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## ABSTRACT

This handbook is designed to meet the aquatic education needs of Minnesota secondary teachers and students (aquatic education referring to the study of freshwater systems). The handbook is divided into three parts. Part 1 (an introduction) provides an overview of aquatic education, a description of the use of the handbook, and two indices to curriculum materials (defined as instructional materials providing ideas or plans for water-related activities). These materials include either complete courses of study or short collections of activities. The first index lists curriculum materials by source, with full references for requesting them by mail. The second index lists the curriculum materials by their Minnesota water topic area. Topic areas include: water and society (water in daily lives, water in history and culture, water quality problem); water in nature (water cycle, properties of water, life in water); and attitudes about and experiences with water. Curriculum materials are listed alphabetically by title in the second part and include for each entry: source, price, grade level, subject area(s), student prerequisites, time required, and other information. The last part provides an annotated list of student/teacher references. These include trade books, bibliographies, pamphlets, and audio-visual materials and their sources. (Author/JN)

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# THE "MARINATED" CLASSROOM

A SOURCEBOOK OF  
AQUATIC ACTIVITIES

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# THE "MARINATED" CLASSROOM

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## WHAT IS "AQUATIC EDUCATION"

"Aquatic" is defined by Webster as "of or pertaining to water." In its broadest sense, then, Aquatic Education would refer to any learning activities that relate to water. However, this broad definition has the potential of being confusing. There are two types of water environments that are of interest to educators, and these two environments differ greatly in their properties and characteristics. Teachers living in coastal regions will be most concerned about the salt water environment of the oceans, estuaries and salt marshes. For this reason, the term "marine" has generally been applied to activities related to the salt water environment. This leaves educators in the midwest, concerned primarily with the study of freshwater lakes and streams, without a good term of reference to describe this specific environment. It is becoming more and more common for the term "Aquatic Education" to be applied to the study of freshwater systems. While this is not a totally accurate use of the term, it is the best term available at this time.

## WHY A HANDBOOK OF AQUATIC EDUCATION

Minnesota is termed the "Land of 10,000 Lakes" so it is not surprising that Minnesota students are both interested in and experienced with water environments. However, little teaching specifically related to this uniquely Minnesotan environment is going on in the schools. A frequently heard complaint from teachers is that there are no materials available to meet their needs. This handbook is an attempt to break down that myth.

Curriculum education projects related to Marine and Aquatic Education have gone on in many parts of the country. Some of these have been school district sponsored projects and some sponsored by Title IV-C. However, the vast majority of materials designed to help teachers teach about water have come from the National Sea Grant Program. This agency, part of the Department of Commerce under the auspices of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, was created in 1966. The goals were to provide the same sort of research emphasis and support to the "water" environment as the Land Grant College Program of the 1800's had to the field of agriculture.

When the program was established, they defined the Great Lakes region as our nation's fourth coastline. This provided the means for Great Lakes states to receive financial support from the program in the areas of Fisheries and Aquaculture, Coastal and Environmental Processes, Water Safety, Recreation and, of course, Education.

## HOW TO USE THIS HANDBOOK

The handbook is divided into three sections.

### Part I: INTRODUCTION (First section of white pages)

This section of the handbook provides an overview of aquatic education, a description of the use of handbook, and two indices to the curriculum materials. The first index lists the curriculum materials by source with full references for requesting the materials by mail. The second index lists the curriculum materials by their Minnesota Water topic Area. Those topics, with examples are listed below.

#### WATER TOPICS

##### A. WATER AND SOCIETY

###### (1). Water in Our Daily Lives

e.g., water in our homes, city water supplies, transportational and recreational uses of water

###### (2). Water in History and as a Part of Culture

e.g., importance of water in the choice of sites for cities, importance of Lake Superior in Minnesota's cultural history

###### (3). The Water Quality Problem

e.g., water shortage, water pollution

##### B. WATER IN NATURE

###### (1). Nature's Water Cycle

e.g., characteristics of lakes and streams, the water cycle, the water table, water in erosion, distribution of freshwater

###### (2). Properties of Water

e.g., physical and chemical properties of water

###### (3). Life in Water

e.g., biological properties of water, water organisms

##### C. ATTITUDES AND EXPERIENCES

###### (1). Attitudes About Water

e.g., importance of protecting water supply, perceived magnitude of the water problem, value for freshwater resources

###### (2). Experiences With Water

e.g., field trips and vacations to lake areas, ability to swim, films and books about water

## Part II: Curriculum Materials (Yellow pages)

For the purposes of this handbook, curriculum materials are defined as instructional materials providing ideas or plans for activities related to water activities. These may be complete courses of study, or they may be short collections of activities. These materials are listed alphabetically by title. In addition, an Index is given to each item so that it can be cross-referenced with the two indices in Part I. This number is composed of three parts. The first part (either CM or R) identifies the citation as referring to either Curriculum Materials or Resources. The second part (either E or S) identifies the grade level of the materials as Elementary or Secondary (both junior high and high school age). Finally the third part (a number) gives a sequential identifier to each of the materials. This might be thought of as a page number for the curriculum materials or the resources. Hence, an item with an Index of:

CM/S/25

would be a curriculum material for secondary students and would be the 25th listing in the yellow paged curriculum materials section.

## Part III: Resources (Second section of white pages)

The last part of the handbook lists resources with short annotations. These resources include teacher and student references, trade books, bibliographies, pamphlets, and audio-visual materials and sources. The materials are arranged alphabetically and given an index number in the same manner as curriculum materials. Because many of these materials cover a wide range of topics, they have not been indexed by Minnesota Water Topic Areas.

SECONDARY CURRICULUM MATERIALS INDEXED BY SOURCE

ACID PRECIPITATION AWARENESS PROGRAM  
Independent School District #197  
1037 Bidwell St.  
West St. Paul, MN 55118

Acid Precipitation Awareness Program

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COAST PROJECT  
Willard Hall Education Building  
University of Delaware  
Newark, Delaware 19711

Beaches: A Geological Study	CM/S/5
Dissolved Oxygen Measured Qualitatively	CM/S/8
Ecology of Sand Dunes	CM/S/9
How to Recognize, Record and Analyze Characteristics of a Sandy Beach Environment	CM/S/20
Marine Aquaria	CM/S/27
Measuring Dissolved Oxygen Quantitatively	CM/S/30
Mercury--Its Chemistry in the Ecosystem	CM/S/31
Pesticides in the Marine Environment	CM/S/40
Physical Properties of Water	CM/S/41
Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis of Phosphate in Water	CM/S/45
Simulation Game: Superport	CM/S/51
The Subsets of a Pond	CM/S/54
Testing Water for Bacterial Pollution	CM/S/55
Water Density and Ocean Currents	CM/S/58
Water Quality and Treatment	CM/S/59
What is Physical Oceanography	CM/S/63

ERIC-SMEAC  
1200 Chalmers Rd.  
Columbus, OH 43212

Water-Related Teaching Activities

CM/S/60

THE GARDEN CLUB OF AMERICA  
598 Madison Ave.  
New York, NY 10022

The World Around You-- Environmental Education Packet

CM/S/64

HOLT, RINEHART AND WINSTON  
901 N. Elm St.  
Hinsdale, Illinois 60521

Microclimates  
Pollution  
Running Water  
Snow and Ice

CM/S/32  
CM/S/42  
CM/S/46  
CM/S/52

LA SALLE-PERU TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL  
District #120  
La Salle, Illinois 61301

Water: A Pollution Unit

CM/S/57

MICHIGAN SEA GRANT  
School of Natural Resources  
University of Michigan  
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109

