



# City of Newark Stormwater Utility Education Credit Annual Report



**SUBMIT REPORTS BY SEPTEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup> FOR THE PREVIOUS SCHOOL YEAR**

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of School Staff: \_\_\_\_\_ Total # of Students in School: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
School Administrator Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Education credits are provided to public and private schools (K-12) for the purpose of providing water education programs to students. Stormwater education credits of 50% off of the school's stormwater bill may be granted for approved programs providing the following criteria are met:

- The school is defined as CSI (Church, School, Institutional) District in the zoning code, and offers a compulsory education curriculum for grades K-12 or part thereof.
- Where a site is jointly used by a school and another use (e.g., church) the stormwater fee will be prorated based on usage, and the credit will be issued to the school portion of the fee.
- Twenty percent of a school's staff would need to participate in annual training offered by the City of Newark or their partners (Licking County Soil & Water Conservation District, Licking Park District, The Dawes Arboretum, etc.).
- The City of Newark and their partners will offer multiple training opportunities throughout the school year and over summer break. Training offered might include: *Project WET*, *Project WILD/Aquatic WILD*, *Citizen Science*, *Project Learning Tree*, *Healthy Water*, *Healthy People*, etc. Other water related materials may be utilized.
- This training would in turn be integrated into standard curriculum for 20% of the students in the school, or one grade level.
- Schools will also conduct at least one school-wide water awareness activity, with 20% or more students participating, or one grade level. Activities might include: water festival day, River Round-Up poster contest, Earth or Arbor Day activities, or litter/recycling collection days. Other opportunities include brochure development, public service announcements, videos, or other projects as approved by City staff. The City of Newark and its partners are also available to lead children in water and wastewater plant tours, 'creeking' adventures in Raccoon Creek, or downtown Newark bioswale and historical tours. A combination of activities can be conducted to fulfill this requirement.
- In order to receive educational credits, the school will need to submit an annual report and supporting documentation by September 1<sup>st</sup> to receive credits for the following year. The report shall summarize the previous school year activities.
- The maximum credit to be received will not exceed 50% of the school's Stormwater bill. (see pages 2 & 3 for reporting requirements)
- The Stormwater Coordinator will review the annual report and supporting documents. If upon review, the school did not substantially comply with the approved plan, additional activities may be required, or the education credit will be reduced to a level comparable with the compliance.

**Submit Reports to:** Lindsey Brighton, Stormwater Coordinator, lbrighton@newarkohio.net  
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newarkohiowater.net/stormwater 740-670-7762

# Curriculum Integration

*\*Document the standard curriculum that was integrated into coursework for 20% of the students in the school, or one grade level.*

## **Course/Class #1**

Description: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Course/Class #2**

Description: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Course/Class #3**

Description: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

## **School-Wide Water Awareness Activity**

*\*Schools must have conducted at least one school-wide water awareness activity, with 20% or more students participating, or one grade level.*

### **Activity/Event #1**

Description: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Activity/Event #2**

Description: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Activity/Event #3**

Description: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade of Participating Students: \_\_\_\_\_

## Participating 20% of School Staff

*\*Please provide additional documentation that shows how the training was integrated into curriculum.*

	Teacher Name	Grade	Subject	E-Mail	Type of Training	Date of Training
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