



## School Education Programs

Free Programs for Grades 3-12

West Basin is proud to offer a variety of free water education programs that stimulate curiosity and encourage learning inside and outside of the classroom. All activities support the Next Generation Science Standards.



### Water Recycling Facility Tour

Students visit the Edward C. Little Water Recycling Facility in El Segundo where they learn about West Basin's water recycling process. Bus transportation is provided.



### Art Contest

The Water is Life Student Art Contest helps foster awareness of water conservation by challenging students to create artwork following the contest theme "Water is Life," which promotes protecting Earth's limited water resources.



### A Drop in the Bucket

3rd-8th grade classes will participate in a fun-filled school assembly exploring Southern California's water resources and practical water conservation methods.



### Teach and Test

The Teach and Test program encourages volunteer high school students to monitor water quality in the Santa Monica Bay by collecting and processing water samples.



### Water Industry Careers

Students will explore the fulfilling and diverse careers in the water industry through career-themed tours, classroom presentations, pre-recorded videos and more.



## Water Saving Programs

West Basin works with its local cities, water retailers, and organizations to offer a variety of water saving programs to help residents and businesses save water and money.



### Grass Replacement Incentives

Resources and classes are available to residents and businesses interested in replacing their grass with a beautiful drought-tolerant landscape.



### Free Rain Barrel Giveaways

West Basin distribution events take place in the fall and provide residents with up to two (2) free rain barrels to capture and reuse stormwater.

Residents can also qualify for SoCalWaterSmart's \$35 Rain Barrel Rebate.



### Water-Saving Device Rebates

West Basin supports rebates through its partnership with Metropolitan Water District to provide a variety of indoor and outdoor water saving devices.

Learn how to lead a water-smart lifestyle by participating in these events, workshops or rebates, visit:

[westbasin.org/conservation](http://westbasin.org/conservation)

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# Free Education Programs

## 2023 SCHEDULE

Free, informative resources  
for our community

Reservations, visit: [westbasin.org/education](http://westbasin.org/education)

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## Know Your H<sub>2</sub>O Class

Do you know your H<sub>2</sub>O? Take an in-depth look at where your water comes from and discover the water issues that directly affect your neighborhood. Each class will be conducted by a guest water industry expert, highlight a different water issue and provide you with the resources and tools to save water in your community.



### Maximizing Water Efficiency & Conservation in your Garden

Explore environmentally sustainable garden design approaches: plant pallet, soil, irrigation systems, and hardscape technologies.

**Wednesday, March 15**

6:00 - 8:00PM

### The Politics of Flowing Water

Discover the water story from mountain top to faucet as you delve into local and regional water sources, water rights and permitting, water prices and allocation

**Wednesday, May 17**

6:00 - 8:00PM

### Water Quality & Monitoring

Learn about the fascinating world of water chemistry through the exploration of the different techniques used to treat and monitor the quality of drinking water.

**Wednesday, July 19**

6:00 - 8:00PM

### Emerging Water Saving Technologies

Witness the demonstration of innovative indoor and outdoor devices that can help save our limited water supplies and save you money.

**Wednesday, September 13**

6:00 - 8:00PM



## Recycled Water Facility Tours

Tours of the Edward C. Little Water Recycling Facility are an opportunity to see the inner-workings of a water treatment facility firsthand. Guests will learn about the five types of recycled water produced by West Basin.



### Tour Dates

10:00 - 12:00PM

- Saturday, February 18
- Saturday, April 22
- Saturday, June 17
- Saturday, August 19



### About the Facility

In 1995, the Edward C. Little Water Recycling Facility introduced a new water supply to the 17-city West Basin service area. Almost 30 years later, the District has become an industry leader for its regionally and world-renowned water recycling program.



## West Basin Chats

Have questions about West Basin money and water saving programs? Get them answered by a West Basin representative. West Basin Chats include a brief overview of the program followed by a Q&A session.



### Grass Replacement

6:00 - 6:30PM (online)

- Wednesday, February 1
- Wednesday, April 5
- Wednesday, June 7
- Wednesday, September 27



## Speakers Bureau

West Basin has experts available to speak to community groups, businesses, and organizations within the service area who are interested in learning more about water issues.

To schedule a presentation, visit: [westbasin.org/speakersbureau](http://westbasin.org/speakersbureau)

### Location for all in person classes and tours

Edward C. Little Water Recycling Facility  
1935 S. Hughes Way, El Segundo, CA 90245

Free parking is available in the front lot of the building.

### Reservations

- 🌐 Visit: [westbasin.org](http://westbasin.org)
- ✉ Email: [info@westbasin.org](mailto:info@westbasin.org)
- ☎ Call: (310) 660-6216

Reservations are required for all classes, sessions and speaking opportunities.

In an effort to help protect the health of our communities and staff, please do not attend if you are not feeling well.