Investigating the Great Lakes Environment--The Sea Lamprey

CM/S/21

MINNESOTA SEA GRANT EDUCATION PROJECT  
c/o Dr. Eugene Gennaro  
370 Peik Hall  
University of Minnesota  
159 Pillsbury Dr. SE  
Minneapolis, MN 55455

Minnesota Sea Grant--A Water Primer  
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules  
Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules  
Minnesota Sea Grant--Life Science Modules

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CM/S/34  
CM/S/35  
CM/S/36

MINNESOTA SEA GRANT EXTENSION SERVICE  
University of Minnesota-Duluth  
109 Washburn Hall  
Duluth, MN 55812

Lacustrine Lessons

CM/S/25

NATIONAL SCIENCE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION  
1742 Connecticut Ave., NW  
Washington, D.C. 20009

How To...Activities in Physical Oceanography

CM/S/18



NATIONAL WILDLIFE FOUNDATION  
Education Servicing  
1412 16th St., NW  
Washington, DC 20036

Changes in a Small Ecosystem  
Fish and Water Temperature  
Stream Profiles

CM/S/6  
CM/S/12  
CM/S/53

NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND MARINE EDUCATION PROJECT  
206 Shibles Hall  
University of Maine  
Orono, Maine 04469

The ABC's of Celebrating the Year of the Coast in Your School  
Aquaculture  
Have You Been to the Shore Before?  
Lighthouses  
Navigation  
Seaweeds  
Shipping, Ships and Waterways  
What Adventures Can You Have in Wetlands, Lakes, Ponds and Puddles?

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OHIO SEA GRANT  
283 Arps Hall  
1945 N. High St.  
Columbus, Ohio 43210

Coastal Processes and Erosion  
The Estuary: A Special Place  
Geography of the Great Lakes  
Getting to Know Your Local Fish  
The Great Lakes Triangle  
How to Protect a River  
How to Recognize, Record and Analyze Characteristics of a Sandy Beach Environment  
It's Everyone's Sea or Is It?  
Knowing the Ropes  
Oil Spill  
PCB's in Fish: A Problem?  
Shipping on the Great Lakes  
Shipping: The World Connection  
To Harvest a Walleye

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CM/S/24  
CM/S/38  
CM/S/39  
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POLLUTION CONTROL EDUCATION CENTER  
Union Public Schools  
Union, New Jersey 07083

Priority One Environment

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PUBLICATIONS DEPARTMENT  
Alameda County Public Schools Office  
685 A. Street  
Haywood, CA 94541

Marine Ecology Research--Junior High Curriculum

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SEA GRANT COLLEGE PROGRAM  
Texas A and M University  
College Station, Texas 77843,

Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources  
Marine Organisms in Science Teaching

CM/S/22  
CM/S/29

SHAWNEE MISSION SCHOOLS  
Shawnee Mission, Kansas

Project CLEAN.

CM/S/44

THOMAS ALVA EDISON FOUNDATION  
2000 Second Ave.  
Detroit, MI 48226

Environmental Experiments ... from Edison

CM/S/10

US FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE  
Office of Extension Education  
Washington, DC 20240

Freshwater Marsh

CM/S/13

YOUTH COASTAL EDUCATION PROGRAM  
21 S. Grive St.  
East Aurora, NY 14052

Aquatic Activities for Youth

CM/S/4

SECONDARY CURRICULUM MATERIALS INDEXED BY MINNESOTA WATER TOPIC AREAS

A1. WATER IN OUR DAILY LIVES

The ABC's of Celebrating the Year of the Coast in Your School	CM/S/1
Acid Precipitation Awareness Program	CM/S/2
Aquatic Activities for Youth	CM/S/4
Environmental-Experiments ... from Edison	CM/S/10
Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources	CM/S/22
Lacustrine Lessons	CM/S/25
Minnesota Sea Grant--A Water Primer	CM/S/33
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules	CM/S/34
Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules	CM/S/35
Minnesota Sea Grant--Life Science Modules	CM/S/36
Running Water	CM/S/46
Water: A Pollution Unit -- Project Creation	CM/S/57
Water Quality and Treatment	CM/S/59
Water-Related Teaching Activities	CM/S/60

A2. WATER IN HISTORY AND AS A PART OF CULTURE

The ABC's of Celebrating the Year of the Coast in Your School	CM/S/1
Acid Precipitation Awareness Program	CM/S/2
Aquaculture	CM/S/3
Aquatic Activities for Youth	CM/S/4
Geography of the Great Lakes	CM/S/14
The Great Lakes Triangle	CM/S/16
Investigating the Great Lakes Environment--The Sea Lamprey	CM/S/21
Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources	CM/S/22
It's Everyone's Sea or Is It?	CM/S/23
Lacustrine Lessons	CM/S/25
Lighthouses	CM/S/26
Minnesota Sea Grant--A Water Primer	CM/S/33
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules	CM/S/34
Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules	CM/S/35
Minnesota Sea Grant--Life Science Modules	CM/S/36
Navigation	CM/S/37
Seaweeds	CM/S/47
Shipping on the Great Lakes	CM/S/48
Shipping, Ships and Waterways	CM/S/49
Shipping: The World Connection	CM/S/50
Simulation Game: Superport	CM/S/51
Water-Related Teaching Activities	CM/S/60
What Adventures Can You Have in Wetlands, Lakes, Ponds and Puddles?	CM/S/62

A3. THE WATER QUALITY PROBLEM

Acid Precipitation Awareness Program	CM/S/2
Dissolved Oxygen Measured Qualitatively	CM/S/8
Environmental Experiments...from Edison	CM/S/10
The Estuary: A Special Place	CM/S/11
Fish and Water Temperature	CM/S/12
How To...Activities in Physical Oceanography	CM/S/18
How To Protect a River	CM/S/19
How to Recognize, Record and Analyze Characteristics of a Sandy Beach Environment	CM/S/20
Investigating the Great Lakes Environment--The Sea Lamprey	CM/S/21
Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources	CM/S/22
Lacustrine Lessons	CM/S/25
Marine Ecology Research Project--Junior High Curriculum	CM/S/28
Measuring Dissolved Oxygen Quantitatively	CM/S/30
Mercury--It's Chemistry in the Ecosystem	CM/S/31
Minnesota Sea Grant--A Water Primer	CM/S/33
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules	CM/S/34
Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules	CM/S/35
Minnesota Sea Grant--Life Science Modules	CM/S/36
Oil Spill	CM/S/38
PCB's in Fish: A Problem?	CM/S/39
Pesticides and the Marine Environment	CM/S/40
Pollution	CM/S/42
Priority One Environment	CM/S/43
Project CLEAN	CM/S/44
Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis of Phosphates in Water	CM/S/45
Testing Water for Bacterial Pollution	CM/S/55
Water: A Pollution Unit	CM/S/57
Water-Related Teaching Activities	CM/S/60
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B1. NATURE'S WATER CYCLE

The ABC's of Celebrating the Year of the Coast in Your School	CM/S/1
Acid Precipitation Awareness Program	CM/S/2
Beaches: A Geological Study	CM/S/5
Coastal Processes and Erosion	CM/S/7
Ecology of Sand Dunes	CM/S/9
Environmental Experiments... from Edison	CM/S/10
Geography of the Great Lakes	CM/S/14
How to Protect a River	CM/S/19
How to Recognize, Record and Analyze Characteristics of a Sandy Beach Environment	CM/S/20
Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources	CM/S/22
Lacustrine Lessons	CM/S/25
Microclimates	CM/S/32
Minnesota Sea Grant--A Water Primer	CM/S/33
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules	CM/S/34

B1. NATURE'S WATER CYCLE,--cont.

Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules	CM/S/35
Minnesota Sea Grant--Life Science Modules	CM/S/36
Snow and Ice	CM/S/52
Stream Profiles	CM/S/53
Water: A Pollution Unit	CM/S/57
Water Density and Ocean Currents	CM/S/58
Water-Related Teaching Activities	CM/S/60
We Can Help	CM/S/61
What Adventures Can You Have in Wetlands, Lakes, Ponds and Puddles?	CM/S/62

B2. PROPERTIES OF WATER

The ABC's of Celebrating the Year of the Coast in Your School	CM/S/1
Acid Precipitation Awareness Program	CM/S/2
Aquatic Activities for Youth	CM/S/4
Dissolved Oxygen Measured Qualitatively	CM/S/8
How To...Activities in Physical Oceanography	CM/S/18
Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources	CM/S/22
Lacustrine Lessons	CM/S/25
Marine Ecology Research Project--Junior High Curriculum	CM/S/28
Measuring Dissolved Oxygen Quantitatively	CM/S/30
Minnesota Sea Grant--A Water Primer	CM/S/33
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules	CM/S/34
Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules	CM/S/35
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Physical Properties of Water	CM/S/41
Project CLEAN	CM/S/44
Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis of Phosphate in Water	CM/S/45
Snow and Ice	CM/S/52
Water: A Pollution Unit	CM/S/57
Water Density and Ocean Currents	CM/S/58
Water-RELATED TEaching Activities	CM/S/60
We Can Help	CM/S/61
What is Physical Oceanography	CM/S/63

B3. LIFE IN WATER

The ABC's of Celebrating the Year of the Coast in Your School	CM/S/1
Acid Precipitation Awareness Program	CM/S/2
Aquaculture	CM/S/3
Aquatic Activities for Youth	CM/S/4
Changes in a Small Ecosystem	CM/S/6
The Estuary: A Special Place	CM/S/11
Fish and Water Temperature	CM/S/12
Freshwater Marsh	CM/S/13
Getting to Know Your Local Fish	CM/S/15

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B3. LIFE IN WATER, cont.

Have You Been to the Shore Before?	CM/S/17
Investigating the Great Lakes Environment--The Sea Lamprey	CM/S/21
Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources	CM/S/22
Lacustrine Lessons	CM/S/25
Marine Aquaria	CM/S/27
Marine Ecology Research Project--Junior High Curriculum	CM/S/28
Marine Organisms in Science Teaching	CM/S/29
Minnesota Sea Grant--A Water Primer	CM/S/33
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules	CM/S/34
Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules	CM/S/35
Minnesota Sea Grant--Life Science Modules	CM/S/36
PCB's in Fish: A Problem?	CM/S/39
Seaweeds	CM/S/47
The Subsets of a Pond	CM/S/54
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Water-Related Teaching Activities	CM/S/60
What Adventures Can You Have in Wetlands, Lakes, Ponds and Puddles?	CM/S/62
The World Around You--Environmental Education Packet	CM/S/64

C1. ATTITUDES ABOUT WATER

The ABC's of Celebrating the Year of the Coast in Your School	CM/S/1
Acid Precipitation Awareness Program	CM/S/2
Aquatic Activities for Youth	CM/S/4
Have You Been to the Shore Before?	CM/S/17
Investigating the Great Lakes Environment--The Sea Lamprey	CM/S/21
Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources	CM/S/22
Lacustrine Lessons	CM/S/25
Minnesota Sea Grant--A Water Primer	CM/S/33
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules	CM/S/34
Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules	CM/S/35
Minnesota Sea Grant--Life Science Modules	CM/S/36
Pollution	CM/S/42
Priority One Environment	CM/S/43
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Water-Related Teaching Activities	CM/S/60
We Can Help	CM/S/61
What Adventures Can You Have in Wetlands, Lakes, Ponds and Puddles?	CM/S/62

C2. EXPERIENCES WITH WATER

The ABC's of Celebrating the Year of the Coast in Your School	CM/S/1
Acid Precipitation Awareness Program	CM/S/2
Aquatic Activities for Youth	CM/S/4
Beaches: A Geological Study	CM/S/5

C2. EXPERIENCES WITH WATER, cont.

Freshwater Marsh	CM/S/13
Have You Been to the Shore Before?	CM/S/17
Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources	CM/S/22
Lacustrine Lessons	CM/S/25
Minnesota Sea Grant--A water Primer	CM/S/33
Minnesota Sea Grant--Earth Science Modules	CM/S/34
Minnesota Sea Grant--Extension Modules	CM/S/35
Minnesota Sea Grant--Life Science Modules	CM/S/36
Snow and Ice	CM/S/52
Stream Profiles	CM/S/53
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We Can Help	CM/S/61
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# **CURRICULUM MATERIALS**



Index: CM/S/1

NAME: The ABC's of Celebrating Year of the Coast in Your School

SOURCE: NNMEP (Northern New England Marine Education Project)

PRICE: \$2.00 + \$1.50 Handling

GRADE LEVEL: K-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Various

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS

A1  A2 A3  B1  B2  B3  C1  C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES:

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED:

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED  YES NO

COMMENTS: The unit is a collection of ideas for learning about the marine environment. An excellent resource.

Index: CM/S/2

NAME: Acid Precipitation Awareness Program

SOURCE: Acid Precipitation Awareness Program

PRICE:

GRADE LEVEL: Secondary

SUBJECT AREA(S): (on back)-6 Areas

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS (A1) (A2) (A3) (B1) (B2) (B3) (C1) (C2)

TOPICS: (on back) topics listed under each area

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Knowledge of Acid Rain and Environmental Problems.

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO  
Before each unit background information is provided.

TIME REQUIRED:

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES NO

An extensive list of references and helpful resources is included.

COMMENTS: These units suggest ways in which teachers can help students learn science while also learning about a major environmental problem: acid precipitation. It is a flexible curriculum, which could be used in an interdisciplinary manner.

Index: CM/S/3

NAME: Aquaculture

SOURCE: NNMEP (Northern New England Marine Education Project)

PRICE: \$2.00 + \$1.50 handling

GRADE LEVEL: 9-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Biology, Social Studies, Home economics

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Preparing meals from marine organisms

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES NO

COMMENTS: Specifically related to marine organisms. May be difficult to obtain specimens for activities.

Index: CM/S/4

NAME: Aquatic Activities for Youth

SOURCE: Youth Coastal Education Program,

PRICE: 9 units x 35¢ each

GRADE LEVEL: 4-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS  A1  A2 A3 B1  B2  B3  C1  C2

TOPICS: Introduction; 1-Fish Aquariums; 2-Raising Earthworms;  
3-Entomology and Water; 4-Rope; 5-Calculating Stream Flow;  
6-Cobbler's Cove; 7-A Saltwater World in a Jar;  
8-Fish in Your Diet

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TFACHEP BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES NO

COMMENTS: Units were originally designed for 4H and scouting groups.  
Material easy to obtain except for some which are specific to  
the marine environment.

Index: CM/S/5

NAME: Beaches: A Geological Study

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.50

GRADE LEVEL: 8-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Earth Science, General Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 **B1** B2 B3 C1 **C2**

TOPICS: Erosion, beach formation

STUDENT PREREQUISITES:

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 5-10 class periods (1 day field trip)

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

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**LAB ACTIVITIES**

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LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: Presents plans for building equipment to study a beach and adjacent lake region.

Index: CM/S/6

NAME: Changes in a Small Ecosystem

SOURCE: National Wildlife Federation,

PRICE: \$1.50

GRADE LEVEL: 5-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS: Field Trip, classroom observation, sampling

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 21 days (minimal observation each day)

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES **YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED **YES** NO

COMMENTS: Materials common and easily obtained. Many open-ended activities. "Lots of inquiry." "We have many places where students can apply these activities."

