

Water Wise @ Williamstown PS.

Williamstown PS – September 4 & 5, 2006.

Focus Question

What are the challenges for water management in the 21st century?
[What are the ways we can share this limited resource with as many as possible?
How can we keep water as pure as possible?
Can water of less purity be used for different purposes e.g. gardening washing etc.?
What is the importance of water wise plants?
What strategies can be used in the home to save water?
What future technologies could be used to increase the amount of fresh drinking water?]

Agenda

Monday September 4th

9.00am

Welcome – Overview of program, outline of expectations & housekeeping.
Visual thinking activity. Answering the question. What are the ICT possibilities for presentations?

Groups organised with mentors. Content collection & storyboards / planners

11.00 – Recess

11.30 – Software/skills workshops

1.00 – Lunch break

2.00 – Workshop time 1

3.20 - Close of program for Day 1

Tuesday September 5thth

9.00am – Workshop time 2

11.00 – Recess

11.30 – Workshop time 3

1.00 – Lunch break

2.00 – Presentation of final products

3.20 – Close of program for Day 2

Multimedia Activities

Students will answer the focus question [or part of] using **one** of the multimedia forms below [students will be in groups of 3]. Each student will have a mentor from Williamstown Primary School

Multimedia presentation [MS PowerPoint]

Interactive Quiz about water management [using action buttons]. Internet research required water consumption or usage

Comic or posters [Comic Life > Quicktime movie]

Making a comic or poster about good & bad water usage [maybe using a super hero theme]

Podcast [GarageBand 3]

Plan and conduct a podcast on water management issues [maybe a debate with a moderator]

Website [iWeb]

Developing a website which encourages positive water management [including home page and maybe water facts page. photo gallery, blog and pages to hold the comic/posters and podcast.

Completed work will be displayed at the Museum in October as part of Water Week. Students will need to complete the release form below for their work to be shown publicly [bring to Williamstown PS on first day].

Any queries please contact

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Consent Form

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The Willy Environmental Neighbourhood
Student Multimedia Activities**

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