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Environmental Workshops Offered To Hamilton County Teachers

The Hamilton County Solid Waste Management District, in conjunction with its partners, is offering three environmental workshops to Hamilton County teachers in October and November. Registration is required for each of the workshops. More information about the workshops is available at www.hamiltoncountycycles.org.

Nature Recycles: Make and Take a Classroom Worm Bin

Participants will learn the essentials of vermicomposting, put together a bin (or take supplies to assemble a classroom worm bin) and learn a variety of experiments, activities and curricular tie-ins.

Date: Thursday, October 22nd
Time: 4:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Location: Civic Garden Center of Greater Cincinnati
Who: Hamilton County Teachers, Grades K – 12
Cost: \$10.00 for Hamilton County teachers/residents, \$40.00 all others
Contact: Gwen Roth, (513) 772-7645, ext. 14 or gwen.roth@hamilton-co.org
Sponsors: Hamilton County Solid Waste Management District and Hamilton County Soil and Water Conservation District

Solving the Puzzle: Connecting the Pieces of Environmental Education

Participants will learn about the connections between recycling, water quality, air quality, energy, conservation and protecting animals.

Date: Saturday, October 24th
Time: 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Location: Cincinnati Museum Center – Collett Hall
Who: Hamilton County Teachers, Grades K – 12
Cost: \$10.00, plus \$6.00 parking
Contact: Susan Schumacher, (513) 946-7734 or susan.schumacher@hamilton-co.org
Sponsors: Crystal Clear Science, Hamilton County Solid Waste Management District, Hamilton County Soil and Water Conservation District, Duke Energy and Scholastic

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Water & Waste: A Waste Management Field Trip and Workshop

Participants will receive relevant information, lesson plans and previews of field trip opportunities related to water treatment, sewage, municipal solid waste and storm water management.

Date: Thursday, November 5th
Time: 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Location: TBD
Who: Hamilton County Teachers, Grades 4 – 12
Cost: \$10.00
Contact: Gwen Roth, (513) 772-7645, ext. 14 or gwen.roth@hamilton-co.org
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