

WONDERS OF WETLANDS

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.4.D
 4.1.7.D, 4.8.7.A
 Science and Technology: 3.2.4.A, 3.2.4.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Introducing Wetlands (Multiple activities – Education Standards, Teaching Strategies, and Multiple Intelligences vary)	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.4.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different kinds of wetlands. ▪ Identify plants and animals found in wetlands. <p>4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. ▪ Describe different types of wetlands. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compare and contrast how people use natural resources throughout the world. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Distinguish between a scientific fact and a belief. ▪ Relate how new information can change existing perceptions. <p>3.2.4.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recognize observational descriptors from each of the five senses. 	<p>Geography <i>The Interactions Between People and Places</i> 7.4.6.A</p> <p>Arts and Humanities <i>Production, Performance and Exhibition of Dance, Music, Theatre, and Visual Arts</i> 9.1.5.B</p> <p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Reading Critically in All Content Areas</i> 1.2.5.A. <i>Types of Writing</i> 1.4.5.B. <i>Research</i> 1.8.5.B</p>	Art Form Brainstorm Discovery Hands-on Listening Observation Research Sensory Writing	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Musical/Rhythmic Naturalist Interpersonal Intrapersonal	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.4.C
 Science and Technology: 3.2.4.B

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Let the Cattail Out of the Bag!	<i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.4.D <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different kinds of wetlands. ▪ Identify plants and animals found in wetlands. 	<i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.4.B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recognize observational descriptors from each of the five senses. ▪ Use observations to develop a descriptive vocabulary. 		Hands-on Observation Sensory	Verbal/Linguistic Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.4.D, 4.3.4.C, 4.6.4.A
 4.1.7.D, 4.7.7.A
 Science and Technology: 3.3.7.A

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Wetlands in the Classroom!	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.4.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different kinds of wetlands. ▪ Identify plants and animals found in wetlands. ▪ Explain wetlands as habitats for plants and animals. <p>4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. ▪ Describe different types of wetlands. <p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.4.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify some of the organisms that live together in an ecosystem. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify a simple ecosystem and its living and nonliving components. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered</i></p>	<p><i>Biological Science</i> 3.3.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe how the structures of living things help them function in unique ways. ▪ Account for adaptations among organisms that live in a particular environment. 	<p>Arts and Humanities <i>Production, Performance and Exhibition of Dance, Music, Theatre, and Visual Arts</i> 9.1.5.B</p> <p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Speaking and Listening</i> 1.6.5.C</p>	<p>Art Form Hands-on Research Model</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

and Extinct Species

4.7.7.A

- Select an ecosystem and describe different plants and animals that live there.

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D
 4.1.10.D
 Science and Technology:

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Wetland Metaphors	<i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe the different functions of a wetland. 4.1.10.D <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe wetlands in terms of their effects (e.g. habitat, flood, buffer zones, prevention areas, nurseries, food production areas). 		Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Speaking and Listening</i> 1.6.8.D	Classification Simulation Small group	Verbal/Linguistic Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D
 Science and Technology: 3.1.7.C

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Wetland Habitats	<i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe different types of wetlands. ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. 	<i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different forms of patterns and use them to group and classify specific objects. ▪ Identify repeating structure patterns. 	Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Learning to Read Independently</i> 1.1.8.D	Analyzing Classification Comparison Identification Reading	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Naturalist	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.6.7.A, 4.7.7.A, 4.7.7.B
 Science and Technology: 3.2.7.B, 3.3.7.A

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Wetland Weirdos	<p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe and explain the adaptations of plants and animals to their environment. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered and Extinct Species</i> 4.7.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify adaptations in plants and animals. <p>4.7.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how an adaptation is an inherited structure or behavior that helps and organism survive and reproduce. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. <p><i>Biological Sciences</i> 3.3.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe how the structures of living things help them function in unique ways. ▪ Account for adaptations among organisms that live in a particular environment. 	<p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Learning to Read Independently</i> 1.1.8.G</p>	<p>Data collection Hands-on Investigation Observation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.4.C, 4.1.4.D, 4.6.4.A, 4.7.4.A
 Science and Technology: 3.3.4.A

