation

Location: Wells National Estuarine Research Reserve, Wells, Maine

Dates: Monday July 10-Wednesday, July 12, 2017

Who should apply: Course is designed for middle and high school science teachers, though other educators are welcome to apply.

Application review will begin on May 30, 2017. Applications received after that date will be considered on a space available basis. Please send your application, a current resume, along with the completed support form from your school administrator, to Suzanne Kahn, Wells NERR, 342 Laudholm Farm Road, Wells, ME, 04090. Email: Suzanne@wellsnerr.org

Name: _____

School: _____

Grade taught: _____ Subject taught _____

School Email: _____

School Address: _____

School Phone: _____

Home Email: _____

Home Address: _____

Home Phone/Cell Phone: _____

1. Please explain why you are interested in the Teachers on the Estuary course. What do you hope to learn and do, and how might you apply the content and skills to your teaching?
2. Do you presently incorporate field studies, watershed, estuary, or climate change topics in your classes? If yes, how do you include these topics in your classes? If no, how do you plan to?
3. How will you share the information and skills you gain in this course with other teachers?
4. Please summarize your teaching experience.

5. Please briefly describe your dream teacher workshop. What would it involve and what tools, knowledge, and experiences would you leave with that could be incorporated into your teaching?

6. What inspires you to teach?

The following questions will help us in planning but will not affect your acceptance.

a. For which nights will you need lodging?

None, I will be commuting to Wells, Maine from home

Mon. night (7/10) Tues. night (7/11)

b. Are you able to bring a laptop to use for the workshop in July? Yes No Maybe



School Administrator Confirmation of Support

I support the participation of _____ in the Teachers on the Estuary professional development course July 10-12, 2017 at the Wells National Estuarine Research Reserve in Wells, Maine, and will support greater implementation of coastal topics into her/his curriculum starting in the Fall of 2017.

Please provide your written recommendation here (minimum of one paragraph):

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Title: _____