

Project Learning Tree

Educator and Facilitator Training

Integrating Fire Ecology into Standards Based PLT Activities and Training



- WHO:** CA Educators (formal and informal) and Natural Resource Professionals
- WHEN:** Friday, May 5th, 2017 from 10-5
Saturday, May 6th 2017 from 8-3
- WHERE:** Blodgett Forest Research Station
4501 Blodgett Forest Rd.
Georgetown, CA 95634
- COST:** \$35 Friday ONLY/\$80 Friday and Saturday

Friday, May 5th: EDUCATOR TRAINING AND pK-8 GUIDE
for educators who want to use PLT curriculum in the classroom

Saturday, May 6th: FACILITATOR TRAINING
to lead workshops and receive facilitator certification, must attend both days

REGISTER by April 28: <http://ucanr.edu/blodgettplt2017may>
For more INFORMATION contact Sandy Derby: stderby@ucanr.edu
Scholarships available for STUDENTS: contact stderby@ucanr.edu

Participants in the Friday Educator Training will:

- Receive the PLT pK-8 Curriculum Guide containing nearly 100 interdisciplinary activities plus ideas for fully integrated and aligned lesson plans that
 - exemplify *inquiry-based learning* and *critical thinking*,
 - define *STEM education*, and
 - support *constructivist NGSS standards*
- Learn about the integral role fire plays in the environment – in the past and today.
- Hear the latest research taking place at Blodgett Forest Research Station
- Be part of a network of committed and energetic facilitators, researchers, and scientists

In addition to above, participants in the Saturday Facilitator Training will:

- Learn how to *plan and facilitate a PLT workshop* for educators using PLT criteria, resources, and time-tested methodologies
- Increase understanding of Fire Ecology and current environmental issues
- Tour the *King Fire* to see current conditions and impacts
- Become a Project Learning Tree *certified facilitator*