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Wet 'n' Wild	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.4.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify fish, insects and amphibians that are found in fresh water. <p>4.1.4.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify plants and animals found in wetlands. ▪ Explain wetlands as habitats for plants and animals. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify plants and animals with their habitat and food sources. ▪ Identify a local ecosystem and its living and nonliving components. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered and Extinct Species</i> 4.7.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain why plants and animals are different colors, shapes and sizes and how these differences relate to their survival. ▪ Explain why each of the four elements in a habitat is essential for survival. 	<p><i>Biological Sciences</i> 3.3.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Know that some organisms have similar external characteristics and that similarities and differences are related to environmental habitat. ▪ Describe the basic needs of plants and animals. 	<p>Arts and Humanities <i>Production, Performance and Exhibition of Dance, Music, Theatre, and Visual Arts</i> 9.1.5.B</p> <p>Geography <i>Basic Geographic Literacy</i> 7.1.3.A</p>	<p>Classification Data collection Hands-on Identification Investigation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Identify local plants or animals and describe their habitat.					
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 Science and Technology: 3.2.4.A

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Whose Clues?	<i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.4.A <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify plants and animals with their habitat and food sources. ▪ Identify a local ecosystem and its living and nonliving components. 	<i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.4.A <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Provide clear explanations that account for observations and results. 3.2.4.C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Generate questions about objects, organisms and/or events that can be answered through scientific investigations. ▪ Design an investigation. 		Brainstorm Discovery Hands-on Investigation Identification	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.2.7.A, 4.3.7.C, 4.6.7.A, 4.7.7.B, 4.7.7.C
 Science and Technology: 3.1.7.E, 3.2.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Marsh Market	<p><i>Renewable and Nonrenewable Resources</i> 4.2.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how plants and animals may be classified as natural resources. ▪ Compare means of growing or acquiring food. <p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the complex, interactive relationships among members of an ecosystem. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain energy flow through a food web. ▪ Identify niches for producers, consumers and decomposers within an ecosystem. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered and Extinct Species</i> 4.7.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how living things respond to changes in their environment. <p>4.7.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify natural or 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe the effect of making a change in one part of a system on the system as a whole. <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. 		Classification Simulation	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

	<p>human impacts that cause habitat loss.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Explain how habitat loss can affect the interaction among species and the population of a species.					
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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.B, 4.2.7.A
 Science and Technology:

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The Wetland Gourmet	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. ▪ Describe the different functions of a wetland. <p><i>Renewable and Nonrenewable Resources</i> 4.2.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify resources used to provide humans with energy, food, housing, and water. ▪ Compare means of growing or acquiring food. 			Discussion Hands-on	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.3.7.A, 4.3.7.B, 4.8.7.D
 Science and Technology: 3.2.7.B, 3.2.7.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Marsh Mystery	<p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe different types of pest controls and their effects on environmental health. <p>4.3.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify land use practices and their relation to environmental health. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how human activities and natural events have affected ecosystems. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. <p>3.2.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Define different types of problems. ▪ Propose the best solution. 	<p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Learning to Read Independently</i> 1.1.8.G</p> <p>Health, Safety and Physical Education <i>Healthful Living</i> 10.2.6.E</p>	<p>Discussion Problem Solving Reading Role Playing</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D, 4.1.7.E
 Science and Technology: 3.2.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Treatment Plants	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. ▪ Describe the different functions of a wetland. <p>4.1.7.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the impact of watersheds and wetlands in flood control, wildlife habitats and pollution abatement. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. 		Demonstration Discussion	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial	

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 Science and Technology: 3.1.7.C, 3.3.7.A

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This Plant Key Is All Wet	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different forms of patterns and use them to group and classify specific objects. ▪ Identify repeating structure patterns. <p><i>Biological Sciences</i> 3.3.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how to use a dichotomous key to identify plants and animals. 	<p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Learning to Read Independently</i></p>	<p>Classification Identification Observation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Naturalist</p>	

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 Science and Technology: 3.1.7.C

