

Viewing the Environment Through Ag Eyes

Two Renewal Credits



Workshop for

6th-12th Grade Teachers

July 18-20, 2005

Sheraton Imperial Hotel

Raleigh/Durham, NC

WHO? 6th – 12th grade teachers

WHAT? Viewing the Environment through Ag Eyes

WHEN? July 18-20, 2005

WHERE? Sheraton Imperial, Raleigh/Durham

CREDIT? Two (2) renewal credits will be given to each teacher who successfully completes all sessions of the workshop.

COST? NC Farm Bureau provides hotel accommodations and meals. Rooms will be double occupancy.

HOW? Fill out the application form below and mail to:
Louise Lamm, AITC – NCFB, P.O. Box 27766, Raleigh, NC 27611

TELL ME MORE!

A good deal of discussion in North Carolina classrooms focuses on our environment – land, water and air. This workshop provides middle and high school teachers with an opportunity to get “up close and personal” with environmental issues and their relationship to the agricultural community. Participants will have the opportunity to visit farms, research facilities and agribusinesses in which solutions to environmental problems are high priority. A portion of each day will be dedicated to classroom instruction through which teachers will learn innovative strategies for teaching students about their environment. Among the topics to be covered are food safety, crop protection chemicals, animal waste, biotechnology, and water quality issues. Free lesson materials and resources will be provided to each participant.

Registration Form



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AITC Workshop for 6th-12th Grade Teachers – July 18-20, 2005

County in which you teach _____ Grade/Subjects _____

Name Mr./Ms. _____
(Circle one)

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Home Phone(_____) _____

School Name _____ School Phone(_____) _____

Email address (for faster communication!) _____



Ag in the Classroom is an educational program designed to foster an understanding of North Carolina's #1 industry, agriculture. Accounting for 22 percent of the state's income and employing over 20 percent of its work force, agriculture's continued strength is a crucial factor in our economic growth.

Ag in the Classroom provides free grade-level specific teaching materials in all subject areas for grades PK-8 and middle school Careers, plus Economics and Biology for high school teachers. Curriculum materials use North Carolina agriculture and the agricultural industry as a means to teach basic concepts required in each of these grades/courses. Developed by teachers, these materials are designed to supplement existing teaching plans. Every lesson states the student competencies as prescribed by the NC Standard Course of Study.

Comments from past participants:

"Variety and quality of activities was excellent! This was three of the most valuable workshop days that I have experienced in my teaching years. – a very valuable program extremely well done."

"This was great. A REAL LEARNING EXPERIENCE!"

"I liked the fact that the workshop was organized. I appreciated the activities used to convey the information that we needed to know; they gave me great ideas! It was successful because it was a "field trip" workshop. The resources we received were great."

TENTATIVE AGENDA

DAY 1	9:00 am - 10:00 am	Registration
	10:00 am - 12:00 Noon	General Session
	12:00 Noon - 1:15 pm	Lunch
	1:15 pm - 1:30 pm	Break
	1:30 pm - 5:30 pm	Traveling Workshop
	5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Break
	6:30 pm - 8:00 pm	Dinner, including speaker/entertainment
DAY 2	7:00 am - 8:00 am	Breakfast
	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Traveling Workshops; Lunch included
	5:00 pm	Free Time; Dinner on your own
DAY 3	7:30 am - 8:15 am	Breakfast
	8:30 am - 1:00 pm	Traveling Workshops; Lunch included
	1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	General Session/Wrap Up

APPLICATION INFO You are encouraged to make application as soon as possible to insure acceptance. Once you receive notice that you have been accepted, a \$50.00 refundable deposit check will be requested to secure your registration. These checks will be returned to participants when they register at the hotel on July 18th. **Acceptance notices will be mailed on or after May 2, 2005.**



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