Index: CM/S/7

NAME: Coastal Processes and Erosion

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guide)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 **B1** B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Effect of shoreline erosion; methods of controlling erosion

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 2-3 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

**READINGS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

**AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS**

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/8

NAME: Dissolved Oxygen Measured Qualitatively

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.40

GRADE LEVEL: 7-10

SUBJECT AREA(S): Biology, Chemistry, General science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2  A3 B1  B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Basic lab and science skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 4-5 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXPENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES NO

COMMENTS:



Index: CM/S/9

NAME: Ecology of Sand Dunes

SOURCE: Coast

PRICE: \$ .50

GRADE LEVEL: 7-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 **B1** B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1 class period

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/10

NAME: Environmental Experiments.... from Edison

SOURCE: Thomas Alv Edison Foundation

PRICE:

GRADE LEVEL: 4-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS  A1 A2  A3  B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Water from Plants; A Model Water Filter; Water Holding capacity of Soils

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1 class period

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS: Easily obtained materials

Index: CM/S/11

NAME: The Estuary: A Special Place

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 B2 **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS: Ecological Sampling; Organisms in an Estuary, Effects of human forces on estuaries.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None.

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 2 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES **NO**

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/12

NAME: Fish and Water Temperature

SOURCE: National Wildlife Federation

PRICE: \$1.50

GRADE LEVEL: 4-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 B2 **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS: Thermal pollution, behavior of fish

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 4-5 days

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

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READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

Teacher and student lists.

COMMENTS: Material easily obtained.

Index: CM/S/13

NAME: Freshwater Marsh

SOURCE: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

PRICE: Trial Edition currently limitedly available - Free

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 **B3** C1 **C2**

TOPICS: Marsh Succession; Marsh Settlers; A Model Marsh

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 3-5 periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

**GAMES/SIMULATIONS**

**READINGS**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

**OTHER** Posters

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: "All materials are easily adaptable" "Information is clearly described."

Index: CM/S/14

NAME: Geography of the Great Lakes

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 **A2** A3 **B1** B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Names of Great Lakes and major Great Lakes Cities;  
Mapping activity; Volume by water displacement

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Mapping skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 3-4 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS:

34

Index: CM/S/15

NAME: Getting to Know Your Local Fish

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS, A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS: Classification

STUDENT PREREQUISITES:

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED:

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES **NO**

COMMENTS:

index: CM/S/16

NAME: The Great Lakes Triangle

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and Student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies, Literature

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 **A2** A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Great Lakes Triangle, Bathymetric charts, The Wreck of the Edmund Fitzgerald

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 2-3 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

**READINGS**

LAB ACTIVITIES

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED **YES** NO

COMMENTS: Excellent background material on the wreck of the Edmund Fitzgerald in Lake Superior.



Index: CM/S/17

NAME: Have You Been to the Shore Before?

SOURCE: Northern New England Marine Education Project

PRICE: \$2.00 + \$1.50 handling

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Life Science, Biology

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 **B3** **C1** **C2**

TOPICS: Life at the Shore; Seashore life; Beach field activities

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Some basic biology would be helpful

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

Film and book list

COMMENTS: Major focus is on ocean seashore.

Index: CM/S/18

NAME: How To... Activities in Physical Oceanography

SOURCE: National Science Teachers Association

PRICE: \$1.00

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 **B2** B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Water Hardness, Freshwater from Sea Water, Water Pressure and Depth, Waves, Beach Formation and Erosion, Density Currents, Icebergs

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES **NO**

TIME REQUIRED: 1 class period for each activity

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES

**NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES**

NO

Minimal number

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/19

NAME: How to Protect a River

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** **B1** B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: River characteristics, river pollution

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Map reading skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 2-3 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

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GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

LAB ACTIVITIES

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES

**NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES

**NO**

COMMENTS: References a river in Ohio, but could be adapted to local needs.

Index: CM/S/20

NAME: How to Recognize, Record and Analyze Characteristics of a Sandy Beach Environment

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$5.60

GRADE LEVEL: 10-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Biology

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2  A3  B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Dune Formation

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

READINGS

LAB ACTIVITIES

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

EVALUATION MATERIALS

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/21

NAME: Investigating the Great Lakes Environment - The Sea Lamprey Story

SOURCE: Michigan Sea Grant,

PRICE: \$37.50 (186 Pages and film strip)

GRADE LEVEL: 6-8

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1  A2  A3  B1  B2  B3  C1  C2

TOPICS: The Sea Lamprey (life cycle, history, control)

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES  NO

TIME REQUIRED: Varies from 1 period for some activities to 14 periods for the whole unit.

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS: A comprehensive approach to a single environmental issue utilizing a variety of techniques. "Reading level seems high for 7th-8th graders." "Even though we are not right on the Great Lakes in Mpls/St. Paul, it's important to stress the interrelationships of animals, especially when a foreign organism is introduced into a new environment." "Materials are too indepth-and too specific."

Index: CM/S/22

NAME: Investigating the Marine Environment and Its Resources

SOURCE: Sea Grant College Program, Texas A & M University

PRICE: \$8.00 (500 pages)

GRADE LEVEL: 4-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies, language, art

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS

A1

A2

A3

B1

B2

B3

C1

C2

TOPICS: Extremely comprehensive and varied

~~STUDENT~~ PREREQUISITES: Variable

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable (most activities designed for 1-2 periods)

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES  YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED  YES NO

COMMENTS: The single most comprehensive collection of marine activities available.

Index: CM/S/23

NAME: It's Everyone's Sea or Is It?

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guide)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 **A2** A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Topography of Atlantic Basin; International Trade and Regulations

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Map reading skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 2-3 Class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

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READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

LAB ACTIVITIES

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES **NO**

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/24

NAME: Knowing the Ropes

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies, Language

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Rope construction, Sailor's knots

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 2 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED YES NO

COMMENTS: Activities relating the construction, history and folk-lore of ropes on sailing vessels.



Index: CM/S/25

NAME: Lacustrine Lessons

SOURCE: Minnesota Sea Grant Extension Service

PRICE: Free

GRADE LEVEL: K-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS  A1  A2  A3  B1  B2  B3  C1  C2

TOPICS: Variety including Freshwater Aquaria, Turn-over, Gyotaicu, Building a Coastal City, Acid Rain

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Varies

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Generally 1-2 class periods per activity

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES  YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED  YES NO

COMMENTS: A periodic newsletter published by Minnesota Sea Grant listing aquatic activities.

Index: CM/S/26

NAME: Lighthouses

SOURCE: NNMEP (Northern New England Marine Education Project)

PRICE: \$2.00 + \$1.50 Handling

GRADE LEVEL: 8

SUBJECT AREA(S): Literature, Social Studies, Math

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 **(A2)** A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Reminiscences of a lighthouse keeper, navigation activities.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES:

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Various

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

**GAMES/SIMULATIONS**

**READINGS**

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

**AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS**

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **(NO)**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**(YES)** NO

COMMENTS: Would need major revision to be suitable for MN. Could be used before a trip to Split Rock Lighthouse.

Index: CM/S/27

NAME: Marine Aquaria #3

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$.50

GRADE LEVEL: K-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/28

NAME: Marine Ecology Research Project - Junior High Curriculum

SOURCE: Publications Dept., Alameda County Schools Office,

PRICE: \$5.50

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Language

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 **B2** **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS: Estuaries, Intertidal zones, invertebrates, taxonomy, fish, plankton, food web, marshes, seaweeds, saltwater.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: Complete curriculum (activities of variable length)

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

**GAMES/SIMULATIONS**

**READINGS**

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES **YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED **YES** NO  
Films, loan books, children's books - Extensive

COMMENTS: Wide variety of activities. Most marine oriented, but many of interest to or adaptable for MN students. (esp. section on plankton, food web, and some fish activities).