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Wetland Wheel	<i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. 	<i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.C <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different forms of patterns and use them to group and classify specific objects. ▪ Identify repeating structure patterns. 	Arts and Humanities <i>Production, Performance and Exhibition of Dance, Music, Theatre, and Visual Arts</i> 9.1.8.B	Classification Hands-on Identification Observation	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

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 Science and Technology: 3.1.7.C

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Tracking Plants and Keeping Track	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how ecosystems change. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered and Extinct Species</i> 4.7.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Select an ecosystem and describe different plants and animals that live there. ▪ Understand levels of ecosystem organization (e.g., individuals, populations, species). 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different forms of patterns and use them to group and classify specific objects. ▪ Identify repeating structure patterns. 	<p>Mathematics <i>Statistics and Data Analysis</i> 2.6.8.D</p>	<p>Classification Data Collection Hands-on Identification Observation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

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 Science and Technology: 3.1.7.C, 3.2.7.B

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Run for the Border	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Demonstrate the dependency of living components in the ecosystem on the nonliving components. ▪ Explain energy flow through a foodweb. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered and Extinct Species</i> 4.7.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Select an ecosystem and describe different plants and animals that live there. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how human activities and natural events have affected ecosystems. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different forms of patterns and use them to group and classify specific objects. ▪ Identify repeating structure patterns <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Answer “What if” questions based on observation, inference or prior knowledge or experience. <p>3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. 		Classification Data Collection Hands-on Investigation Observation	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

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 Science and Technology: 3.3.7.A, 3.3.7.D

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Wetland Address	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. ▪ Describe different types of wetlands. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe and explain the adaptations of plants and animals to their environment. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered and Extinct Species</i> 4.7.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Select an ecosystem and describe different plants and animals that live there. ▪ Identify adaptations in plants and animals. 	<p><i>Biological Sciences</i> 3.3.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe how the structures of living things help them function in unique ways. ▪ Account for adaptations among organisms that live in a particular environment. <p>3.3.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify adaptations that allow organisms to survive in their environment. 	<p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Learning to Read Independently</i> 1.1.5.G, 1.1.8.G <i>Research</i> 1.8.5.C</p> <p>Geography <i>Basic Geographic Literacy</i> 7.1.6.B</p>	<p>Gaming Identification Reading Research</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D, 4.1.7.E, 4.6.7.A, 4.6.7.C
 Science and Technology: 3.2.7.A, 3.2.7.B, 3.3.7.A, 3.7.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Life in the Fast Lane	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe different types of wetlands. <p>4.1.7.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the impact of watersheds and wetlands in flood control, wildlife habitats, and pollution abatement. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe and explain the adaptations of plants and animals to their environment. ▪ Demonstrate the dependency of living components in the ecosystem on the nonliving components. ▪ Explain the importance of the predator/prey relationship and how it maintains the balances within ecosystems. ▪ Understand limiting factors and predict their effects on an organism. <p>4.6.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how ecosystems change. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Answer “What if” questions based on observation, inference or prior knowledge or experience. <p>3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. <p><i>Biological Sciences</i> 3.3.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Account for adaptations among organisms that live in a particular environment. <p><i>Technological Devices</i> 3.7.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Select appropriate instruments to measure the size, weight, shape and temperature of living and non-living objects. ▪ Apply knowledge of different measurement systems to measure and record objects’ properties. 	<p>Mathematics <i>Measurement and Estimation</i> 2.3.5.B</p> <p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Types of Writing</i> 1.4.8.B</p>	<p>Calculation Data Collection Gaming Hands-on Investigation Observation Role Playing</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.2.4.A
 4.2.7.C, 4.8.7.A
 Science and Technology: 3.5.4.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
A Drop in the Bucket	<p><i>Renewable and Nonrenewable Resources</i> 4.2.4.A (K-2 Option)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify how the environment provides for the needs of people. <p>4.2.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Distinguish between readily available and less accessible resources. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Locate and identify natural resources in different parts of the world. 	<p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.4.D (K-2 Option)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Know that approximately three-fourths of the earth is covered by water. 	<p>Mathematics <i>Computation and Estimation</i> 2.2.8.B <i>Measurement and Estimation</i> 2.3.5.A, 2.3.5.B 2.3.8.D <i>Mathematical Reasoning and Connections</i> 2.4.3.A (K-2 Option) 2.4.5.B</p> <p>Geography <i>The Physical Characteristics of Places and Regions</i> 7.2.6.A</p>	<p>Calculation Demonstration</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.B, 4.1.7.D, 4.1.7.E
 Science and Technology: 3.1.7.B, 3.2.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Soak It Up!	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain factors that affect water quality and flow through a watershed. <p>4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe the different functions of a wetland. <p>4.1.7.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the influence of flooding on wetlands. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Apply models to predict specific results and observations (e.g., population growth, effects of infectious organisms). <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. 	<p>Geography <i>The Physical Characteristics of Places and Regions</i> 7.2.6.B</p>	<p>Demonstration Model</p>	<p>Visual/Spatial</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.C, 4.1.7.D, 4.6.7.A, 4.7.7.A
 Science and Technology: 3.3.7.A, 3.5.7.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Salt Marsh Players	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how the physical components of aquatic systems influence the organisms that live there in terms of size, shape and physical adaptations. <p>4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Recognize the common types of plants and animals. ▪ Describe different types of wetlands. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe and explain the adaptations of plants and animals to their environment. ▪ Demonstrate the dependency of living components in the ecosystem on the nonliving components. ▪ Identify the relationship of abiotic and biotic components and explain their interaction in an ecosystem. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered and Extinct Species</i></p>	<p><i>Biological Sciences</i> 3.3.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Account for adaptations among organisms that live in a particular environment. <p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compare the effect of water type and the life contained in them. ▪ Identify ocean and shoreline features (e.g., bays, inlets, spit, tidal marshes). 	<p>Arts and Humanities <i>Production, Performance and Exhibition of Dance, Music, Theatre and Visual Arts</i> 9.1.5.B</p> <p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Types of Writing</i> 1.4.5.A <i>Learning to Read Independently</i> 1.1.5.G, 1.1.5.H</p>	<p>Reading Role Playing Writing</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Visual/Spatial Musical/Rhythmic Naturalist</p>	

