



Who are we?

The West Valley Clean Water Authority is a collaborative stormwater pollution prevention program that represents the communities of Campbell, Los Gatos, Monte Sereno, and Saratoga. As part of our mandate, we provide educational activities about stormwater pollution and related topics to school aged children.

Enviroscape Watershed Model Demonstrations

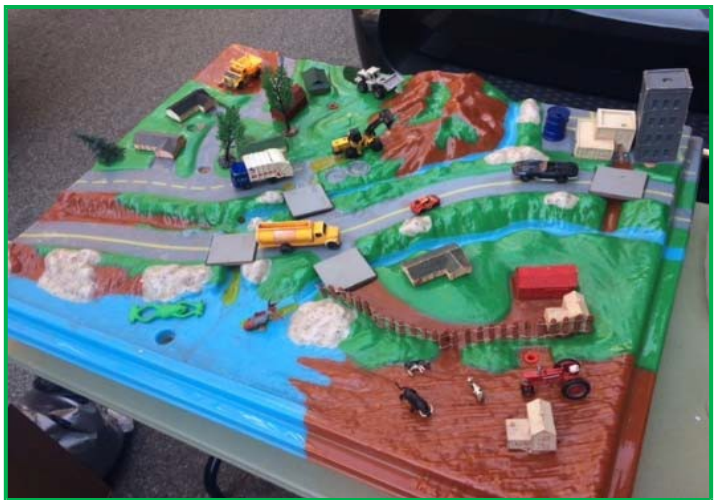
- Demonstrations in Classrooms and at Campus Events (such as Earth Day and Harvest Fairs).
- Fun & Informative: Kinesthetic education about the importance of local waterways and watersheds.
- Ask us about coordinating with your 1st - 5th grade science curriculum.

What We Provide:

- ◆ Enviroscape Watershed Model
- ◆ WVCWP Staff Presenters
- ◆ Educational Handouts

What Your School Provides:

- ◆ Minimum of 45 minutes of class time
- ◆ Send to WVCWP info on # of students, age/grade, location, etc.
- ◆ Feedback and evaluation on what was learned



School Science Fair Participation

- ◆ To teach students about watersheds, water quality, water pollutants and prevention
- ◆ Activities: Enviroscape demonstration, and other school-age activities

What We Provide:

- ◆ Hands-on interactive learning opportunities
- ◆ Educational materials
- ◆ Certificates of Recognition for students who create a water-based science project

What Your School Provides:

- ◆ Invitation to your Science Fair
- ◆ Space to set up a table for demonstrations
- ◆ Access to a water faucet



Creek Clean-up Events

- ◆ Help improve local creek habitat.
- ◆ Encourage students to be advocates for their environment.
- ◆ Provide opportunity for students to earn community service hours.

What We Provide:

- ◆ Creek Clean-up Supplies: Gloves, litter grabbers, trash/recycling bags, first aid kit
- ◆ WVCWP Staff to Supervise
- ◆ Liability Waiver Forms

What Your School Provides:

- ◆ Location on Campus
- ◆ Student Volunteers
- ◆ Chaperones



School Garden Resources

Contact WVCWP for
California Native Plant Seeds
to be used in your school garden.

- ◆ Seeds come with “10 Most Wanted Bugs” brochures, which explain how native plants attract beneficial bugs to gardens.
- ◆ Slender Sunflower seeds
- ◆ Yarrow seeds
- ◆ California Goldenrod seeds
- ◆ California Buckwheat seeds



Calif. Buckwheat
Eriogonum Fasciculatum



Perennial Shrub
Native to California
Grows to 3' h x 4' w
Drought Tolerant
Attracts Beneficial Bugs

*Preferable to start in Fall in containers indoors. Once established, plant 3' apart.
*Or, sow seeds, using 4-8 oz of seeds for 10,000 sq ft.
*Plant seeds when danger of frost is over.
*Plant in well-drained soil; likes high pH & Full Sun.
Attracts Beneficial Bugs: Butterfly caterpillars, Parasitic Wasps, Lacewings, Ladybugs, Syrphids
seeds provided by:
 WEST VALLEY CLEAN WATER PROGRAM
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