Index: CM/S/29

NAME: Marine Organisms in Science Teaching

SOURCE: Sea Grant College Program, Texas A & M University

PRICE: \$4.00 (192 pages)

GRADE LEVEL: 4-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS: Marine Organisms

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Variable (from none to basic biology)

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES **NO**  
Only minimal background given

TIME REQUIRED: Variable depending on activity (most activities designed for 1-2 periods).  
MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

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**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: Each unit uses the format: pre-lab, lab, post-lab. Some organisms (brine shrimp) easily available to MN teachers. Others (e.g. sea anemone's) could be ordered. A list of supplies is given.

Index: CM/S/30

NAME: Measuring Dissolved Oxygen Quantitatively

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.20

GRADE LEVEL: 10-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Biology, Chemistry

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 **B2** B3 C1 C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Chemistry skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

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GAMES/SIMULATIONS

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**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES **YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED **YES** NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/31

NAME: Mercury - It's Chemistry in the Ecosystem

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.35

GRADE LEVEL: 10-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Chemistry, Biology

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS    A1    A2    **A3**    B1    B2    B3    C1    C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Chemistry skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES**    NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1-4 periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

LAB ACTIVITIES

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES**    NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES    **NO**

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/32

NAME: Miniclimate

SOURCE: Holt, Rinehart, Winston

PRICE:

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 **B1** B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Temperature; Light; Moisture; Wind; Soil

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS:



Index: CM/S/33

NAME: Minnesota Sea Grant - A Water Primes

SOURCE: Minnesota Sea Grant Education Project

PRICE: Free

GRADE LEVEL: 5-8

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science/Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS

A1

A2

A3

B1

B2

B3

C1

C2

TOPICS: Water Properties; Water Pollution; Acids and Bases;  
Acid Precipitation

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES  YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED  YES NO

COMMENTS: Open-ended activities providing a background knowledge for the study of water pollution.

Index: CM/S/34

NAME: Minnesota Sea Grant Earth Science Modules

SOURCE: Minnesota Sea Grant Ed. Project

PRICE: Free

GRADE LEVEL: 5-8

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science/Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS  A1  A2  A3  B1  B2  B3  C1  C2

TOPICS: The Water Cycle; Minnesota's Glacial Past; Acids and Rocks; Stream Tables

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Basic knowledge of acids

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES  NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES  YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED  YES  NO

COMMENTS:

50

Index: CM/S/35

NAME: Minnesota Sea Grant - Extension

SOURCE: Minnesota Sea Grant Education Project

PRICE: Free

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science/Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS

A1  A2  A3  B1  B2  B3  C1  C2

TOPICS: The Acid Rain Game; A B.W.C.A. Case Study; The Acid Rain Controversy

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES  NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

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LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

~~EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES~~

~~YES  NO~~

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/36

NAME: Minnesota Sea Grant - Life Science Modules

SOURCE: Minnesota Sea Grant Education Project

PRICE: Free

GRADE LEVEL: 5-8

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS

A1  A2  A3  B1  B2  B3  C1  C2

TOPICS: A Model Ecosystem; Food Chains; Acids and Brine Shrimp; A Field Trip Guide

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Basic knowledge of Acids

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES  NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS:

52

Index: CM/S/37

NAME: Navigation

SOURCE: NNMEP (Northern New England Marine Education Project)

PRICE: \$2.00 + \$1.50 handling

GRADE LEVEL: 9-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Math

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 **A2** A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Dead reckoning, determining latitude and longitude, bearings

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Range of background knowledge from algebra to trigonometry depending on problems chosen.

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

**OTHER** Math Problems

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: Of primary value only to those living on the ocean or a very large lake. Some extension activities can be adapted to land use.

Index: CM/S/38

NAME: Oil Spill

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (student and teacher guides).

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Sources of oil spills, cleaning-up spills, effects of oil on organisms

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Decimal multiplication skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 3 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: Contains several highly motivating activities dealing with various methods of cleaning up oil spills.

Index: CM/S/39

NAME: PCB's in Fish: A Problem?

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2  A3 B1 B2  B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: PCB pollution

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: graphing skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1-2 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/40

NAME: Pesticides and the Marine Environment

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.05

GRADE LEVEL: 7-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Biology

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Effects of pesticides on photosynthesis

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Some knowledge of pesticide toxicity

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1-2 periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS, OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: Activity is a "dry lab" designed by students. Masters for data are provided for duplication.



Index: CM/S/41

NAME: Physical Properties of Water

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.10

GRADE LEVEL: 10-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Biology; Chemistry

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 **B2** B3 C1 C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES:

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES **NO**

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: Presents a general outline for the study of water properties.  
Includes transparency masters for duplication.

Index: CM/S/42

NAME: Pollution

SOURCE: Holt, Rinehart, Winston

PRICE:

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2  A3 B1 B2 B3  C1 C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES  YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED  YES NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/43

NAME: Priority One Environment

SOURCE: Pollution Control Education Center, Union Public  
Schools, Union, NJ 07083  
PRICE: \$5.50 - Teacher Guides

GRADE LEVEL: 7-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies, Language

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 B2 B3 **C1** C2

TOPICS: Air Pollution and Your Health; Open Lands and  
Wildlife; Water Supplies; The Energy Challenge

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Basic science skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

**READINGS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

EVALUATION MATERIALS

**AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS**

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES **NO**

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/44

NAME: Project CLEAN

SOURCE: Shawnee Missions Schools

PRICE:

GRADE LEVEL: 9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 **B2** B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Properties of Acids; Acid Pollution

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Completion of Chapter IV in IPS

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 10 days

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

Very limited

COMMENTS: "Introductory unit on Acids."

60

Index: CM/S/45

NAME: Quantitative and Qualitative Analysis of Phosphate in Water

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.00

GRADE LEVEL: 11-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Chemistry

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 **B2** B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Spectrophotometric analysis of phosphate.  
Qualitative analysis of phosphate.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Advanced chem/math skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 6 periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: Quantitative method requires a spectrophotometer.

Index: CM/S/46

NAME: Running Water

SOURCE: Holt, Rinehart, Winston

PRICE:

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

READINGS

LAB ACTIVITIES

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

EVALUATION MATERIALS

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/47

NAME: Seaweeds

SOURCE: NNMEP (Northern New England Marine Education Project)

PRICE: \$2.00 + \$1.50

GRADE LEVEL: 9-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Biology, Chemistry, History

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Marine plants, industrial uses, ecology of marine plants

STUDENT PREREQUISITES:

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO  
Extensive background on marine plants

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED YES NO

COMMENTS: Specimens would be difficult to obtain in Minnesota.

Index: CM/S/ 48

NAME: Shipping on the Great Lakes

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 **A2** A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Transportation on the Great Lakes, map reading.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Decimal manipulation; map reading

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1-2 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES

**NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES**

NO

COMMENTS:

64



Index: CM/S/49

NAME: Shipping, Ships and Waterways

SOURCE: NNMEP (Northern New England Marine Education Project)

PRICE: \$2.00 + \$1.50 handling

GRADE LEVEL: 7

SUBJECT AREA(S): Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 **A2** A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Types of ships

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

**YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

**YES** NO

COMMENTS: Primary focus on ocean shipping. It does have an extensive appendix on the wreck of the Edmund Fitzgerald in Lake Superior.

