

MONTEREY

B-WET BAY WATERSHED EDUCATION & TRAINING PROGRAM



BRINGING THE ENVIRONMENT
INTO CLASSROOMS IN A
MEANINGFUL WAY

The Monterey B-WET Program provides organizations with funds to support environment-based education to students, teachers, and communities throughout the Monterey Bay watershed.

Environmental Education:

- Provides a learning platform that interests students and revitalizes teachers.
- Provides the opportunity to teach multiple disciplines in a thought-provoking manner.
- Provides a unique source of knowledge to help advance students' learning skills.

Get wet with B-WET!

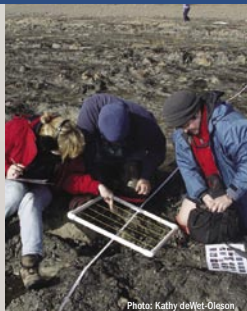


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HANDS ON LEARNING WITH B-WET

SUCCESS STORIES

- **Monterey Dunes Natural History Association** - Students learn about the unique dune ecosystem by collecting, propagating, and planting native species in order to restore degraded dunes around Monterey Bay.
- **Anzar High School** - Students assess the environmental health, economic impact, and public policies of the Pajaro River watershed through research, monitoring, and data collection.
- **Multicultural Education for Resource Issues Threatening Oceans (MERITO)** - Teachers receive instruction on watershed, estuarine, and marine science activities and help students build a sense of environmental stewardship through projects such as clean-ups, restoration, and water quality monitoring.

Annual Grant Schedule

Solicitation Notice.....June/July
Applications Due.....October
Evaluation and Selection Process...Nov./Dec.
Grants Awarded.....April/June
Projects Implemented.....June, at the earliest

Eligible Organizations

- Public and independent schools and school systems
- Institutions of higher education
- Community-based and nonprofit organizations
- State and Local Government Agencies



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