Quillisascut Farm School of the Domestic Arts



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Food Choices that Make a Difference: Casting a Lighter Food-print June 25-29, 2011

A five-day hands-on professional development workshop at Quillisascut Farm for Middle and High School Science, Culinary Arts or Family and Consumer Science Educators. 20 Clock hours from OSPI

The purpose is to train high school teachers how to evaluate the impact of food choices on the environment and to prioritize ways to reduce the size of their student's environmental footprint. The outcomes from this project include food choices that result in a healthier diet for students and support for a more sustainable food production and distribution system.

A sampling of concepts and processes included in a typical course include:

- Knowledge of what a local food community is and the participants role in creating food communities.
- Basic information on organic farm production.
- An applied philosophy of environmental stewardship through purchasing and kitchen practices.
- Understanding ways the globalization of the food system impacts our natural environment.
- Biodiversity and our food environment.
- Emphasis on the plate will direct programming for local communities.

Upon completion of this training, high school teachers will have a copy of the Food Choices Handbook and the tools to help them work with students in assessing their dietary choices both in terms of environmental stewardship and in terms of their own health.

Participants stay on the farm with bunkhouse-style lodging \$395 tuition includes lodging, meals, and all course materials. Please join us for this fun and rewarding professional development workshop. Program partners: Quillisascut Farm, Community Agricultural Development Center, OSPI, and Quillisascut Education Fund

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High School Teachers: Food Choices that Make a Difference; Casting a Lighter Food-print workshop date_June25-29, 2011 check <u>www.quillisascut.com</u> FOR MORE INFO. WORKSHOP BEGINS AT 2:00 PM JUNE 25 AND IS OVER AT 11:00 AM July 29

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| Name | | | |
| Mailing Address | City | State | Zip |
| Phone Number | Email Address | | |
| Name of school and teaching position | | | |
| Title of class and number of students (i.e | . ProStart, Culinary Arts, Fami | ly Studies) | |
| Previous cooking, nutrition or health clas | ses you have taught | | |
| What new learning do you hope to achieve | ve and how will you put it to us | e in your classroo | m? |
| What special interests do you have relate | ed to our food system? | | |
| What is your current relationship with sus | stainable cooking and purchasi | ing? | |
| Meals are served family style and pr cheese and meat, poultry, eggs and of dietary preferences. Vegetarian of vegetarian. | garden produce) We are not | equipped to hand | ie a wide range |
| Submit Applications by May 1, 2 Quillisascut Farm) | 2011 along with \$395 tui | tion (check m | ade out to |

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