

Essential Science for Teachers: Earth and Space Science

Designed for Teachers of grades K-6



Register Online: www.itv.scetv.org

Cost: \$50.00 per participant per course

Recertification: 1 Hour or 20 Renewal Credits

Course Dates: June 14 – August 9 (8 weeks)

Registration Deadline:
June 10

*When payment has been received, printed materials and DVDs will be mailed to the address on your registration form.

The ***Essential Science for Teachers: Earth and Space Science*** course is designed around Annenberg/CPB Professional Development Workshops. Providing participants with fundamental science concepts, these eight one-hour video lessons show demonstrations, still graphics, animation, and real world examples - all designed to correlate with interviews with educated scientists and children about science class topics. These topics range from soil to the solar system. Opportunities are available for increasing students' science knowledge and observing teachers engaging their students in essential observation and research techniques.

Course Requirements

Participants are required to:

1. Register online at www.itv.scetv.org. Print registration form and mail with check for \$50.00 **payable to SCDE** (SC Department of Education). When payment has been received, printed materials and DVDs will be mailed to the address on your registration form. Mail printed registration form and check to:
Bonnie McMurray
ETV/ITV
P. O. Box 11000,
Columbia, SC 29211
2. View video lessons. One set of DVD lessons will be provided to each participant. These DVDs must be returned upon completion of the course in order to receive recertification credit. (Videos are only for educational use by S.C. schools.)
3. Complete written assignments:
 - a. selected writing assignment
 - b. classroom simulation activity
 - c. design a lesson plan
4. Complete Video Viewer's Log and Final Course Evaluation Form.
5. Upon course completion, all assignments and DVDs must be mailed to ITV and **postmarked by August 9.**

Required Materials

1. A teacher study guide and manual will be provided for each participant.
2. DVDs will be provided for each participant.

Questions? Contact Bonnie McMurray at mcmurray@scetv.org