



# WINNEBAGO COUNTY SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

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## Natural Resource Programs Available to Schools and Groups

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The Winnebago County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) provides educational natural resource presentations to schools and groups in Winnebago County. Skip the hassle of planning an outing when we can travel to you while providing all of the materials needed for the presentations. We offer classroom presentations, group assemblies, public presentations, serve as guest speakers at functions or as assistants in projects. Program topics include but are not limited to stormwater (rain barrels and rain gardens), groundwater, watersheds, aquatics, soil health, forestry, recycling/composting, prairies and the Illinois State Symbols. A fee of \$2.00 per participant is requested for single class/group programs and is reduced to \$1.00 per participant if multiple presentations are given or involving larger groups. The fee is not applicable to supervisory adults present at youth programs. We will consult with you to get the most out of your program. Programs are conducted Monday through Friday, between the hours of 8am and 4:30pm and can be either indoors or outdoors, depending on the season and topic. If you are interested in requesting a program, call the SWCD Office at (815) 965-2392 ext. 3.

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