

2022 AGI AND EXXONMOBIL K-8 EARTH SCIENCE AND STEM TEACHER LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

JULY 11, 12, 13, 18, & 19

The American Geosciences Institute (AGI) and ExxonMobil Exploration are currently recruiting public school teachers for the 14th annual national Geoscience and STEM Teacher Leadership Academy for K-8 teachers. The 2022 academy will begin with an introductory 1-hour webinar (**tentatively scheduled for July 6, repeated on July 9**), with the main academy experience taking place **July 11, 12, 13, 18, & 19**. The academy will be held virtually and will include public school teachers from across the country.

Each participant will receive a \$500 stipend, plus up to \$200 for equipment and supplies upon completion of the academy. While individual applicants will be considered, we encourage two to four teachers from a school or school system to apply as a team. Teams can span across grade levels or science subject matter areas.

The focus of the academy is to prepare teachers to serve as Earth Science and STEM education mentors and/or teacher leaders. Therefore, we are looking for teachers who have the interest and potential to become Earth Science leaders in their school systems. The academy will provide teachers with Earth science content, experience with hands-on and data-focused activities, and resources to develop professional development workshops.

Up to 30 participants will be selected for the academy. The applicant review process **will start April 1, 2022** and continue until the academy is full. Applying early is highly recommended.



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Teachers can apply for the AGI/ExxonMobil Geoscience and STEM Teacher Leadership Academy by completing the form at (<https://bit.ly/2022-TLA-survey>) and having an administrator submit a letter of recommendation.

On the form, applicants will be asked to provide:

1. Resume information, including teaching experience and past professional development (a separate resume/professional activities file may also be uploaded).
2. A 300- to 500-word interest statement describing their motivation for attending the academy and how they believe it will affect their development as a teacher and as a leader.
3. Contact information for a school administrator who will be providing a recommendation that confirms the applicant's potential as a teacher leader.

Note: Applicants should ask the administrator to send the recommendation letter directly to AGI via email using school letterhead. The recommendation should be sent to tla@americangeosciences.org. Your last name must be in the subject line of the email.

4. Names and contact information for any team members also applying (individual applications are accepted, but we encourage teams of two to four teachers from a school or school system to apply so they can support each other's teacher leadership efforts).

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