

Teachers Conservation Workshops, or "TCW", are hands-on workshops with an emphasis on forests and other natural resources. Participants learn by demonstration and practical exercises how natural resources education can be integrated into the classroom.

Instructors include professionals from many of Mississippi's forestry-related agencies, organizations, and companies. Participants will be certified to use teaching materials of the nationally acclaimed environmental education curriculum, Project Learning Tree.

This is a fun, highly active workshop, and some activities will require participants to be outside in the heat. Come prepared for nature hikes, mill tours, and other outdoor activities. In addition to the scheduled activities, participants enjoy networking. Each workshop offers unique opportunities!



Teachers Conservation Workshops are sponsored by committees of the Mississippi Forestry Association (MFA), a membership association representing the interests of 3,000 landowners, forest products manufacturers, professional foresters, and others. MFA member organizations, industries, businesses, and individuals make special donations of sponsorships, meals, tours, door prizes, and their time to make TCW an enjoyable experience for all participants.



South TCW

MFA South TCW qualifies for 5.0 CEUs. For attendees who live over 30 minutes from Jones College, overnight dorm lodging is provided. If you live within 30 minutes of Jones College, we ask that you commute each day. In order to account for 50 contact hours, prepare for 12-hour days. All meals will be provided.

North TCW

MFA North TCW qualifies for 5.0 CEUs. For attendees who live over 30 minutes from Northeast Mississippi Community College, overnight dorm lodging is provided. If you live within 30 minutes of Northeast Mississippi Community College, we ask that you commute each day. In order to account for 50 contact hours, prepare for 12-hour days. All meals will be provided.

Eligibility

Teachers, school administrators, youth educators, college students, and others may apply. Consideration will be given to teaching duties and past TCW participation, as well as application date. Registration for CEUs will be completed after you arrive at the workshop.



Registration/Enrollment

The fees are not refunded for cancellations less than 10 days prior to the selected workshop. Class size is limited. Your registration will be confirmed by email. The deadline for applying is two weeks prior to the selected workshop.

Registration Form

(Choose only one workshop)

- South Workshop, Ellisville \$150
 North Workshop, Booneville \$150

Price

\$150

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- I have attended TCW in the past. Year _____
**You may only attend a TCW once every 5 years.*
 I plan to take the workshop for undergraduate or graduate credit, please contact me.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School _____ Grade Level _____

Subject Area _____ School Phone No. _____

Phone No. _____ Preferred Email _____

Emergency Contact and Phone No. _____

T-shirt size _____

Check (made out to the Mississippi Forestry Foundation)

Sponsored by _____

Visa MasterCard American Express Disc

Name on Card _____

Credit Card # _____

Security Code _____ Exp. Date _____

Billing Address and Zip Code _____

- plan to commute and will not need a room
 wish to room with _____
 I would like a private room

Learn how to bring the outdoors into your classroom!

All participating educators will become Project Learning Tree certified.

2026 Workshop Dates

South TCW - 5 CEUs

May 31-June 5
Jones College
Ellisville

North TCW - 5 CEUs

June 14-19
Northeast Mississippi Community College
Booneville

CEUs will be filed before June 30th.

Please return your completed form to:
Mississippi Forestry Association
6311 Ridgewood Road, Suite W405
Jackson, MS 39211
or email to jsmith@msforestry.net.

Online registration is also available at msforestry.net. You may only register for one workshop, and you may only attend a TCW once every 5 years.

If you have any additional questions, please contact Jonathan Smith, MFA education and outreach coordinator, at 601-354-4936 or jsmith@msforestry.net.



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Join us this summer for environmental education, CEUs, and fun with forestry!