



# Arizona Department of Water Resources

## *Conserving Water Today for Arizona's Tomorrow*



## **Educator Workshops, Curriculum Guides, Water Festivals, and More!**



**Arizona Project WET Promotes Responsible Water Stewardship  
through Excellent, Effective Water Education for Grades K—12.**

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Arizona Project WET  
since 2001!***

### **FREE WORKSHOPS**

- Educators attend FREE workshops where they are introduced to creative lessons based on the different curriculum guides. All curricula are interdisciplinary and are correlated with the Arizona Academic Standards.
- Each workshop can be used for either Professional Development or Recertification Hours. Participants receive an educators guide, activity guides, and a certificate of completion.

### **WATER FESTIVALS**

- Make a Splash Water Festivals are educational, fun and interactive water celebrations that target fourth graders and their educators.
- These two-hour events include hands-on lessons about Arizona's groundwater and aquifers, watershed and water resources, the value of water and conservation, and the water cycle.

### **CLASSROOM & SCHOOL TOOLS**

- Educators can borrow classroom tools such as the groundwater and watershed models, water quality testing kits, and videos.
- Kids in Discovery Series (KIDS) Activity Booklets can be used to supplement instruction.
- Tools, materials and training for conducting water audit activities on school grounds are also available.
- Arizona Project WET can help integrate relevant water-related topics into your curriculum.

***Project Wet activities can be adapted for use in camps,  
after school programs, and other youth group settings.***

#### **Arizona Department of Water Resources:**

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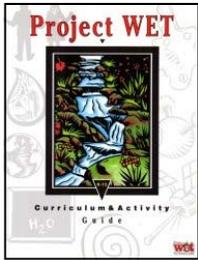
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[www.azwater.gov/conservation](http://www.azwater.gov/conservation)

#### **For Program Information Contact:**

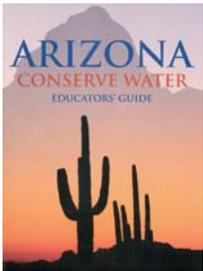
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# Arizona Project Wet Curriculum Guides and Workshops



## The Project WET Curriculum and Activity Guide and Workshop

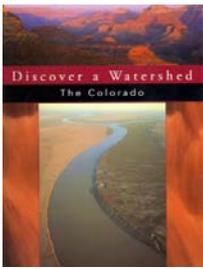
This nationally acclaimed guide and associated workshop offer creative lessons about the physical and chemical properties of water and how those allow water to move through life and earth systems. The lessons cover water as a natural resource, its integral role in human history, and water resources management.



## Arizona Conserve Water Educators' Guide and Workshop

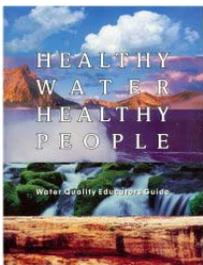
*The first Project Wet state-specific water education guide in the country!*

This guide and workshop provide an overview of Arizona's water resources, lessons on the interconnection of all water supplies and water users, and a spotlight on conservation inside and outside the home, including water reuse, water audits and new technologies. Ten true Arizona water conservation stories provide evidence that conservation is important, achievable and smart business.



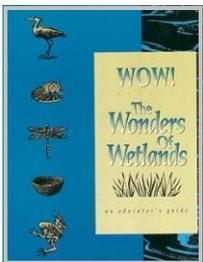
## Discover a Watershed: The Colorado Educators' Guide and Workshop

Arizona is the only state that lies almost entirely within the Colorado River watershed. The story of Arizona told in this guide and workshop flows from the beginning of Roosevelt Dam in 1902 through the present. It tells of innovation and enterprise in ensuring Arizona's future water supplies, and of how changes to Arizona's natural systems have caused unintended consequences affecting the watershed within which we live.



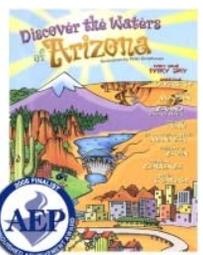
## Healthy Water, Healthy People Water Quality Educators' Guide and Workshop

Healthy Water Healthy People raises the awareness and understanding of water quality topics and issues and their relationship to personal, public, and environmental health. This guide and workshop offer interactive activities that interpret water quality concepts and promote diverse learning styles, with foundations in the scientific method.



## WOW! The Wonders of Wetlands Educators' Guide and Workshop

Wetlands are important ecosystems in Arizona. While wetland habitat accounts for a mere 3.5% of the land area of the U.S., roughly half of the more than 200 animal species, 75% of bird species and 25% of plant species identified as endangered or threatened depend on wetlands for survival. This guide and workshop explore these issues as they pertain to Arizona wetland habitats.



## Kids' In Discovery Series (KIDS) Activity Booklets

These illustrated booklets include activities and information that complement the curriculum guides. The series includes: Discover the Waters of Arizona, Discovering Drought, Healthy Water Healthy People, Watershed Protection, Discover the Colorado River, and Discover Ground Water and Springs.



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