

EarthComm Professional Development Program - Resources For Staff Developers and Workshop Leaders

- Background Information
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Background Information

- Description and History of EarthComm
- Key Concepts
- Curriculum Structure

The above sections can be downloaded as part of the *EarthComm Teacher Enhancement Workshop Manual*.

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Workshop Planning Tools

- General Workshop Planning
- Suggested Workshop Schedules
- Internet Map Resources
- Additional Workshop Activities
- Suggested Readings

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Documents for Downloading

- EarthComm and NGSS Correlations:  [NGSS_EarthComm_Correlation.pdf](#) |  [EarthComm_NGSS_Correlation.pdf](#)
- Planning Questions for Staff Developers  [EarthComm-planning_questions.doc\(185 KB\)](#) |  [EarthComm-planning_questions.pdf\(32 KB\)](#)
- Planning Notes-Sample  [Planning_Notes_for_EarthComm_Workshop-Sample.doc\(95 KB\)](#) |  [Planning_Notes_for_EarthComm_Workshop-Sample.pdf\(80 KB\)](#)
- Participant Background Survey  [EarthComm-Participant_background_survey.doc\(97 KB\)](#) |  [EarthComm-Participant_background_survey.pdf\(29 KB\)](#)
- Workshop Objectives  [EarthComm-Workshop_Objectives.doc\(101 KB\)](#) |  [EarthComm-Workshop_Objectives.pdf\(48 KB\)](#)
- Agenda Sample #1  [EarthComm-Sample_Agenda1.doc\(102 KB\)](#) |  [EarthComm-Sample_Agenda1.pdf\(104 KB\)](#)
- Agenda Sample #2  [EarthComm-Sample_Agenda2.doc\(94 KB\)](#) |  [EarthComm-Sample_Agenda2.pdf\(109 KB\)](#)
- Agenda Sample #3  [EarthComm-Sample_Agenda3.doc\(110 KB\)](#) |  [EarthComm-Sample_Agenda3.pdf\(39 KB\)](#)
- Agenda Sample #4  [EarthComm-Sample_Agenda4.doc\(262 KB\)](#) |  [EarthComm-Sample_Agenda4.pdf\(1.42 MB\)](#)
- Workshop Welcome Letter  [EarthComm-Workshop_Introduction_Letter.doc\(83 KB\)](#) |  [EarthComm-Workshop-Introduction-Letter.pdf](#)

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Workshop Implementation Tools

- **Basic Equipment for use with EarthComm Chapters**

Power Point Presentations

- Capsule Presentation:  EarthComm-Capsule_Presentation.ppt (1.84 MB)
- Program Overview:  EarthComm_Program_Overview.ppt(367 KB)
- Chapter and Activity Introduction:  EarthComm-Chapter_and_Activity_Overview.ppt(341 KB)
- EarthComm Inquiry:  EarthComm_Inquiry.ppt(385 KB)
- Earth's Dynamic Geosphere Chapter 1 Volcanoes:  EarthComm-Earth_Dynamic_Geosphere_Chapt_1_Overview.ppt (1.09 MB)
- Performance Assessments:  EarthComm_Performance_Assessments.ppt(213 KB)
- Development and Publication:  EarthComm_Development_and_Publication.ppt(589 KB)
- EarthComm 2nd Edition Overview:  EarthComm_Overview_2013v2.ppt(1.99 MB)

Handouts for Participants

- EarthComm Correlation to NSES  EarthComm-NSES-Correlation_Handout.doc(115 KB) |  EarthComm-NSES-Correlation_Handout.pdf(118 KB)
- EarthComm Modules and Chapters  EarthComm-Modules-and-Chapters_Handout.doc(173 KB) |  EarthComm-Modules-and-Chapters_Handout.pdf(25 KB)
- EarthComm Goals and Expectations for Teachers  EarthComm-Goals-and-Expectations-for-Teachers_Handout.doc(83 KB) |  EarthComm-Goals-and-Expectations-for-Teachers_Handout.pdf(34 KB)
- EarthComm Goals and Expectations for Students  EarthComm-Goals-and-Expectations-for-Students_Handout.doc(83 KB) |  EarthComm-Goals-and-Expectations-for-Students_Handout.pdf(34 KB)
- EarthComm Chapter and Activity Components Word Document (174 KB) | Adobe PDF Document (27 KB)
- Scope and Sequence Earth's Dynamic Geosphere Sample #1  EarthComm-Scope-and-Sequence-EDG-Chapt-1_Handout.doc(125 KB) |  EarthComm-Scope-and-Sequence-EDG-Chapt-1_Handout.pdf(72 KB)
- Scope and Sequence Earth's Dynamic Geosphere Sample #2  EarthComm-Scope-and-Sequence-EDG-Chapt-2_Handout.doc(121 KB) |  EarthComm-Scope-and-Sequence-EDG-Chapt-2_Handout.pdf(69 KB)
- Scope and Sequence Earth's Dynamic Geosphere Sample #3  EarthComm-Scope-and-Sequence-EDG-Chapt-3_Handout.doc(118 KB) |  EarthComm-Scope-and-Sequence-EDG-Chapt-3_Handout.pdf(66 KB)
- General Workshop Evaluation Form  EarthComm-Workshop-Evaluation-Form.doc(114 KB) |  EarthComm-Workshop-Evaluation-Form.pdf(89 KB)

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