

Science Teacher Education Program (STEP) 2009 Focus: Volcanoes

We are excited to announce the following *Special Institute for a Special Event*: the 2009 eruptions of Mt. Redoubt. Space is limited to 30 participants on a first come, first served basis.

The Special Institute for a Special Event STEP Summer Institute

June 8-19, 2009

Earn 6 credits at the Summer Institute with FREE tuition, lodging, meals, and round-trip travel to University of Alaska Fairbanks (UAF).

This two-week class will improve teacher's science content knowledge by learning college level science taught by UAF Geophysical Institute scientists. Alaska Science Consortium master teachers will guide teachers to create lessons aligned to Alaska Grade Level Expectations in science, in addition to learning how to effectively present science activities in the classroom. (See attached GLE list.)

Breakout sessions by grade level will ensure developmental and content needs are met.

The Institute is time intensive. Participants are expected to fully immerse themselves in the process and work diligently at expanding their science teaching and lesson writing abilities. Class hours are from approximately 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., five days a week and homework is expected.

STEP 2009 Summer Institute Application

Applications MUST be completely filled out and submitted ASAP. There is a selection process involved and we will let you know ASAP, if you are accepted. Space fills up quickly, so don't delay!

Please send to STEP/Glenda Findlay/Doreen Hayward, FAX # (907) 474-6986

Teacher Information Sheet

Name: _____

Grade(s) and Subject(s) you currently teach: _____

Do you hold Highly Qualified Status? _____ If Yes, in what subject area(s)? _____

School Name **and** District: _____

Present size of school: _____

School phone: _____ FAX: _____

School year home address: _____

School year home phone: _____ E-mail address _____

Provide current Address/Phone/E-mail as of *May 15, 2009*, where **IMPORTANT** air travel, lodging and meal information will be mailed.

Address _____ E-mail _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

List teaching experience (number of years, where, subjects, grade levels):

Dates	Location	Subjects / Grade Level
_____ to Present		

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Why do you want to attend the STEP Institute and what do you feel will be gained from it? Attach additional sheets if necessary.

For participants traveling outside the Fairbanks vicinity, lodging will be provided by UAF Conference Services (Shared two-bedroom apartments) June 6-20, 2009. Any travel outside these dates will be encumbered at own expense.

Do you need lodging accommodations? Yes No

If you are from out of town, will you be flying , or driving, to Fairbanks?

If you are from out of town, please complete the following:

From which location will you be coming to Fairbanks?

Which location are you going to travel to at the end of the workshop?

Preferred flight arrival date and departure dates:

Preferred airline(s) and flight numbers: *(We will try to accommodate your preferences, but no guarantee.)


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*BY SIGNING THIS FORM, YOU AGREE TO THE TERMS ON THE BACK (SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR DETAILS) 04/06

Description _____

DETAILS



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