



Hogback Community College

Homegrown Applications of Global Principles

Course Registration Form

EXPLORING VERMONT'S FOREST SOILS, 2018

Instructor(s): Dr. Wendy Sue Harper
Credit hours: 1 (16 hours of instruction)
Fee: \$160 (HCC charges \$160 per credit hour)
Registrant Name _____
Address _____
City, ST, Zip _____
Phone _____ (home) _____ (cell)
Email _____

Continuing Education credit: Course participants can receive continuing education credit for completing this course:

- **Society of American Foresters CE Credits:** 12 "Category 1" CFE credits
- **State of Vermont ANR/DEC Licensed Designer CE Credits:** 8 soil credits and 4 non-soil credits

Would you like to receive credit for this course? (Y/N) _____ If yes, please **CIRCLE** appropriate credits (SAF, ANR/DEC).

Refund Policy

We require payment in full upon registration. **You may cancel your registration up to two weeks prior to the course date and receive a full refund, less a \$50 administration fee.**

Cancellations made less than two weeks prior to the workshop will not be eligible for refund, unless we have someone on a waiting list who can fill your space, in which case you will receive a full refund, less a \$50 administration fee. **Cancellations made after the course has begun will not be eligible for a refund**, unless we have 10 or more students enrolled in the course, in which case you will receive a partial refund based on the percentage of the course that has been completed, less a \$50 administration fee.

In the unlikely event that a course meeting date is changed due to instructor illness, inclement weather, or other extenuating circumstances, participants are expected to attend the workshop on the re-scheduled date.

In the event that we do not have enough registered participants to meet our minimum-student requirement, we will cancel the course. In the event of such a cancellation, we will issue a full refund to all registered participants.

I have read and accept the above refund policy.

HCC course participant signature

Date

Date, Time, and Location of instruction:

EXPLORING VERMONT’S FOREST SOILS, 2018		
Session	Location	Activity
Thursday September 6, 2018 7-9 pm	VFF office, Bristol	Lecture 1: Basic Soil properties—as indicators of soil formation, the natural environment, and land use, including: the five soil forming factors, soil profiles and horizons, soil texture, structure, color, pH, and organic matter
Saturday September 8, 2018 8:30am – 12:30pm	The Waterworks	Field Study 1: Introductions to basic field soil examination, descriptions and techniques; <i>forest soils formed in glacial outwash deposits or neutral tills (Colton, Melrose, and Farmington)</i>
Saturday September 20, 2018 8:30am – 12:30pm	The Waterworks	Field Study 2: More soil examination; soils in the clay plain forest or acid tills (<i>Kingsbury, Covington, and Tunbridge</i>)
Thursday September 22, 2018 7-9pm	VFF office, Bristol	Lecture 2: Time for additional questions on materials covered. Tour Web Soil Survey to develop an understanding of making soil maps and maps of land-use potential to understand sites and the natural environment. Mini-lectures on soil issues raised by students, e.g. soil biology, pH, CEC, etc.
Saturday September 29, 2018 8:30am – 12:30pm	The Waterworks	Field Study 3: More soil examination; wetland soils and soils that form along streams or acid forest soils formed in kamic materials (<i>Walpole, Elmwood and Stetson</i>)

Min/max # of students: Minimum: 8 Maximum: 20

Directions to course sites

Vermont Family Forests office:

The Vermont Family Forests office is in the Old High School, located at 14 School Street in Bristol, Vermont, on the northwest corner of the village green. Enter the front door (facing the village green), turn left, enter through the door with the Vermont Family Forests plaque on it, and go up the stairs to the second floor. Our office is at the top of the stairs, to the left.

Waterworks Property: From the traffic light in Bristol, follow North St for approximately ¼ mile until you reach Plank Road (on your left). Turn onto Plank Road and check odometer. You’ll remain on Plank Road through 2 intersections (Burpee Road at .8 miles and Sawyer Road at 1.7 miles). Plank Road will sweep to the right then make a sharp turn to the left over Norton Brook. The parking area for the Waterworks property is on the right just before that sharp turn. (Total driving distance along Plank Road is 3.3 miles.)

Keep page 2 of this registration form for your records. Please complete page 1 (be sure to sign the bottom of the form) and return to Vermont Family Forests, with full payment: