Shelburne Farms

Programs for Educators 2019

Education is at the heart of what we do at Shelburne Farms: education that links



knowledge, inquiry, and action to empower students to build healthy communities and a healthier planet. It's called "education for sustainability" and it helps teachers bridge subject areas and grade levels, curriculum and school operations, and parents and community partnerships.

— Jen Cirillo Director of Professional Development

REGISTRATION REQUIRED FOR ALL PROGRAMS: SHELBURNEFARMS.ORG.

WORKSHOPS

Design Studio

Educators and students come together to design projects and curriculum advancing youth-adult partnerships.

Equity & Civic Engagement *Monday*, MARCH 18

Complex Human & Ecological Interactions

Saturday, APRIL 6

Milk & More Workshop

Saturday, MAY 4

We took one of your favorite school program topics and turned it into a one-day educator workshop. *Last in the series*.

Project Seasons for Young Learners: Cultivating Joy & Wonder

Monday–Friday, JULY 8–12 Enrich your early childhood curriculum using the Farm as your classroom and sustainability as your lens.

Education for Sustainability: *Summer Institute*

Monday–Friday, JULY 22–26

Deepen your understanding and practice of Education for Sustainability with colleagues from around the country.

Education for Sustainability: *Immersion*

Thurs. & Fri., AUGUST 15 & 16 A summer tune-up in a beautiful retreatlike setting for those with a strong background in EFS and curriculum design.

YEAR-LONG PROGRAMS

Northeast Farm to School Institute of VT FEED

KICK-OFF: Tues.—Thurs., JUNE 25–27 Learn, network, and develop a farm-to-school action plan for your school to implement over the year. VT FEED is a project of Shelburne Farms & NOFA-VT

Education for Sustainability: Leadership Academy

KICK-OFF: *Mon.*—*Wed.*, JULY 8–10 A learning community meeting seasonal-

A learning community meeting seasonally to explore Education for Sustainability, systems thinking, and school transformation.

Climate Resiliency Fellowship KICK-OFF: Monday-Wed., JULY 15-17

Apply as a school team of 2-4 educators, then work together to implement interdisciplinary climate change education and place-based service learning projects in your school.

Forest for Every Classroom

KICK-OFF: *Mon.-Thurs.*, AUG. 5–8 Explore the natural and cultural stories of the Lake Champlain Basin as an integrated context for teaching all subjects; engage students in learning in their community; and develop a sense of place.

RELATED OPPORTUNITY

Green Schools Conference

Mon. & Tues., APRIL 8 & 9
LOCATION: Saint Paul, MN
MORE INFO: greenschoolsconference.org

Inspiring speakers, informative workshops and sessions, and networking with colleagues from across the country. Jen Cirillo will co-present: "Putting EfS Benchmarks to Work on the Whole System."