



Flint River GREEN

2021 Teacher Virtual Professional Development Series

Spring 2021 GREEN Testing Window: April 26th — May 14th
Virtual Student Summit: May 17th — May 27th

History of the Flint River:

Asynchronous workshop beginning January 15th

A virtual adventure that begins with the geological formation of the watershed and propels the learner through time to modern day. Work at your own pace through an interactive slide show notebook built as a resource for teachers to later use to engage students in the river's history through multiple modes of learning.

Self-paced Online Module

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Bridges: Backwards Mapping and Team Planning:

Monday, February 8th @ 4:00—6:30 pm

This workshop is designed for Bridges teachers only. Teacher teams will continue to work through their planning documents alongside coaches to map their path to student stewardship projects in response to the current education climate. Explore new content area resources and take a fresh glimpse at backward design.

Guest Presenter:

Becca Neilson,
Education Specialist
and Program Advisor,
SEMIS

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GIS & Geospatial Literacy for Use Across Content Areas (2 part):

Part 1 GIS & MapFlint: Wednesday, February 17th @ 4:00—6:30 pm

Part 2 Geoliteracy Resources: Saturday, February 20th @ 9:00—11:30 am

This workshop series will introduce geographic information system (GIS) technology and cartographic and geographic representation, explore geoliteracy principles, and offer lessons to use across content areas. Attend one or both.

Guest Presenter:

Troy Rosencrants,
GIS Center Manager,
UM—Flint GIS Center

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GREEN Program Training and Virtual Resources

REQUIRED for new GREEN teachers. All teachers welcome.

Asynchronous workshop: March 5th—26th.

Optional Live Mentor Meetup and Program Q & A: April 7th @ 4 pm

GREEN program logistics and pandemic adaptations will be communicated via a series of videos. Discuss your needs with mentors and the program committee on April 7th.

Guest Presenters:

Darren Bagley, MSU-Extension
Tom Hutchings, City of Flint
Tom Jones, Genesee County Drain Commission
Lee Ann Slosar, GM

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SCECHs pending for all events. All workshops and materials are free to teachers who also [register](#) for the 2020—2021 Flint River GREEN program thanks to our generous program sponsors:



Flint River GREEN Bridges

Bridging communities, classrooms, curriculum, and careers in the Flint River watershed



Place-Based Water Quality Education in the Flint River Watershed

Learn more or register: www.flintriverGREEN.org

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