4.7.7.A

- Select an ecosystem and describe different plants and animals that live there.
- Identify adaptations in plants and animals.

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.10.E, 4.3.10.B
 4.1.12.C
 Science and Technology: 3.2.10.A, 3.5.10.D, 3.7.10.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Water We Have Here?	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.12.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Interpret physical, chemical and biological data as a means of assessing the environmental quality of a watershed. <p>4.1.10.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe how natural events affect a watershed. ▪ Identify the effects of humans and human events on watersheds. <p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how human practices affect the quality of the water and soil. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.10.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe materials using precise quantitative and qualitative skills based on observations. ▪ Use process skills to make inferences and predictions using collected information and to communicate, using space/time relationships, defining operationally. <p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Relate aquatic life to water conditions (e.g., turbidity, temperature, salinity, dissolved oxygen, nitrogen levels, pressure). ▪ Assess the natural and man-made factors that affect the availability of clean water (e.g., rock and mineral deposits, man-made pollution). 		<p>Analysis Data Collection Hands On Investigation Observation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

Technological Devices

3.7.10.B

- Describe and use appropriate instruments to gather and analyze data.

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.6.4.A, 4.8.4.C
 4.1.7.B, 4.1.7.D
 Science and Technology: 3.3.4.A

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Nutrients: Nutrition or Nuisance?	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> Older students option 4.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain factors that affect water quality and flow through a watershed. <p>4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe the different functions of a wetland. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify basic needs of a plant and an animal and explain how their needs are met. ▪ Identify environmental variables that affect plant growth. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.4.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify everyday human activities and how they affect the environment. 	<p><i>Biological Sciences</i> 3.3.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify life processes of living things (e.g. growth, digestion, react to environment). ▪ Describe basic needs of plants and animals. 	<p>Arts and Humanities <i>Production, Performance and Exhibition of Dance, Music, Theatre and Visual Arts</i> 9.1.3.B</p>	<p>Gaming Role Playing</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Musical/Rhythmic Bodily/Kinesthetic</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.2.7.B, 4.6.7.A
 Science and Technology:

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Marsh Munchies	<p><i>Renewable and Nonrenewable Resources</i> 4.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Determine how consumption may impact the availability of resources. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Understand limiting factors and predict their effects on an organism. 		<p>Family and Consumer Sciences <i>Food Science and Nutrition</i> 11.3.6.E</p> <p>Health, Safety & Physical Education <i>Concepts of Health</i> 10.1.6.C</p> <p>Mathematics <i>Computation and Estimation</i> 2.2.5.A</p>	<p>Calculation Discussion Gaming Role Playing</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Bodily/Kinesthetic Naturalist Interpersonal</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D, 4.3.7.B, 4.7..7.B, 4.8.7.D
 Science and Technology: 3.2.7.B, 3.5.7.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Recipe for Trouble	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe the different functions of a wetland. <p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify residential and industrial sources of pollution and their effects on environmental health. ▪ Explain the difference between point and nonpoint source pollution. <p><i>Threatened, Endangered and Extinct Species</i> 4.7.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how living things respond to changes in their environment. ▪ Explain how one species may survive an environmental change while another might not. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.7.D</p> <p>Explain how human activities and natural events have affected ecosystems.</p>	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. ▪ Design controlled experiments, recognize variables, and manipulate variables. ▪ Interpret data, formulate models, design models, and produce solutions. <p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compare the effect of water type (e.g., polluted, fresh, salt water) and the life contained in them. 		Classification Data Collection Experiment Problem Solving	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.10.B, 4.1.10.D, 4.3.10.B
 4.3.12.A
 Science and Technology: 3.1.10.B, 3.2.10.D, 3.5.10.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Water Under Foot	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe factors that affect the quality of groundwater. <p>4.1.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe wetlands in terms of their effects (e.g., habitat, flood, buffer zones, prevention areas, nurseries, food production areas). ▪ Explain how a wetland influences water quality, wildlife and water retention. <p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how human practices affect the quality of the water and soil. <p>4.3.12.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the different disposal methods used for toxic and hazardous waste. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Examine the advantages of using models to demonstrate processes and outcomes. <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Examine the problem, rank all necessary information and all questions that must be answered. ▪ Propose and analyze a solution. <p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Assess the natural and man-made factors that affect the availability of clean water (e.g., rock and mineral deposits, man-made pollution). 		Demonstration Model Observation Problem Solving	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.10.B, 4.1.10.D, 4.3.10.B
 Science and Technology: 3.5.10.B, 3.5.10.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Runoff Race	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how vegetation affects storm water runoff. ▪ Explain how the speed of water and vegetation cover relates to erosion. <p>4.1.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe wetlands in terms of their effects (e.g., habitat, flood, buffer zones, prevention areas, nurseries, food production areas). ▪ Explain how a wetland influences water quality, wildlife and water retention. <p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how human practices affect the quality of the water and soil. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Examine the advantages of using models to demonstrate processes and outcomes. <p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Relate aquatic life to conditions (e.g. turbidity, temperature, salinity, dissolve oxygen, nitrogen levels, pressure). ▪ Assess the natural and man-made factors that affect the availability of clean water (e.g., rock and mineral deposits, man-made pollution). 		<p>Demonstration Discussion Model Observation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.10.B, 4.1.10.D
 Science and Technology: 3.1.10.B, 3.5.10.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Wetland in a Pan	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how vegetation affects storm water runoff. ▪ Explain how the speed of water and vegetation cover relates to erosion. <p>4.1.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe wetlands in terms of their effects (e.g., habitat, flood, buffer zones, prevention areas, nurseries, food production areas). ▪ Explain how a wetland influences water quality, wildlife and water retention. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Examine the advantages of using models to demonstrate processes and outcomes. <p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Relate aquatic life to conditions (e.g. turbidity, temperature, salinity, dissolve oxygen, nitrogen levels, pressure). ▪ Assess the natural and man-made factors that affect the availability of clean water (e.g., rock and mineral deposits, man-made pollution). 		Demonstration Discussion Model Observation	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.10.B, 4.1.10.D, 4.3.10.A
 Science and Technology: 3.1.10.B, 3.2.10.B, 3.5.10.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Water Purifiers	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how vegetation affects storm water runoff. <p>4.1.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe wetlands in terms of their effects (e.g., habitat, flood, buffer zones, prevention areas, nurseries, food production areas). ▪ Explain how a wetland influences water quality, wildlife and water retention. <p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.10.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the costs and benefits of cleaning up contaminants. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Examine the advantages of using models to demonstrate processes and outcomes. <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe materials using precise quantitative and qualitative skills based on observations. ▪ Use process skills to make inferences and predictions using collected information and to communicate using space/time relationships, defining operationally. <p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the components of a municipal/agricultural water supply system and a wastewater treatment system. ▪ Assess the natural and man-made factors that affect the availability of clean water (e.g., rock and mineral deposits, man-made pollution). 	<p>Mathematics <i>Computation and Estimation</i> 2.2.11.A</p>	<p>Comparison Demonstration Investigation Model Observation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	



