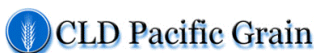




# Wheat Week<sup>®</sup> 2

## FREE Conservation Education Lessons For Grades 4 – 7

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**What is *Wheat Week 2*?** *Wheat Week 2* is a series of five lessons, delivered over the course of one week, educating students about water, soil, wheat, salmon, dams and energy and how they impact our daily lives.

**Who can receive *Wheat Week 2*?** Any school that has already participated in *Wheat Week 1* can request *Wheat Week 2*. Teachers are asked to plan together so each day up to 4 classrooms (grades 4 – 7) can receive the daily, one-hour lesson.

### **Wheat Week Lessons:**

**Water in our World 2:** Explore the water cycle, including precipitation, evaporation and condensation, while playing a game! Students will experiment with different varieties of wheat to compare growth rates.

**Amazing Soils 2:** Learn about the history of Conservation Districts and the Dust Bowl. Discuss the importance of soil to farmers and community members. Investigate soil texture in a hands-on experiment.

**Enviroscape<sup>®</sup>:** Discover what a watershed is and how we affect the watersheds we live in. The *Enviroscape<sup>®</sup>* Model demonstrates point and non-point sources of pollution, including garbage, refuse, waste water sludge and sediment in a large-scale, hands-on, interactive approach.

**Wheat Energy:** Discover the power of the sun and other renewable energy sources. Students learn how hydropower works, create their own wind turbines, and become captivated by the power of the sun!

**Wheat We Eat 2:** Explore the wheat plant as a system of parts. Discuss implication of inputs and outputs to the system and how that affects the plant. Students make tortillas in a bag to end the week with a tasty snack.

**All *Wheat Week* lessons are aligned with Washington State Essential Academic Learning Requirements and Grade Level Expectation in Science. Each lesson takes approximately 1 hour and all supplies are provided.**

For more information or to schedule *Wheat Week 2* for your classroom please contact:

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