

**TO EARN PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CREDITS
USING
SUNSMART AMERICA™ - SUN SAFETY EDUCATION**

DESCRIPTION:

These resources are arranged in five cross curricular topics. Each topic contains Pre & Post-Test, Information Handouts, Visual Handouts and Student Activities. These resources also include benchmarks associated with the Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) which links to the educational information and student activities. Although you are not required to complete the SunSmart America Teacher/School Nurse Training to obtain Professional Development Credits we strongly encourage you to participate before teaching the SunSmart America Curriculum to students.

GENERAL OBJECTIVE:

To increase competencies and encourage innovation in teaching sun safety education.

DELIVERY PROCEDURES:

Participants will:

- Work individually under the guidance of Eric Stern, Curriculum Development and School Improvement Administrator and the Richard David Kann Melanoma Foundation
- Participate in and develop sun safety awareness and education throughout the school
- Participate in e-mails to discuss the latest education updates regarding the SunSmart America™ Curriculum

DIRECTIONS: (as should be administered)

- Teachers will give their students a Pre-Test before each lesson and activity
- Complete five SunSmart America Lessons & Student Activities (1 Lesson & choose 1 Student Activity from each of the 5 Topics) - **TOTAL = 5 Lessons + 5 Activities**
- Teachers will give their students a Post-Test after each lesson and activity
- Teachers will submit the Pre & Post Test to Eric Stern who will submit to the RDK Melanoma Foundation
- Teacher will submit student activities to Eric Stern who will submit to the RDK Melanoma Foundation
- Teachers will complete and submit the Teacher's Survey to Eric Stern who will submit to the RDK Melanoma Foundation
- Once the requirements are submitted and reviewed the teacher will receive Professional Development Credits and incentives provided by the RDK Melanoma Foundation

DEADLINES: (submissions should be made to Eric Stern PRIOR to the deadline)

Topic 1 – Skin

Deadline: December 18, 2009 – Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Topic 2 – The Sun & The Earth

Deadline: January 25, 2010 – Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Topic 3 –Skin Cancer

Deadline: March 8, 2010 – Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Topic 4 – Sun Safety

Deadline: April 12, 2010 – Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Topic 5 – Tanning

Deadline: May 10, 2010 – Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Teacher Survey

Deadline: May 26, 2010

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE RICHARD DAVID KANN MELANOMA
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