

Operation: Water Festival



Welcome Teachers.

You and your “Water Agents” (aka your students) have been recruited by the **Water Bureau of Investigation (WBI)**.

Let your Water Agents spring into action: exploring, observing, thinking, and uncovering the secret, and not so secret, world of water! The Operation Water Festival (OWF)

units provide a fun and intriguing venue for your students to learn the importance of preserving and protecting our water sources and remaining safe in the event of a flood.



This folio, provided by WBI Headquarters (aka **KiCP**), contains a complete curriculum for you to use as a primer for Operation Water Festival. Included are standards based activities and investigations to engage your students and make learning about water a blast!

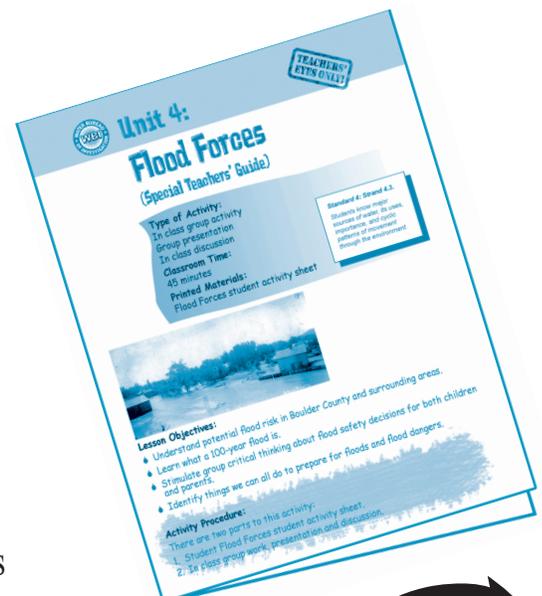
Teachers, your mission is to lead your Water Agents through the curriculum over the four weeks prior to Operation Water Festival.

Folio Contents:

1. **Four Educational Units:** One to be completed each week prior to OWF.

Each unit includes:

- (1) Teacher guide
 - (1) Photocopyable student activity sheet
2. **Extreme Water Wizards Trivia Contest:** preparation materials for the Water Festival.
 - (1) Teacher guide
 - (1) Photocopyable extreme Water Wizards trivia questions and answer sheet



3. **Water Agent Training Blue Books:** To be completed by Water Agents at home.

- (1) Class set of booklets that include critical information, code-breakers and agent training tests for at home completion

4. **Official “Mission Accomplished” Stickers**

- (1) Class set of stickers for placement in the Water Agent Training Blue Books upon completion of each unit



5. (1) **Photocopyable Certificate of Completion**

WEEKLY EXPECTATIONS:

1. Review the teacher guide for detailed instructions and background information.
2. In class, present background information contained in each unit, handout the student activity sheets and communicate the mission to your Water Agents.

3. Send the Water Agents home with their Water Agent Training Blue Book; ask them to read the unit’s corresponding information; take the short, three-question assessment provided; and attempt to crack the code word for that week’s unit. The code words are integral to deciphering the master encrypted message in the back of the Blue Book.



CODEBREAKER!
ANSWERS FOR
THE WATER AGENT
BLUE BOOK:

Water stewards take action to protect and conserve water.

Water Watcher word: *stewards*

Flood Forces word: *action*

Pollution Patrol word: *protect*

Basic Water Intelligence word: *conserve*

4. Have two student Water Agent Leaders collect the Blue Books each week and place corresponding stamps in each student’s Blue Book when a unit assignment is correctly completed.

DON'T FORGET!

All students will represent your school at the Extreme Water Wizard Trivia Contest at the Operation Water Festival. Distribute trivia contest study guide sheets as soon as possible to allow for maximum preparation (please refer to the Extreme Water Wizards Trivia Teacher Guide for more information).



Carry on!