



### **GLOBE** Virtual Training

### Hydrosphere & Pedosphere

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2 pm – 4 pm











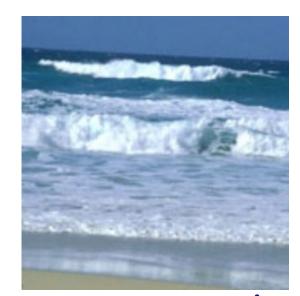
### Our Agenda - Hydrosphere

- Introductions/Ice breaker
- Review GLOBE Protocols Hydrosphere
  - Alkalinity Conductivity
  - Dissolved Oxygen
  - Nitrates
  - Salinity

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Water Temp & Transparency

- Data Entry Log
- GLOBE Observer
- Freshwater Macroinvertebrates
- Mosquito Habitat











#### Our Agenda - Pedosphere

### Soil Protocols

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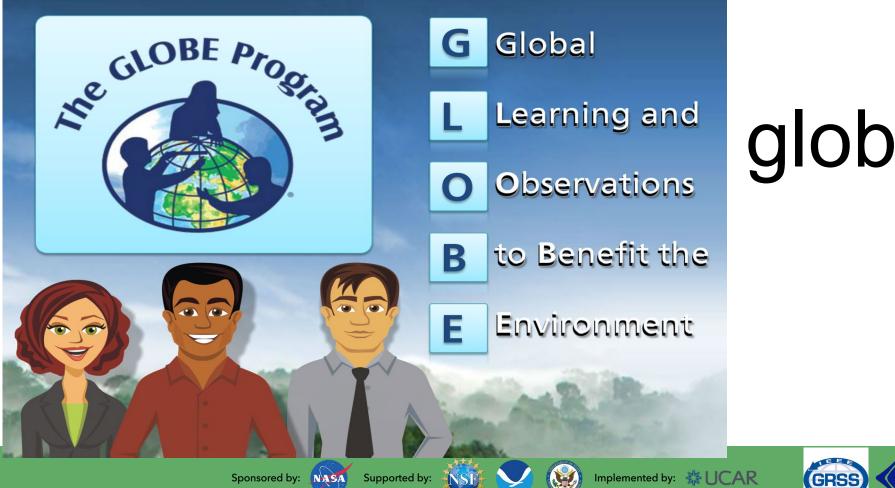








### What is GLOBE?



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#### <u>Biosphere</u>

The biosphere includes plant life and land cover.

#### **Geosphere**

The geosphere (pedosphere) includes rocks and soil.



#### <u>Atmosphere</u>

The atmosphere includes the air around the earth and weather.

#### **Hydrosphere**

The hydrosphere includes water on Earth, in rivers, lakes, and the ocean.

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# **Navigating GLOBE - Hydrosphere**

#### • Hydrosphere

- Establish a sample site
- $\circ~$  Know your students and train young scientist
- Cross train students delegate jobs
- Equipment
- Data log procedure and entry
- Learning Activities
  - Learning Activities ! ?
- <u>Selecting and Documenting Your Hydrosphere</u> <u>Study Site</u>











#### Lesson Planning in the classroom - "Where do we start?"

**Selecting and Documenting your water site** 

**Practice your Protocols** 

Water Walk

Water Detectives

**Model a Catchment Basin** 

**Freshwater Macroinvertebrates Protocol** 











#### **Digging deeper into data - Hydrosphere**

Modeling your water balance

**Water Collection** 

**Dissolved Oxygen** 

**Freshwater Macroinvertebrates : Instrument Construction** 

Freshwater Macroinvertebrate technique











#### **Hydrosphere Continued**

#### Water Transparency instrument construction

**Water Collection Protocol** 

#### **pH Protocol**





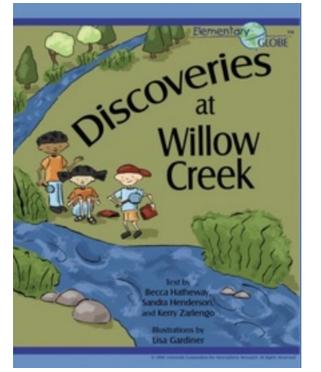






### Hydrosphere Picture Books

Elementary GLOBE - "Discoveries at Willow Creek"



Students learn how to describe a creek by making observations, taking measurements, and looking for macroinvertebrates. They get to know tools for making science observations.





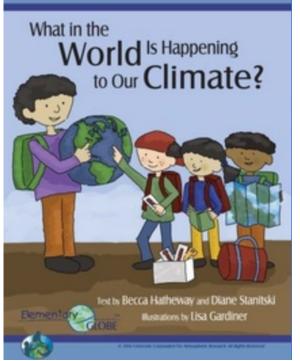






### Hydrosphere Picture Books

#### • Elementary GLOBE - "What in the world is happening to our climate?"

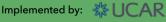


Through the storybook and activities, students learn about regional climate variations and how climate change is affecting our world. Then students consider what we can do to solve climate change.





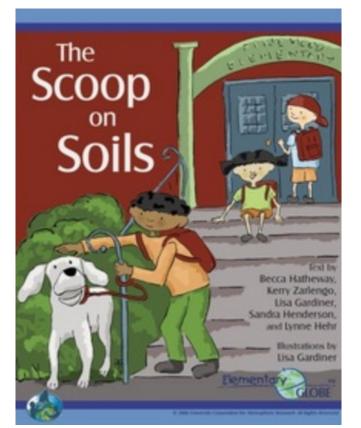








#### Pedosphere Picture Books The Scoop on Soils



Students investigate how soils are different in different locations, learn to describe what they find in soil, and explain the importance of soil to plants and animals.



