



Workshops for Educators (Pre-K – 12)

Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden offers a variety of workshops that allow educators of all grade levels to gain the skills, knowledge and experiences necessary to enhance curriculum through nature-based learning. While participating in activities throughout the Garden, educators learn effective teaching techniques for inquiry-based learning and gain new ideas for hands-on connections to standards-of-learning. Participants receive valuable classroom resources and a certificate for continuing education units (CEUs). Fee \$40; register on-line at lewisginter.org.

Science in Your Schoolyard (K through 12th)

Monday, August 20, 9am - 3pm

From your school sidewalk to the lawn to the forest edge, discover a wealth of easy-to use activities that incorporate math and science SOL requirements into quality outdoor experiences for your students.

Water You Waiting For? Water Studies (K through 12th)

Friday, September 28, 9am - 3pm

Find out how wetland and watershed studies engage your students in the classroom and in the field in the study of life cycles, taxonomy, problem solving skills and participatory science.

Gardening with Young Children (Pre-K through 2nd)

Friday, October 5, 9am - 2pm

Participate in developmentally appropriate activities in the Children's Garden while discovering plant-based connections to your curriculum.

Teaching Trees....From Forest Floor to Canopy (K through 12th)

Friday, November 2, 9am - 3pm

Learn easy tree identification techniques and ready-to-use inquiry-based lessons that use trees, logs, leaves, galls and the forest edge as found in your schoolyard to engage your students in taxonomy, math, history, language arts and science.

Outdoors in All Seasons – Fall (Pre-K through 2nd)

Thursday, November 8, 9am - 2pm

Learn how to take advantage of resources in your schoolyard while participating in nature-based activities focusing on fall.