

# Save the Date

## ENVIROTHON COMPETITION TEACHER WORKSHOP

### Details

#### What to Expect:

Join environmental professionals this summer for a two-day professional development workshop designed to prepare educators for the Envirothon competition.

Participants will receive hands-on training in the four Envirothon contest areas: Aquatic Ecology, Forestry, Soils, Wildlife.

Teachers/team advisors will receive resources and training to support establishing an Envirothon team at their school/youth organization. 1 semester hour of graduate credit through Ashland University available.

#### About the Envirothon:

The Envirothon is a hands-on competition for high school students. This workshop is ideal for educators working with students in grades 9-12 interested in environmental education and outdoor learning.

#### Location:

Farm Science Review  
Gwynne Conservation Area  
690 Arbuckle Rd W, London, OH 43140  
39.950830, -83.448810

**THUR. & FRI.  
JUNE 4 & 5  
9-3:30 P.M.**



Hosted by the Ohio Federation of Soil & Water Conservation Districts  
Additional information at [ofswcd.org/envirothon](http://ofswcd.org/envirothon)

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## WHAT IS THE ENVIROTHON COMPETITION?

TOPICS: AQUATICS, FORESTRY, SOILS, WILDLIFE, AND A CURRENT ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUE (CEI)

Questions?

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The Envirothon competition is designed to stimulate, reinforce, and enhance interest in environment and natural resources among high school students. The Envirothon tests students' knowledge of soils, forestry, wildlife, aquatic ecology, and current environmental issues. In addition, the Envirothon encourages cooperative decision-making and team building. While each student on an Envirothon team is challenged to contribute their personal best, the score that counts at the end of an Envirothon is the team score.

A team consists of a max of five students, all from the same high school. An adult advisor(s) must accompany the team to the competition, but are not permitted to assist the team during the competition. Each high school can have up to 3 total teams compete in their Area Envirothon.

Five "Area Envirothons" are conducted around Ohio each spring.

## Start an Envirothon Team at Your School!

Any high school teacher or adult volunteer can start an Envirothon team for their school. Teams usually convene before or after school to study. There is guidance and assistance on the Area, State and National Envirothon information pages.

## Envirothon Training for Educators/Advisors

Attend the statewide Envirothon training in June 2026 to learn more about the Envirothon and what to expect at the stations!

**Area Date:**  
Area Competitions  
in the Spring

**State Date:**  
State Competition  
in early June

**Location:**  
Locations rotate  
around areas and  
state each year

**Topics:**  
Aquatics  
Forestry  
Soils  
Wildlife  
CEI  
(Current Environmental Issue)



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