Index: CM/S/50

NAME: Shipping: The World Connection

SOURCE: Ohio Sea Grant (OEAGLS)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1  A2 A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Locks along the Great Lakes, international shipping on the Great Lakes.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 2 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER Crossword Puzzle

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/51

NAME: Simulation Game: Super-port

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.65

GRADE LEVEL: 10-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1  A2 A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Simulation of the effect of a "super-port" on the marine environment.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES  NO

TIME REQUIRED: 12 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/52

NAME: Snow and Ice

SOURCE: Holt, Rinehart, Winston

PRICE:

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3  B1  B2 B3 C1  C2

TOPICS: Structure of Snow

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/53

NAME: Stream Profiles

SOURCE: The National Wildlife Federation

PRICE: \$1.00

GRADE LEVEL: 4-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Math

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3  B1 B2 B3 C1  C2

TOPICS: Survey of a stream

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Basic mathematics skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED: 4-5 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS: Materials easily obtained. High degree of student involvement.

Index: CM/S/54

NAME: Testing Water for Bacterial Pollution #205

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.30

GRADE LEVEL: 8-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Biology

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS    A1    A2    **A3**    B1    B2    B3    C1    C2

TOPICS:

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Basic biology skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES**    NO

TIME REQUIRED: 3-4 periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES    YES    NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED    **YES**    NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/55

NAME: The Subsets of a Pond

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: .95c

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Math

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS: Set theory applied to marine examples.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: basic 7th grade math skills

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1 class period

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

**READINGS**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

**OTHER** Math problems

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES **NO**

COMMENTS: Uses marine organism relationships to develop the concept of sets.

Index: CM/S/56

NAME: To Harvest a Walleye

SOURCE: OEAGLS (Ohio Sea Grant)

PRICE: \$1.00 (teacher and student guides)

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science/math

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 **B3** C1 C2

TOPICS: Population dynamics of walleye, Food webs

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: basic math

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1-2 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

**GAMES/SIMULATIONS**

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

**OTHER** Masters for game boards

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES **NO**

COMMENTS:



Index: CM/S/57

NAME: Water - A Pollution Unit - Project Creation

SOURCE: La Salle-Peru Township High School

PRICE: \$2.25

GRADE LEVEL: Secondary

SUBJECT AREA(S): Earth and Life, Biology, Chemistry

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS  A1 A2  A3  B1  B2  B3  C1 C2

TOPICS: Water's Cycle and the Ecosystem, Source of Water Pollution, BOD: Organic Water Pollution, the Government and Water Pollution

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Student Background info: in provided in the unit.

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: YES  NO

TIME REQUIRED: 17-23 hours

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES  YES  NO  
Several options are given to students.

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED YES  NO

COMMENTS: The Water Pollution Unit is one of 15 Creation Units, an interdisciplinary curriculum (science/social studies) in High School environmental education. It is designed to prepare students to to examine local water pollution problems and to understand why citizens must develop an environmental ethic based on sound technological choices. (The materials needed are easy to locate or are provided.)

Index: CM/S/58

NAME: Water Density and Ocean Currents

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$.90

GRADE LEVEL: 7-10

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3  B1  B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Density of water, currents

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES NO

TIME REQUIRED:

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES

NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES

NO

COMMENTS:

74

Index: CM/S/59

NAME: Water Quality and Treatment

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.15

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, English

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS:  A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Treatment of Drinking Water, Tap Water

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES  NO

TIME REQUIRED: 2 class periods

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/60

NAME: Water-Related Teaching Activities

SOURCE: ERIS-SMEAC

PRICE:

GRADE LEVEL: K-12

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Math Social Studies, Art, Language Art, Music

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS (A1) (A2) (A3) (B1) (B2) (B3) (C1) (C2)

TOPICS: Collection of activities appearing in ERIC documents

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Variable, but generally none

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: (YES) NO  
Minimal

TIME REQUIRED: generally 1 period per activity

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

(GAMES/SIMULATIONS)

(READINGS)

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

(LAB ACTIVITIES)

(EVALUATION MATERIALS)

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES

(NO)

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES

(NO)

COMMENTS: Excellent collection of a variety of activities.

Index: CM/S/61

NAME: We Can Help

SOURCE: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

PRICE: \$20.00 for 24 units + \$1.00 postage

GRADE LEVEL: Level I (4-6) Level II (7-12)

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 **A3** B1 **B2** B3 **C1** **C2**

TOPICS: Examples are: Water Flow and Impoundment; Snow; Fish Hatcheries; Water Quality Analysis; Waterfowl Nest Structures; Wetlands and Wildlife; Fish Populations

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Variable

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: 1 day for each unit

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

**WORKSHEETS**

**GAMES/SIMULATIONS**

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES **YES** NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED **YES** NO

COMMENTS: The focus is specifically on outdoor education. Good supplement to an environmental field trip.

Index: CM/S/62

NAME: What Adventures Can You Have in Wetlands, Lakes, Ponds and Puddles?

SOURCE: Northern New England Marine Education Project

PRICE: \$2.00 + \$1.50 Postage/handling

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Life science; social studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1  A2  A3  B1  B2  B3  C1  C2

TOPICS: Introduction to Wetlands, streams, lakes, ponds and puddles. Fieldguide, classroom model ecosystem, aquatic art activities.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: Some basic biology would be helpful.

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES  NO  
Excellent background information

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED  YES  NO

Teacher and student booklist provided.

COMMENTS: Some materials for the field trip may be difficult to obtain.  
Interdisciplinary approach used.

Index: CM/S/63

NAME: What is Physical Oceanography

SOURCE: COAST

PRICE: \$1.00

GRADE LEVEL: 7-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 **B2** B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: Properties of Sea water, Physical properties of water,  
Physical features of the ocean.

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED: **YES** NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

**DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

**LAB ACTIVITIES**

**EVALUATION MATERIALS**

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES **NO**

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES **NO**

COMMENTS:

Index: CM/S/4

NAME: The World Around You - Environmental Education Packet

SOURCE: The Garden Club of America

PRICE: Free

GRADE LEVEL: 6-9

SUBJECT AREA(S): Science, Social Studies

MINNESOTA WATER TOPICS A1 A2 A3 B1 B2 B3 C1 C2

TOPICS: General topics in environmental education

STUDENT PREREQUISITES: None

TEACHER BACKGROUND INFORMATION PROVIDED:  YES  NO

TIME REQUIRED: Variable

MATERIALS PROVIDED WITH THE UNIT

WORKSHEETS

GAMES/SIMULATIONS

READINGS

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

LAB ACTIVITIES

EVALUATION MATERIALS

LAB EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

AUDIO VISUAL MATERIALS

OTHER Posters

EXTENSIONS OR RELATED ACTIVITIES

YES  NO

RESOURCES/REFERENCES CITED

YES  NO

COMMENTS:



# RESOURCES

R/S/1

AMERICANS AND THE WORLD OF WATER

edited by Harold Goodwin

Sea Grant Publication

University of Delaware

College of Marine Studies

Newark, DE 19711 1977

Marine specialists contribute the chapters that recall the importance of the world of water to Americans everywhere.

R/S/2

AQUATIC SCIENCE - MARINE FISHERIES BIOLOGY

James T. Davis, and Deborah J. Lightfoot

Marine Information Service, Sea Grant Program

Texas A & M University

College Station, Texas 77843

The information about food chains and webs could be used in study on freshwater. Otherwise most of the activities are most appropriate for marine science. However, the suggested activities could be adapted for freshwater study.

R/S/3

AROUND THE SHORES OF LAKE SUPERIOR: A GUIDE TO HISTORIC SITES

Margaret Beattie Bohue, and Virginia A. Palmer

University of Wisconsin Press

Wisconsin Sea Grant College Program 1979

A book to enrich anyone's historic background about the Lake Superior Region and would promote an appreciation for the unique qualities of the area.

