



The National Great Rivers  
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## Swarovski Waterschool Teacher Workshops

Be among the first to participate in the official launch of the Swarovski Waterschool USA Mississippi River program!

This program joins the team of global programs along major rivers of the world in Austria, Brazil, China, India, Thailand, and Uganda as the first of its kind in North America. We are looking for teachers who want to educate their students about water and river systems and engage them in a community action project. After the workshop, teachers are expected to facilitate community engagement activities and complete follow-up surveys.

### July - August 2017

Offering three FREE 2-day workshops for 5th and 6th grade teachers working in school districts near the Mississippi river.\*

1. July 18-19
2. July 25-26
3. Aug. 2-3

Registration deadline: July 2

\*Priority will be given to teachers who can commit to leading their students in a community engagement project during the 2017-2018 academic year and teaching in districts immediately adjacent to the Mississippi or Illinois rivers in the following counties:

#### **Illinois**

Calhoun, Greene, Jersey, Madison, or St. Clair;

#### **Missouri**

St. Charles, St. Louis, or St. Louis City.

### *Teachers will receive:*

- A free educator tool-kit.
- Learning materials aligned to Common Core and Next-Generation Science Standards.
- Access to funding for stewardship projects.
- Bus transportation and substitute teacher funding for Swarovski Waterschool related field trips (e.g. tour of a water treatment facility, lessons at NGRREC, etc.)
- Professional development hours (up to 12 hours).
- An opportunity to connect their class with students from another global Swarovski Waterschool program in Austria, Brazil, China, India, Thailand, or Uganda.

For more information, fill out our registration form or contact Swarovski Waterschool educator, Elizabeth Flotte at (618) 468-2781 or [eflotte@lc.edu](mailto:eflotte@lc.edu).

**Click here to register now!**

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