



Art & Poetry for Our Watershed

3 Rivers Wet Weather – RiverQuest – Arts Education Collaborative

We invite you to participate in River of Words a national program that enables teachers to help their students understand environmental science and express their learning and feelings through art and poetry. This cross-curricular approach not only meets PA Academic Standards, but also ignites passion for science, art and writing among students.

In a unique collaboration among area educators and environmental groups, we are offering:

- A two-day, professional development workshop designed by Carnegie Museum of Art and RiverQuest that combines art, writing and science in exploring our environment.
- An opportunity to respond to an RFP for K-8 art, language arts and science teachers who collaborate to deliver this cross-curricular approach in their classrooms.

Teachers Will Gain

- A rich understanding of how the artist, writer and scientist think and how to help students explore environmental science through art and poetry.
- Hands-on experience through a one-day workshop on RiverQuest's Discovery boat, well-known among area science teachers and students, and a one-day workshop in a specially designed art and literature program at the Carnegie Museum of Art.
- Participants receive a total of 10 hours of Act 48 credit.

Dates and Locations

Thursday, November 15 – Meet at the RiverQuest dock adjacent to the Carnegie Science Center

Wednesday, December 5 – Meet at the Carnegie Museum of Art

Times 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., both days

Cost \$75 covers two-day workshop and includes lunch both days

Who Should Attend

Elementary art, language arts and science teachers and curriculum coordinators.



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Registration

Send this form along with a check for \$75.00 per person, payable to Arts Education Collaborative.

**Arts Education Collaborative
River of Words Workshop
425 Sixth Avenue – Suite 2650
Pittsburgh, PA 15219**

Must be received no later than Friday, November 9.

Questions?

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