R/S/4

BIENNIAL REPORT: LIMNOLOGICAL RESEARCH CENTER

H. E. Wright, Jr., Director

University of Minnesota

Minneapolis, MN 55455 1978-79

The Limnological Research Center, located in Pillsbury Hall with the Department of Geology and Geophysics, consists of a number of offices and laboratories for chemical, biological, and historical studies of lakes. The "Biennial Report" summarizes current limnological research, includes a list of cited references, publications, and theses completed during 1978-79.

R/S/5

BILLIONS OF YEARS IN MINNESOTA - THE GEOLOGICAL STORY OF THE STATE

Edmund C. Bray

Science Museum of Minnesota

North Central Publishing Co.

St. Paul, MN 1977

This brief summary of the geological history of Minnesota is useful for teacher's knowledge of how the state's bodies of water were formed. Although it is somewhat technical, the glossary of geological terms helps in understanding.

R/S/6

BIOLUMINESCENCE IN MARINE ORGANISMS

Steven McDonough

Marine Education Program

Office of the Los Angeles County Superintendent of Schools

9300 E. Imperial Highway

Dorney, CA 90242

This report defines bioluminescence as light produced by chemical reactions in a living system, mainly found in organisms that live in the sea. An interesting account, but probably more useful with marine biology.

R/S/7

CANADA

Canadian Embassy

1771 N. Street NW

Room 300

Washington, DC 20035

The acid rain problem in the lakes of eastern Canada and the northeastern U.S. is explored including the economic, biological, and political ramifications. In this volume, Canada Today surveys some of the damage done, considers possible damage in the future, and suggests solutions. An excellent resource to increase a teacher's knowledge and awareness about this complex issue.

R/S/8

A CITIZEN'S GUIDE TO MINNESOTA'S QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN

Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

1935 County Road B2

Roseville, MN 55113

This booklet explains what Minnesota's Water Quality Management Plan is, how it works, what some of its programs are and what are some of the future plans concerning water quality.

R/S/9

EARLY LOGGERS IN MINNESOTA VOL. II

J. C. Ryan

Minnesota Timber Producers Association

200 Christie Building

Duluth, MN 55802 1976

A book filled with pictures that tell the story of logging themselves. A teacher could read excerpts from the script, which is rich with descriptions of the lumberjacks' lives, to help students increase their awareness of the early lumber industry.

R/S/10

THE EDGE OF THE SNOWHEAD

Ryck Lydecker

Minnesota Marine Advisory Service, Office of Sea Grant

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

U.S. Dept. of Commerce

Agricultural Extension Service

Continuing Ed. and Extension

Univ. of MN 1976

This book explores the Minnesota coast, its setting and its history, its problems and potentials. Its purpose is to aid in the conservation and development of the nation's coastal resources through educating the public.

R/S/11

EDUCATOR'S GUIDE TO GREAT LAKES MATERIALS

Pam Johnson

University of Wisconsin Sea Grant College Program

Sea Grant Communications Office

1800 University Ave

Madison, WI 53706

A bibliography of contemporary materials on many aspects of the Great Lakes which will aid educators in locating appropriate books, maps, charts, pamphlets, and films for classroom use.

R/S/12

80 A DECADE FOR DECISIONS WATER

The Freshwater Society

Journal of Freshwater - Special Report/Fall & winter 1980

Freshwater Foundation for members of the Freshwater Society

2500 Shadywood Road, Box 90

Navarre, MN 55392

This report explores four major water issues, water and health, water quantity, water and energy, and water law. The issues are stated from differing viewpoints and the values they involve. It is intended to be used by teachers, students, and others as a reference and springboard for discussion.

R/S/13

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION - GUIDELINES AND ACTIVITIES FOR TEACHERS

S. Aude'an Allman, O. W. Kopp, and David L. Zufelt

Charles E. Merrill Publishing Co., A Bell & Howell Co.

Columbus, Ohio 43216 1976

Some education encounters directly related to water pollution and conservation. A good resource book to get started, but lacks detailed info. needed for student activities, but a list of concepts and related encounters is listed at the beginning of the book.

R/S/14  
ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION REPORT - POLLUTION  
Center for Environmental Education, Inc.  
Suite 206  
1925 K Street NW  
Washington, DC 20006 1980

This volume contains several articles on Acid Rain and has a section for A-V resource and suggested children's and Resource Books.

R/S/15  
FISH OF LAKE SUPERIOR - FISH OF LAKE MICHIGAN  
Warren Downs  
Univ. of Wisconsin, Sea Grant College Program  
Sea Grant Communications Office  
1800 University Ave.  
Madison, WI 53706

Good resources for information about the information about the fish found in the Lake Superior and Lake Michigan.

R/S/16  
FISH KILLS CAUSED BY POLLUTION IN 1975 - 16TH REPORT  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Office of Water Planning and Standards  
Monitoring and Data Support Division  
Washington, DC 20460

This annual fish kill report includes a total summary of fish reported killed in 1975 and then statistics for each state is given. The information concerning the pollution - caused Fish Kill would certainly raise the awareness of students and teachers about this problem. In an effort to encourage individuals to report kills to state officials the Appendices list the State Agencies to be notified, give a sample form to show the report information desired of the types of operations identified as pollutant sources.

R/S/17  
FRIENDS OF THE BOUNDARY WATERS WILDERNESS  
1783 Lindig Street  
St. Paul, MN 55113 Oct. 1978

This publication summarizes the history of the Battle for protective legislation for the Boundary Waters. It includes a map of the area and a list of the provisions of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness Act.

R/S/18  
A GEOLOGIC FIELD TRIP ACROSS MINNESOTA  
Donald A. Johnson, and David L. Williams  
Minnesota Field Trip  
P.O. Box 1582  
St. Cloud, MN 56301

Two MN earth science teachers developed this guide for students to take a geologic field trip across their own state via cartoons, photographs, slides, and written explanations. It would enhance an earth science classroom motivating interest in students and making geology more relative to them.

R/S/19

THE GEOLOGY OF COOK COUNTY.

Frank F. Grout, Robert P. Sharp and George M. Schwartz  
The Lund Press, Inc.  
Minneapolis, MN

This book covers the complex geology of Cook County, the extreme Northeastern top of Minnesota. It would be a useful reference for a teacher to find any needed information about the geology of this area.

R/S/20

GOPHER HISTORIAN

Minnesota Historical Society/  
Cedar and Central  
St. Paul, MN 55101

A periodical publication of the Minnesota Historical Society containing articles of interest about Minnesota history.

THE GREAT LAKES

Hawkhill Associates  
125 E. Gilman St.  
Madison, WI 53703

A series of three sound-filmstrips (Beginnings, Voices and Environmental Problems). Narration, graphics and photography highlight the environmental problems in the region.

R/S/22

THE GREAT LAKES GUIDEBOOK--LAKE SUPERIOR AND WESTERN LAKE MICHIGAN

George Cantor  
The University of Michigan Press  
Ann Arbor, MI

A book for teachers to use to become familiar with the Great Lakes region.

R/S/23

THE GREAT LAKES REGION IN CHILDREN'S BOOKS

Edited by Donna Taylor  
Green Oak Press  
Brighton, Michigan

An annotated guide to works about the Great Lakes region including hard and soft cover books, pamphlets and magazines. Very useful when locating materials about the Great Lakes, especially because it is divided by states. There are several indices included which further aid in finding appropriate materials.