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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.B
 4.1.10.B, 4.1.10.E
 Science and Technology: 3.5.10.A, 3.5.10.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Over Hill and Dale	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify and explain what determines the boundaries of a watershed. ▪ Explain factors that affect water quality and flow through a watershed. <p>4.1.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe how topography influences streams. <p>4.1.10.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the effects of humans and human events on watersheds. 	<p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.10.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Interpret topographic maps to identify and describe significant geologic history/structures in Pennsylvania. <p>3.5.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Assess the natural and man-made factors that affect the availability of clean water (e.g., rock and mineral deposits, man-made pollution). 	<p>Geography <i>Basic Geographic Literacy</i> 7.1.6.A, 7.2.6.A 7.1.9.A, 7.1.9.B</p>	<p>Demonstration Investigation Mapping Model Observation Problem Solving Small Group</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.6.4.A
 4.6.7.A
 Science and Technology: 3.5.4.A

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Nature's Recyclers	<p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe how animals interact with plants to meet their needs for shelter. ▪ Describe how certain insects interact with soil for their needs. ▪ Identify a simple ecosystem and its living and nonliving components. ▪ Identify common soil textures. ▪ Identify animals that live underground. <p>4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify niches for producers, consumers and decomposers within an ecosystem. 	<p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the composition of soil as weathered rock and decomposed organic remains. 		<p>Hands On Investigation Observation Small Group</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.B, 4.1.7.D, 4.4.7.B, 4.6.7.A
 Science and Technology: 3.5.4.B
 3.1.7.C, 3.2.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Do You Dig Wetland Soil?	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain factors that affect water quality and flow through a watershed. <p>4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. <p><i>Agriculture and Society</i> 4.4.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Determine how water has influenced the development of Pennsylvania soil types. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the importance of particle sizes in different soil types. ▪ Explain how different soil types determine the characteristics of ecosystems. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify different forms of patterns and use them to group and classify specific objects. <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe materials using a variety of scales. ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. <p><i>Earth Sciences</i> 3.5.4.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify and sort earth materials according to a classification key (3.g., soil/rock type). 	<p>Geography <i>The Physical Characteristics of Places and Regions</i> 7.2.6.A</p>	<p>Classification Data Collection Hands On Investigation Observation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Visual/Spatial Logical/Mathematical Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.B, 4.1.7.D, 4.4.7.B
 Science and Technology: 3.2.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
How Thirsty is the Ground?	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain factors that affect water quality and flow through a watershed. <p>4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. <p><i>Agriculture and Society</i> 4.4.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the importance of particle sizes in different soil types. ▪ Determine how water has influenced the development of Pennsylvania soil types. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. ▪ Communicate, use space/time relationships, define operationally, raise questions, formulate hypotheses, test and experiment. 	<p>Mathematics <i>Computation and Estimation</i> 2.2.8.B <i>Measurement and Estimation</i> 2.3.8.B</p>	<p>Calculation Comparison Data Collection Hands On Investigation Observation Small Group</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D, 4.2.7.D, 4.4.7.C, 4.6.7.A
 Science and Technology: 3.2.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
A Rottin' Experiment	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. <p><i>Renewable and Nonrenewable Resources</i> 4.2.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compare the decomposition rates of different organic materials. <p><i>Agriculture and Society</i> 4.4.7.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze the needs of plants and animals as they relate to climate and soil conditions. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Demonstrate the dependency of living components in the ecosystem on the nonliving components. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Apply models to predict specific results and observations (e.g., population growth, effects of infectious organisms). <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. ▪ Design controlled experiments, recognize variables, and manipulate variables. ▪ Interpret data, formulate models, design models, and produce solutions. 	<p>Mathematics <i>Statistics and Data Analysis</i> 2.6.5A</p>	<p>Data Collection Experiment Graphing Observation</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D, 4.1.7.E
 Science and Technology: 3.2.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Nature's Filter	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils ▪ Describe the different functions of a wetland. <p>4.1.7.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain the impact of watersheds and wetlands in flood control, wildlife habitats and pollution abatement. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. ▪ Communicate, use space/time relationships, define operationally, raise questions, formulate hypotheses, test and experiment. 		Demonstration Investigation Observation	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.10.E, 4.8.10.C, 4.9.10.A
 Science and Technology:

