

Teaching in the Outdoor Classroom

*A Three-Day Summer Institute
for Grades Five to Seven Teachers*

August 24–26, 2011 9am–3:30pm

Imagine your students investigating the rich habitats and communities right outside your classroom, then replacing their magnifying glasses with paintbrushes as they explore the art studio of nature. School grounds can provide an engaging context for integrating Literacy, Art and Science.

Leave the institute with the confidence to assess students' understanding of ecosystems through creative and easy-to-implement nature-based Art and Literacy projects. Also discover how eco-inquiry stimulates imaginative forms of writing that can help students find and express a deeper connection to the natural environment.

Join facilitators Dawn Knight, Art Educator, and Justin Lawson, Science Educator, at Fort Richmond Collegiate in Winnipeg for what previous participants have called "the best workshop ever!" Hands-on lessons will reveal many exciting possibilities for engaging your students in the natural world.

All participants receive a wealth of lesson plans, posters and other educational resources. You will also receive an outdoor classroom backpack filled with supplies and tools to facilitate outdoor investigations and greening projects.

LOCATION

Fort Richmond Collegiate – 99 Killarney Avenue, Winnipeg

Directions: Just off Pembina Hwy, south of the U of M,
and north of the Perimeter.

TO REGISTER

Registration fee is \$50. To register, please contact Dorothy Christie,
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