

Houston Climate Action Plan

EDUCATION OUTREACH PARTNERS WORKSHOP RESOURCE GUIDE



Houston is a diverse and resilient community that is facing the effects of climate change. Sustainability and resilience go hand in hand and adapting to our changing climate is essential to the health and economic vitality of Houston's future.

The city's Climate Action Plan seeks to activate the voice of our future—Houston-area youth—in the region to engage in civic conversations and actions around climate resilience.

To accomplish this, we aim to empower a network of industry, government, community and educational partners with tools to mentor and provide Houston youth, especially students of color and youth that have been historically underrepresented, the resources and opportunities to embolden green changemakers.

GETTING STARTED:

Houston Climate Action Plan and Resources: [here](#).

Climate Change Curriculum in Texas (Article): [here](#)

WORKSHOP LINKS:

Driving Question: How do we integrate goals of the CAP into our current programming?

Part 1: Setting the Stage

Entry Event: Link to the Mayor's Message: [here](#)

Knows and Need to Knows: Houston CAP FAQ: [here](#).

Evaluating Needs in Houston: [Gen:Thrive](#)

Part 2: Work Session and Support Workshops

- 10:00 Aligning Programs to Climate Change Related Standards: TEKS Alignment Guide: [here](#)
- 10:30 Climate Data: Climate Resource Data: [here](#) and [here](#)
- 11:00 Climate Data in Action: Supporting Vulnerable Communities: [here](#) and [here](#)
- 11:30 CAP Partner Initiatives

Part 3:

Best Practices for Working with School District and Recruiting Program Participants: [here](#)

Modified Critical Friends Protocol: [here](#)

Program Submission Form: [here](#)

Closing Survey:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HoustonCAP>

EXTENDED RESOURCES:

Hashtags: [#houstoncap](#) [#resilienthouston](#) [#houstonclimateactionplan](#) [#education](#) [#\(organization\)](#) [#climateeducation](#)

[What Teachers Want from Informal Educators Video](#)

[EcoRise: Climate Connections Teacher Resource Guide](#)

Houston Based Resources

[Here in Houston](#)

[Resilient Houston Plan](#)

[Houston Climate Impact Assessment Living with Water Houston](#)

[City of Houston Electric Vehicle Study](#)

[2020 Carbon Disclosure Project Snapshot Report for Houston](#)

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Climate Data Resources

[EPA EnviroAtlas Interactive Map](#)

[NOAA National Climate Data Center](#)