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Hear Ye! Hear Ye!	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.10.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the effects of humans and human events on watersheds. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.10.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze and evaluate changes in the environment that are the result of human activities. <p><i>Environmental Laws and Regulations</i> 4.9.10.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Understand conflicting rights of property owners and environmental laws and regulations. ▪ Analyze the roles that local, state and federal governments play in the development and enforcement of environmental laws. 		<p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Speaking and Listening</i> 1.6.8.A, 1.6.8.D</p> <p>Arts and Humanities <i>Production, Performance and Exhibition of Dance, Music, Theatre and Visual Arts</i> 9.1.8.B</p> <p>Civics and Government <i>Rights and Responsibilities of Citizenship</i> 5.2.9.C</p>	Problem Solving Role Playing	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Interpersonal	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.3.7.B, 4.8.7.F
4.1.10.E, 4.8.10.C

Science and Technology:

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Hydropoly	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.10.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify the effects of humans and human events on watersheds. <p><i>Environmental Health</i> 4.3.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify land use practices and their relation to environmental health. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Explain how human activities and natural events have affected ecosystems. ▪ Explain how conservation practices have influenced ecosystems. <p>4.8.10.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze and evaluate changes in the environment that are the result of human activities. 			Gaming Problem Solving Valuing	Verbal/Linguistic Intrapersonal	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D, 4.2.7.D, 4.6.7.A
 Science and Technology: 3.1.7.B, 3.2.7.B

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
People of the Bog	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify specific characteristics of wetland plants and soils. ▪ Recognize the different types of plants and animals. ▪ Describe different types of wetlands. <p><i>Renewable and Nonrenewable Resources</i> 4.2.7.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Compare the decomposition rates of different organic materials. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interactions</i> 4.6.7.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe and explain the adaptations of plants and animals to their environment. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Apply models to predict specific results and observations (e.g., population growth, effects of infectious organisms). <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.7.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe relationships by making inferences and predictions. ▪ Design controlled experiments, recognize variables, and manipulate variables. ▪ Interpret data, formulate models, design models, and produce solutions. 		Data Collection Experiment Writing	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.9.10.A
4.9.12.A

Science and Technology:

