

Houston Environmental Resources for Educators



A program of the Citizens' Environmental Coalition, [HERE in Houston](#) offers ways to connect our environmental community of educators. Below you will find details about new professional development opportunities, trivia night, and a free screening of "[The Story of Plastic](#)" (from the makers of "[The Story of Stuff](#)"). Note: the EEvenger Friday Meet Ups will be back this fall, and the [Greater Houston Environmental Summit](#) will be virtual in late August. If you'd like a weekly digest of the region's environmental news [sign up here](#). Stay safe, mask up, and email [Alicia](#) if there's anything we can do to help you!

Professional Development: How to Use Various Tech Tools



Still need help switching to online/digital platforms? Want to learn how to edit videos, interact with students and play trivia? Sign up for free, one-hour virtual

classes. Learn general features of the application, see a demonstration of how to use it, and have the opportunity to practice.

- Platforms include: Powtoon, Animaker, Google Sheets, MS Teams, Padlet, Flipgrid, and many more!
- Calendar and registration available [on this Google Form \(https://forms.gle/DUjQsgbKRP2rUHU27\)](https://forms.gle/DUjQsgbKRP2rUHU27).
- Different classes on various platforms are scheduled from July 13 - July 24.
- Meant to be interactive; open to everyone.
- Led by employees of HP as part of the 40 Days of Good Campaign, in partnership with Citizens' Environmental Coalition.

[Tech Tools Class Calendar & Registration](#)

Additional Professional Development

Visit the [HEREinHouston.org](#) page for a complete listing. Highlights include:

- Enhance your understanding of project-based learning and place-based education with the Children's Environmental Literacy Foundation on July 21 - 30
- Effectively teach climate change with Artist Boat and NOAA tools on July 20 - 23
- Early-childhood and elementary teachers learn to utilize green space with children in meaningful ways with Texas Children in Nature on August 12 - 13

[Workshop Calendar for Houston Region](#)

TRIVIA NIGHT: PLASTIC FREE JULY



The Citizens' Environmental Coalition
invites YOU!




Wed, July 29
6:30 PM - 7:30 PM CDT
on Google Meet



A night of fun as we test your knowledge of
plastics and encourage you to reduce your
use in July

**Prizes from the American Association of Zoo
Keepers, Houston Chapter**

For more info and registration, go to:
<https://tinyurl.com/y4x7olfu>



STORY OF PLASTIC

VIRTUAL SHOWING



The Story of Plastic takes a look at the man-made crisis of plastic pollution and the effects it holds on our planet and the people.

Movie available from July 21st until July 23rd

ONLINE PANEL



Engage in a discussion about The Story of Plastic and get your questions answered by local experts during a virtual Q&A.

Panels on July 23rd at 12 p.m. and 6 p.m.

For more info and registration, go to:
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Register for Story of Plastic or Trivia Night

The mission of the Citizens' Environmental Coalition, after 50 years, continues to be to connect our environmental community. Learn more at hereinhouston.org or cechouston.org.



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