# A+ for Energy Professional Development Program

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#### **From Inside Education**

<u>Teacher Professional Development</u> - If you enjoyed your experience with us, why not join us for some more teacher professional development:)

<u>Classroom Resources</u> - Continue your natural resource education journey with classroom resources - search by topic and grade level on our website.

<u>Classroom Presentations</u> - **No-cost!** Offered from November - April throughout Alberta, we can visit your class and spark some creative discussions around natural resource topics.

<u>Youth Summits</u> - Youth Summits provide a no-cost opportunity for Alberta high school students to learn together with teachers and peers in a dynamic conference environment. *Regenerate 2024* is scheduled for March 7-10, 2024, and will showcase the places, people, and projects that are shaping our forested landscape in Alberta.

A+ for Energy Grant - Here's another opportunity to implement an environmental learning project at your school. With the spotlight on energy, here's a chance to engage your students in developing and designing an energy related project and to promote energy awareness amongst their peers. Application Deadline - mid May annually. Open to teachers in Western Canada

<u>YouTube Channel</u> - Subscribe to Inside Education's YouTube channel to access the past 20 years of videos that we have created! Webinar Wednesday streams, short "how-to" videos and video series can all be viewed here.

# **From Teachers/Participants**

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YouTube Channel

New Myrnam School Energy Projects

Awkward Aquaponics YouTube Channel

Cochrane High School ROAMS Program

PD Program Teacher Workshop Summary

## Speakers/Organizations we heard from on our tour:

- ENMAX Wind Farms
- Southgrow Regional Initiative
  - o Kim Welby, *Director* 
    - **403-849-1754**
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  - Alberta's Energy Landscape presentation slides
- Village of Stirling
  - o Trevor Lewington, Mayor
    - **403-330-3701**
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  - o Stirling Information Brochures
  - o Ridge Utilities (Em)Powering Local Communities
    - Customer Care: 403-308-8850
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- Lethbridge Biogas

### **Energy Organizations with Great Resources (ones we did not hear from)**

- Indian Resource Council
- Canadian Natural Resources Limited
- Pathways Alliance
- Cenovus
- Pembina Pipelines
- Future Energy Systems University of Alberta
- Pembina Institute
- Alberta Energy and Minerals
- Terrapin Geothermics
- Shell Quest
- Metis Crossing
- Blatchford Community
- Change for Climate City of Edmonton
  - Edmonton's Energy Transition
  - Climate Change Adaptation
  - Neighbouring for Climate
  - o Edmonton's Climate Change Almanac (projected climate changes)
  - o A Tiny Explanation Climate Change Adaptation
  - A Tiny Explanation Energy Efficiency
  - o Climate Resilient Home
  - o Climate Conversations Teacher's Guide (grade 7-12)
- Careers in Energy
- GeoLearns
- Energy Council of Canada
- Enhance Energy
- Alberta Municipalities
- Youth Climate Lab Climate Intersectionality

- ConocoPhillips Girls Talk Tech STEM Careers
- North American Young Generation in Nuclear Nuclear Energy
- Transition Accelerator Hydrogen
- <u>Efficiency Canada</u> Energy Efficiency
- <u>InnoTech Alberta</u> Carbon Capture Innovations
- Solar Car Team University of Calgary
- Re-Electric Car Team University of Calgary
- Vertex Resource Group- Bird Sweep (Discovering Environmental Careers in the Virtual World)
- SAIT Innovation in Education in the Water & Energy Space
- Energy Futures Lab
- Net-Zero, Innovation, and Sustainability Podcast Spartan Controls
- Wood Buffalo Environmental Association environmental monitoring data from Fort McMurray Area

#### Additional Classroom Resources

Relay Education - Wind Turbine Design Challenge

<u>Green Learning</u> - Re-Energy (Electrifying the Future)

iDesign Solution - DIY Fuel Cell Classroom Pack

<u>Alberta Tomorrow</u> / <u>Canada Tomorrow</u> - A simulator that allows students to take part in sustainable land-use planning. The simulator uses real-world data, and comes with lesson plans to guide students through the use of the simulator.

The Climate Game: Can you reach net zero by 2050?

What's Going On in This Graph?

Careers: Next Generation

<u>People for Environmental and Energy Literacy</u> - information, lesson plans and educator training to help you support Alberta students in becoming well-informed in climate science, clean energy technologies and sustainability principles.

<u>Energyeducation.ca</u> - Created by a team at the University of Calgary. This website serves as an encyclopedia of energy and electricity related information.

<u>EnergyIQ</u> - This energy education program teaches Canadians about growing demand, the energy mix, emerging technologies, regulatory requirements and much more.