Theme:

Trees Work for Clean Water

Introduction:

Trees work in amazing ways that shape the quality of our daily life. For more information on how 'Trees Work', visit the Missouri Department of Conservation webpage at http://www.treeswork.org/ and get to know more of the real and valuable benefits trees provide in our lives.

Goal: Demonstrate how trees are important for clean water for all and gain an appreciation for trees.

You are encouraged to use all or adapt the activities in these instructional materials to meet the learning objectives of your classroom. These activities utilize Missouri Learning Standards for science. You can use one activity and then introduce the poster contest information as an assignment, or you may decide to use all of the activities. Please note that some activities also have supplemental materials, which are available on the Missouri Community Forestry Council (MCFC) website at http://mocommunitytrees.com. Be sure to review the poster contest rules and due date to be included in the state competition. Students may still participate in the contest, even if they have not experienced the curriculum, although the activities may help students decide on their poster content and are used to judge the posters.