# PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT EVENT

## FOR EDUCATORS

Want to gain knowledge and tools to help your students understand the natural world and make lesson planning easier? Project Learning Tree provides hands-on, multidisciplinary activities to connect children to nature and increase young people's awareness and knowledge about their environment. Activities include detailed step-by-step instructions, South Carolina Department of Education academic correlations, time and material requirements and corresponding student worksheets. Formal and nonformal educators in urban, rural and suburban settings can easily use the activities with their students.

**This workshop is approved for 5 hours of SCDE renewal credits!**

Participants will be trained in and receive PLT's "Explore Your Environment: K-8 Activity Guide." Educators will participate in several indoor and outdoor activities from the guide, learn about forest conservation from a Weyerhaeuser forester, get access to local and online resources and develop lesson plans to use with their students.

The SC office of the Weyerhaeuser Company and Old Santee Canal Park are happy to partner with Project Learning Tree to offer this educator workshop and certificate program. Through this workshop, educators will be able to confidently convey messages about our natural world to all their students. Registration is limited, so sign up today!

Learn more at: www.plt.org/curriculum/k-8-activity-guide-explore-your-environment/

**REGISTRATION** DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 7

Please register at: https://sc.accessgov.com/scfc-events/Forms/Page/scfc-events/event-registration?eventId=6A842A85F3

**For questions please contact:**
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Final details will be sent after February 7.

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PROJECT LEARNING TREE® SOUTH CAROLINA

**Date:** Feb. 12, 2027

**Time:** 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

**Place:** Old Santee Canal Park
900 Stony Landing Road
Moncks Corner, SC 29461

**Cost:** FREE (lunch and other costs covered by the Weyerhaeuser Company)

All participants will receive an *Explore Your Environment: K-8* activity guide!

Hosted by Old Santee Canal Park and sponsored by Weyerhaeuser Company SC Office.

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