GLOBE Program Office: Science & Education and Climate Research Activities



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GLOBE Global Learning and Observations to Benefit the Environment

























Upcoming Work to Support GLOBE Science & Education

- Development of web pages for individual teachers
- Architectural infrastructure to support scientistteacher-student interactions
- Robust Network of Scientists International
- Frequent world-wide events for student participation
- Share your needs with the GLOBE Program Office via your <u>www.globe.gov</u> Redesign representative



Student Climate Research Campaign

Engaging Youth to Understand Climate

- Vision
 - involve students of all ages in climate studies,
 - empower students, teachers and community members to take action on climate-related environmental issues and
 - *inspire* students to explore career options in science
- Goals
 - 1. Increase students' understanding of climate, specifically the difference between weather and climate.
 - 2. Increase students' understanding of and ability to conduct scientific research focused on climate.
 - Improve the sustainability of the GLOBE community through increasing collaborations among students, teachers, and scientists focused on understanding the interactions in the Earth System







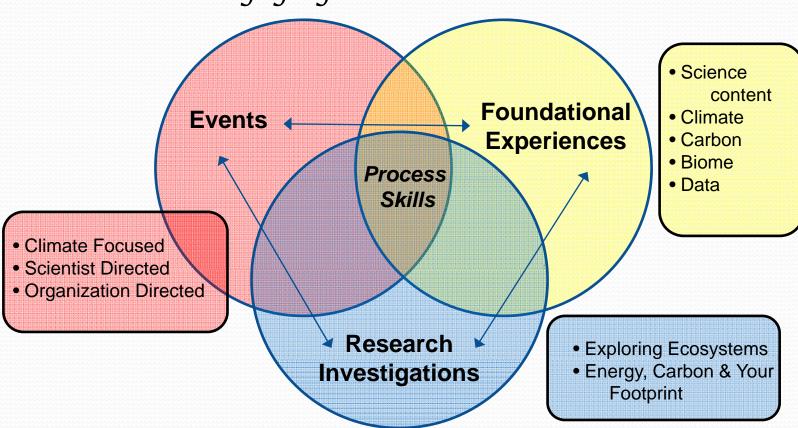






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Student Climate Research Campaign

Engaging Youth to Understand Climate

- Campaign: September 2011- June 2013
 - Events: Climate-focused
 - Foundations: Learning activities on understanding climate
 - Research: Student-led climate research
- Planning Phase: 2009-2010
 - Framework: Climate Literacy Principles
 - Create <u>International Scientist Network</u>
 - Professional Development: identify, locate, create, train
 - Develop partnerships with International Science Organizations
 - Create technical infrastructure













Share Your Work

- Events
 - Climate-focused
- Foundations: Learning activities & PD
 - 1. Temperature
 - 2. Precipitation
 - 3. Non-atmospheric influences 6. Time Scales

4. Radiation

- Research: Student-led climate research
 - 1. Exploring Ecosystems (& Biodiversity)
 - 2. Carbon, Energy & Your Footprint
 - (3. Air Pollution, Human Health & Climate)
 - (4. Climate and Large-Scale Extreme Weather)











An Invitation

What are your needs related to climate understanding and student climate research?

- Teacher Professional Development
- Partner support
- GLOBE Learning Communities
 - GLOBE Schools Network (K-16)



- GLOBE Parent Council
- GLOBE Alumni



- GLOBE International Scientist Network
- Other?

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