R/S/24

GUIDE TO THE MARINE EDUCATION SYSTEM

Susan C. Gammsib and James A. Lanter

SEA Grant Program

Virginia Institute of Marine Science

Oboucester Point, Virginia, 23062

This book consists of an explanation of the Marine Educational Materials System (MEMS) and how to use it, an ongoing list of the publications which have been entered, an index of descriptors and listings of entries by author and grade level. Using the index of descriptors, it is possible to conduct a manual cross-referenced search of MEMS entries.

R/S/25

MINNESOTA'S BOUNDARY WITH CANADA - ITS EVOLUTION SINCE 1783

William E. Tass

Minnesota Historical Society Press

Public Affairs Center Publications

St. Paul, MN 1980

This book includes more than a comprehensive history of the boundary line demarcation between Minnesota and Canada, but it also represents the aspirations, successes, frustrations, failures, and compromises of these two countries. Readers will have a better understanding of America - Canadian relations which would help in realizing the political complexities of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area issues today.

R/S/26

MINNESOTA'S ROCKS AND WATERS

George M. Schartz, and George A. Thiel

University of Minnesota Press

Minneapolis, MN

This volume is a general summary of the major geological features of the state. A useful resource, but no activities are included for students - so it would mainly be used as a reference book.

R/S/27

VOLUME I: MINNESOTA WALK BOOK - A GUIDE TO BACKPACKING AND HIKING IN THE ARROWHEAD AND ISLE ROYALE

James W. Buckanan

Nodin Press

519 North Third Street

Minneapolis, MN. 55401

Lists the necessities for backpacking and hiking in the Arrowhead and Isle Royale regions and describes the trails that can be used. Helpful in promoting positive attitudes about enjoyment of water nature and its recreational pleasure.

R/S/28

MINNESOTA WATER QUALITY - REPORT TO CONGRESS SECTION 305(b)  
Minnesota Pollution Control Agency  
1935 West County Road B-2  
Roseville, Minnesota 55113 1980

This report concerns the quality of Minnesota's waters including 12,000 lakes of ten acres or more, many miles of streams and three major river systems: the Mississippi, the Minnesota, and the Red River of the North. It lists the 1972 Federal Water Pollution Control Act requirements, describes some of the various water quality programs in the state, some of the various water problems, and an overall program evaluation and a discussion of possible modifications to existing water pollution control programs. It would be a useful classroom resource when studying water quality in Minnesota.

R/S/29

OUR GREAT LAKES  
University of Wisconsin Sea Grant College Program  
Sea Grant Communications Office  
1800 University Ave.  
Madison, WI 53206

A useful pamphlet of information on the Great Lakes - great for expanding the teacher's background knowledge about the region.

R/S/30

OUTCROP MAP OF SOUTHERN PART OF DULUTH COMPLEX AND ASSOCIATED KEWEENAW  
ROCKS, ST. LOUIS AND LAKE COUNTIES, MINNESOTA

Bill Bonnicksen  
Miscellaneous Map Series

Map M-11

The University of Minnesota  
Minneapolis, MN 1971

This series of Minnesota maps includes hydrogeologic, bedrock and various topographic maps of Minnesota, with a special map of the Duluth - Lake Superior area.

R/S/31

PADDLE-TO-THE SEA  
Holling Clancy Holling  
Houghton Mifflin Company  
Boston, MA 1941 & 1969

Story of a young Indian boy's canoe as it floats through the Great Lakes to the Atlantic Ocean.

R/S/32

PIONEER FACES AND PLACES  
Cook County Historical Society  
Arrowhead Printing,  
Superior, WI 1979

This book contains a collection of photographs which help explain the lives, hardships and toils of the pioneers in the Arrowhead Region of Lake Superior. Brief descriptions are given for each picture, but otherwise there is little script. Students can find out a great deal about the hopes and heartbreaks of the pioneers by just viewing the photos.



R/S/33

A PLUG FOR THE GREAT LAKES BASIN COMMISSION

Robin J. Irwine  
Supplement to Wisconsin Natural Resources  
D.N.R. Bureau of Planning  
Box 7921  
Madison, WI 53707

This supplement reports on the development of a management plan for the entire Great Lakes basin and the issues of concern, including wetlands policy, waste hazards, water quality, water conservation and hazardous waste management.

R/S/34

A PRIMER ON LIMNOLOGY

John B. Lundquist  
Limnological Research Center  
University of Minnesota March 1975

The purpose of this book is to provide an introduction to limnology, the scientific study of inland waters, including lakes, ponds, and rivers. It also identifies some of the lake problems that are influenced by human activities, and outlines some procedures for studying individual lakes, which would be especially useful when planning this type of field trip activity.

R/S/35

ROOTS

Minnesota Historical Society  
1500 Mississippi Street  
St. Paul, MN 55101

Each magazine provides a study guide which lists possible student activities, discussion questions from the articles in the magazine, glossary of new terms, and a resource list.

R/S/36

SAVING LAKE SUPERIOR

Wendy W. Adamson  
Dillon Press, Inc.  
South Third St.  
Minneapolis, MN 55415 1976

Traces the geologic and industrial history of Lake Superior, the pollution of the lake, and steps being taken to save it.

R/S/37

TRANS - MISSISSIPPI BIOLOGICAL SUPPLY

Jerry Hawkins  
550 Cardigan Road  
St. Paul, MN 55112

R/S/38

THE VOYAGEURS AND THEIR SONGS

Theodore C. Blegen

Minnesota Historical Society

St. Paul, MN 1966

This pamphlet contains a vivid description of the lives of voyageurs in the Great Lakes Region. It would be an excellent resource for depicting the history and for capturing the flavor of our heritage in song. An interesting account that could be read by the teacher to the class.

R/S/39

THE VOYAGEUR'S HIGHWAY

Grace Lee Nate

The Minnesota Historical Society

St. Paul, MN

Depicts the life of the voyageur, fur trading, logging industries as well as famous persons during this era and physical features. A chronology of famous events and people is also provided.

R/S/40

EPA 905/9-80-005

TOXIC SUBSTANCES IN THE GREAT LAKES June 1980

United States Environmental Protection Agency

Washington, DC

This pamphlet summarizes the affects of toxic substances in the Great Lakes, and lists toxic substances by use, describes each probable source, shows where it is found, and characteristics/health effects.

EPA 600/8-80-026

RESEARCH SUMMARY

INDUSTRIAL WASTEWATER

June 1980

United States Environmental Protection Agency

Washington, DC

This pamphlet reports about the research on industrial wastewater, what treatments are now being used for the various toxins, and future research. It lists individual research projects and publication for further information.

EPA

CLEAN WATER AND THE DAIRY PRODUCTS INDUSTRY

United States Environmental Protection Agency

Washington, DC

This pamphlet was written for persons in the dairy products industry to inform them about how water pollution laws affect the dairy industry and why water pollution must be controlled.

R/S/41

WATER - EXPERIMENTS TO UNDERSTAND IT

Boris Arnov

Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Books

William Morrow & Co., Inc.

105 Madison Ave.

New York, NY 10016

Properties of water are demonstrated through simple experiments. Cookbook approach, little room for child's creativity and somewhat uninteresting because of this approach. Good teacher reference on experiments on chemical and physical properties of water.

R/S/42

WATER POLLUTION

Charles W. Lavaroni & Patrick A. O'Donnell

Addison-Wesley Environmental Studies Series

Addison-Wesley Publishing Co., Inc

1843 Hicks Road

Rolling Meadows, IL 60008 1971

Possibly most useful as a teacher resource and then modified for student use - Cookbook experiments on water pollution.

R/S/43

WHEN ALL THE CLEAN WATER IS GONE

Kathleen Brandl and Linda Watson

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

Centennial Office Building

St. Paul, MN 55101

A colorful, appealing pamphlet that could be used at several grade levels as a starting point for discussing the political, economic, and esthetic problems associated with water pollution.