



Sierra Watershed Education Partnerships  
*Tahoe-Truckee Service Learning Partnership*  
Present  
**Place-Based Learning Workshop**  
Using Lake Tahoe as the Focus for  
Standards-Based Education

**WHO's** invited?

All interested K-12 teachers and community partners are invited.

**WHAT** is Place-Based Learning?

Place-based learning is a teaching and learning process that uses the local environment and community as the context for learning. The components of place-based learning are:

- ❖ Use of the environment as the integrating context for learning
- ❖ Service learning projects
- ❖ Reflection and evaluation

**WHEN** is this workshop?

**January 23, 2004 4-7pm**

**January 24, 2004 9am-2pm**

**WHERE** is this workshop being held? Tahoe Lake School, Tahoe City

**HOW** much does this workshop cost? It's free!

**WHY** should I come to this workshop?

You should come to this workshop if you want to:

- ❖ Understand better and apply the components of place-based learning
- ❖ Understand how to assess, identify and coordinate place-based learning
- ❖ Understand opportunities for using the school campus, public and/or private lands as service learning project sites and outdoor classrooms
- ❖ Begin to assess, select and apply the most effective educational resources
- ❖ Develop a place-based learning unit for your grade level, integrating required grade-level standards
- ❖ Develop an increased understanding of natural and social systems
- ❖ Receive follow-up project planning and implementation support from SWEP and TTSLP

**To register for this workshop, contact:**

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Food and refreshments will be provided. Buy-back credit and district units available