



Earth Partnership for Schools

Earth Partnership for Schools (EPS) collaborates with teachers, students and community partners to restore native habitats on schoolyards and nearby natural areas. These habitats become outdoor classrooms for science, math, language arts, social studies, student inquiry, and service-learning. EPS embodies the University of Wisconsin-Madison Arboretum's focus on restoration to build a positive relationship between people and the land.





Earth Partnership for Schools engages kids in learning and unstructured play in their own neighborhood natural areas; integrates with schools inside and out, and empowers children, youth and adults to act on behalf of the natural communities in which they live.

www.uwarboretum.org/eps

Earth Partnership for Schools Centers



Earth Partnership is possible in any school anywhere. RESTORE (Restoration Education, Science Training and Outreach for Regional Educators) builds upon 16 years of Earth Partnership for Schools to train teachers and community partners nation-wide in effective use of schoolyards for student learning.

We invite you to participate and begin the process of restoring sustainable native ecosystems on your local school grounds. Please pick up a brochure in the Conservatory building and/or go to www.uwarboretum.org/eps.

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