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Regulation Rummy	<p><i>Environmental Laws and Regulations</i> 4.9.10.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze the roles that local, state and federal governments play in the development and enforcement of environmental laws. <p>4.9.12.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze and explain how issues lead to environmental law or regulation (e.g., underground storage tanks, regulation of water discharges, hazardous, solid and liquid industrial waste, endangered species). 		<p>Civics and Government <i>How Government Works</i> 5.3.9.D</p>	<p>Analysis Gaming Small Group</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.4.D, 4.2.4.A, 4.8.4.D
 Science and Technology: 3.1.4.A, 3.2.4.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
What a Boat!	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.4.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify plants and animals found in wetlands. <p><i>Renewable and Nonrenewable Resources</i> 4.2.4.A</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify how the environment provides for the needs of people. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.4.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify items used in daily life that come from natural resources. 	<p><i>Unifying Themes</i> 3.1.4.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify and apply models as tools for prediction and insight. ▪ Apply appropriate simple modeling tools and techniques. <p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.4.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify possible solutions and their course of action. ▪ Try a solution. ▪ Describe the solution, identify its impacts and modify if necessary. ▪ Show the steps taken and the results. 	<p>Geography <i>The Human Characteristics of Places and Regions</i> 7.3.3.B</p> <p>Arts and Humanities <i>Production, Performance and Exhibition of Dance, Music, Theatre and Visual Arts</i> 9.1.3.B</p>	Art Form Demonstration Model	Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.7.D
 Science and Technology:

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Chrysti the Wordsmith on Wetlands	<i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.7.D <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe different types of wetlands. 		Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Characteristics and Functions of the English Language</i> 1.7.8.A <i>Research</i> 1.8.8.B Geography <i>The Human Characteristics of Places and Regions</i> 7.3.9.B	Small Group	Verbal/Linguistic	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.1.10.D, 4.8.10.C
 4.1.12.E, 4.6.12.C
 Science and Technology: 3.2.12.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Wetland Tradeoffs	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.10.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Describe wetlands in terms of their effects (e.g., habitat, flood, buffer zones, prevention areas, nurseries, food production areas). <p>4.1.12.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Evaluate the effects of natural events on watersheds and wetlands. ▪ Evaluate the effects of human activities on watersheds and wetlands. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interaction</i> 4.6.12.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze the effects of human action on an ecosystem. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.10.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze and evaluate changes in the environment that are the result of human activities. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.12.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Assess all aspects of the problem, prioritize the necessary information and formulate questions that must be answered. ▪ Propose, develop and appraise the best solution and develop alternative solutions. 	<p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Speaking and Listening</i> 1.6.11.D <i>Research</i> 1.8.11.B</p> <p>Economics <i>Scarcity and Choice</i> 6.3.12.B</p> <p>Civics and Government <i>Rights and Responsibilities of Citizenship</i> 5.2.12.C</p>	<p>Valuing Problem Solving Discussion Research Brainstorm</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Interpersonal Intrapersonal</p>	

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Standard(s): Environment and Ecology: 4.8.10.C
 4.1.12.E, 4.6.12.C
 Science and Technology: 3.8.10.B
 3.2.12.D

Name of Activity	Environment & Ecology Standards Content	Science & Technology Standards Content	Other Standards Addressed	Teaching Strategies	Multiple Intelligences	Assessment Ideas (Teacher generated)
Helping Wetland Habitats	<p><i>Watersheds and Wetlands</i> 4.1.12.E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Evaluate the effects of natural events on watersheds and wetlands. ▪ Evaluate the effects of human activities on watersheds and wetlands. <p><i>Ecosystems and their Interaction</i> 4.6.12.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze the effects of human action on an ecosystem. <p><i>Humans and the Environment</i> 4.8.10.C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analyze and evaluate changes in the environment that are the result of human activities. 	<p><i>Inquiry and Design</i> 3.2.12.D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Assess all aspects of the problem, prioritize the necessary information and formulate questions that must be answered. ▪ Propose, develop and appraise the best solution and develop alternative solutions. ▪ Implement and assess the solution. <p><i>Science, Technology and Human Endeavors</i> 3.8.10.B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Identify several problems and opportunities that exist in your community, apply various problem-solving methods to design and evaluate possible solutions. 	<p>Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening <i>Types of Writing</i> 1.4.8.B 1.4.11.B</p>	<p>Analysis Hands On Observation Problem Solving</p>	<p>Verbal/Linguistic Logical/Mathematical Visual/Spatial Naturalist Intrapersonal</p>	