Bridge the Gap Between Science & the Classroom

2022 TEACH EARTH FELLOWSHIP

Earthwatch’s innovative Teach Earth program offers K–12 educators the unique opportunity to work side by side with world-class scientists leading critical conservation research projects. Educators representing all subjects gain confidence in their scientific skills, and return home invigorated and inspired to share the experience of real discovery with their students.

"I love that I was able to experience science as a student. I was able to look at it from both a learners’ perspective and from the perspective of a teacher. It really made me excited to teach science and to share my experiences and what I learned with my students."

—Gina Whitcomb, 2021 Fellow

Visit earthwatch.org/teach-earth to apply!

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Real-Life Experiences to the Classroom.

Teach Earth is based upon the principle that every individual can be involved in creating a sustainable planet, regardless of level of scientific skill.

The Teach Earth Experience

- Immerse yourself in a 7–14 day science learning and professional development experience in natural landscapes around the world.
- Collaborate with a team of teachers and share best practices, ideas, and the spirit of team-based scientific inquiry.
- Receive mentorship from an experienced Senior Fellow on transitioning your field experience to home.
- Ignite scientific discovery and environmental awareness within your classroom or community through a community action project or lesson plan.
- Join our growing network of nearly 50 years of Earthwatch educator alumni, with special access to our Teach Earth alumni Facebook group and seasonal updates on teaching resources and professional development opportunities through newsletters and webinars.

* Earthwatch’s experienced risk management team continues to develop, evaluate, and adjust our COVID-19 safety protocols in accordance with the most recent public health guidelines and travel advisories. We are proud to be fielding a growing list of “COVID Ready” expeditions that meet our enhanced safety standards. For more information on our new safety measures please visit earthwatch.org/covid-19.

ELIGIBILITY

- K-12 classroom teacher in the United States
- Available to travel for 7–14 days in Summer 2022
- Enthusiasm for collaborating with a team of teachers from diverse backgrounds
- Proof of full vaccination against COVID-19 before the end of June 2022, per Earthwatch program participation policy

HOW TO APPLY FOR A 2022 FELLOWSHIP

- Complete your online application by January 10, 2022. Visit earthwatch.org/teach-earth.
- Fellowship notifications will be sent by April 30, 2022.

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