

LandLearn Teacher PD

Food for the Future



LandLearn is a Department of Primary Industries education program that encourages and supports the incorporation of studies about sustainable agriculture and natural resource management into schools' curricula

This full day workshop aims to provide classroom activities which explore:

- How farming decisions and food availability may be affected by climate change and other issues
- The research and actions that are being taken to meet these challenges.

Highlights include:

- Engaging, hands-on, curriculum-linked activities suitable for inquiry-based learning around the theme of food for the future
- **Connecting 'Food for the Future' to LandLearn's popular 'Learning in the Garden' activities and resources**
- Considering current predictions and data about climate change and their implications for food security and the regional economy
- Exploring diverse related issues including: food footprints, food security, adapting to change by farmers, processors and consumers
- Tasting some "new foods" that may be suitable for our changing climate.
- Networking and group discussions with others who are integrating these themes into classroom learning
- Finding out how LandLearn can help you in the future

Date: Tuesday 9th November 2010

Time: 10.00am - 3.30pm

Venue: Myuna Farm, 182 Kidds Road, Doveton

Aimed at: VELS Standards at Years 5 to 10 in Science, Geography, Economics and Health & PE. It is relevant to the Draft Australian Curriculum - Science (March 2010). The workshop is open to primary and secondary teachers interested in exploring the theme

Cost: Free (please bring your lunch, refreshments and morning tea will be provided).

How to register: Fill in the registration form over the page

RSVP: 1st November 2010

For more information contact LandLearn:

landlearn.program@dpi.vic.gov.au or go to

www.landlearn.net.au



Registration - Food for the Future

Registration for 9th November 2010 – City of Casey

(Registrations will be accepted until 4.30pm 1st November 2010)

Please return this form or send us an email containing the details below.

Postal address: LandLearn, DPI, Private Bag 1, Tatura 3616

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Name: _____

Year Level / Subjects: _____

School: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax: _____

Mobile: _____ E-mail: _____

Any other considerations/personal requirements (if applicable): _____

You will receive an email on **Thursday 4th November 2010** confirming your attendance and workshop details.

For more information on this workshop please call:
Kathryn Manago – 9296 4745 or email landlearn.program@dpi.vic.gov.au