

With more than 3,000 square miles of open water and a drainage basin approximately the size of Belgium, the Albemarle-Pamlico is among the nation's largest and most significant estuarine ecosystems.

Our mission: To identify, restore, and protect the significant resources of the Albemarle-Pamlico estuarine system.



Albemarle-Pamlico National Estuary Partnership

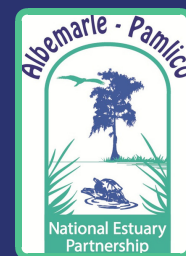
Identifying, protecting, and restoring the natural resources of the Albemarle-Pamlico region.

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Teacher Resources

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Lesson Plans

APNEP Lesson Plan Database - APNEP maintains a searchable database of downloadable lesson plans and other educational materials related to the Albemarle-Pamlico ecosystem.

<https://goo.gl/CHWBUb>

Teacher Education & Professional Development

- **Summer Teacher Institute** - APNEP & UNC Institute for the Environment. Since 2002, APNEP has supported this free, multi-day professional development workshop for K-12 STEM educators. The Institute introduces educators to hands-on, place-based, and outdoor learning methods through interaction with some of North Carolina's most highly-regarded scientists and environmental educators.

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APNEP supports a variety of education and outreach initiatives to foster public stewardship of the Albemarle-Pamlico region.

For a full list of teacher resources from APNEP and other partner organizations, visit:

<http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/apnep/educator-links>

Environmental & Outdoor Education Experiences

- **Shad in the Classroom** - APNEP, N.C. Museum of Natural Sciences, and many other partners. This program combines conservation and education by allowing students to gain hands-on experience raising American shad from egg to releasable fry.

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Other Resources

- **N.C. River Basin Booklets** - APNEP, NC Office of EE, and many other partners. Educators can order print copies of these informative river basin educational materials free of charge.

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