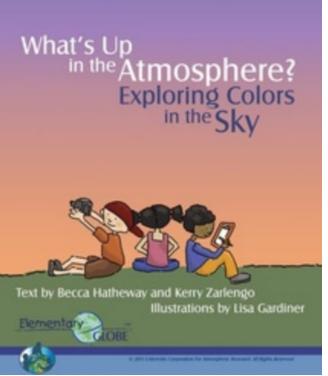








#### Atmosphere Picture Books What's up in the atmosphere



Students consider how and why aerosols and other types of air pollution affect the color of the sky and learn how to describe sky color and conditions in the atmosphere.







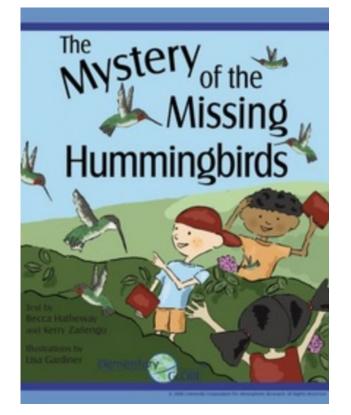






#### **Biosphere Picture Books**

The Mystery of the missing Hummingbirds



Students learn how hummingbirds deal with seasonal changes and use science journals to describe the seasonal changes in their local environment.





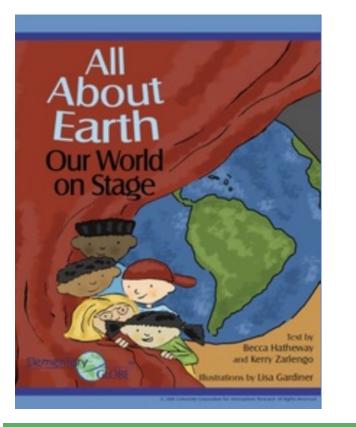






#### Earth System Picture Books "Bring it all together"

All about Earth - "Our World on Stage"



Students explore how water, air, soil, and living things interact in the Earth system and how they are all important parts of our planet.











# Let's Talk

- **1. Describe the four sphere in GLOBE.**
- 1. What would be the best approach to teach students about the spheres in GLOBE?
- 1. What is the difference between a Transparency Tube and Secchi Disk and how are they similar.









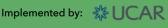


### Let's Talk Answers:

- 1. Atmosphere, Biosphere, Hydrosphere, Geosphere (Pedosphere)
- **1. Teach as a cycle not in isolation.**
- 1. Transparency Tube is better for shallow water clarity, Secchi Disk used for deeper water clarity. They both measure water clarity.













### GLOBE Observer

Free Download



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- Start being a citizen scientist















## Make Cloud Observations Frequently

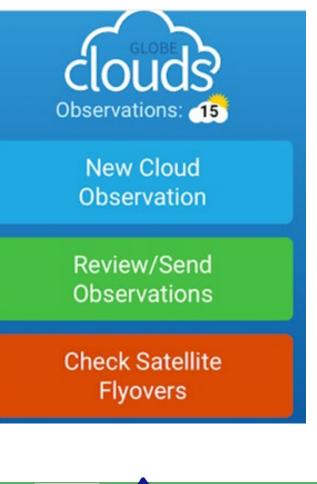
- Take a peek out of your nearest window
  - Look up into the sky
  - What do you see?
    - Clouds?
    - Contrails?
    - Cloud height (high, medium, low)
    - Sky color (light blue, blue, dark blue)
    - Sky clarity (unusually clear, clear, hazy)







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#### BREAK – 5 minutes and 35 seconds







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### Pedosphere - Our Soil

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#### Pedosphere

#### **Pedosphere Protocols**

- SMAP Soil Moisture Active Passive
- Soil Characterization Protocol
- Soil Fertility Protocol





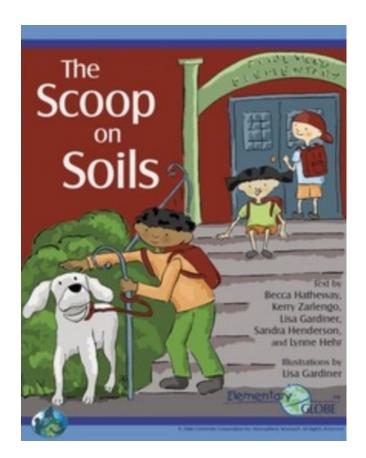






#### **Pedosphere Protocols Continued**

- Soil Infiltration Protocol
- Soil infiltration Data Sheet
- Soil pH Protocol













### Making Connections: Hydrosphere and Pedosphere

# Let's Chat: What connections do you see with these two spheres?













### Tips for Classroom implementation with GLOBE 1. Start small (Data sheets in One Notebook) 2. Cloud Observation twice a week 3. Train small group of students 4. Cross train (Month later) 5. Invite fellow Science Teachers (Science Club) 6. Invite Community, Environmental Supporters 7. Collaborate with local High Schools and Universities











### Many Thanks



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