

# *The South Carolina Butterfly Project*

The objectives of the project are to:

- 1) Assist schools currently participating in the project to implement new butterfly garden-based curricular activities.
- 2) Bring 15 to 20 new schools into the project each year for the next four years. Having a wide geographic representation within SC is a necessity so it may not be possible to include all interested schools during the first year.

Current project funding is through the *Explorations of South Carolina Life* project funded by the Howard Hughes Medical Institute. Under current project guidelines the following guidelines apply to this project.

## **Project requirements from the school's perspective:**

- 1) Each school must have a 2 to 4 member team that includes at least 1 teacher and 1 administrator.
- 2) A minimum 150 ft<sup>2</sup> garden site that has water available, receives 8-10 hours of sun daily, and has the potential for expansion.
- 3) Matching funding of at least \$300 is required. This may come from the school, PTO/PTA, or business partners, and can be real dollars or in-kind gifts of materials or equipment.

## **Project supplies from our end:**

- 1) \$300 per school for garden supplies and equipment.
- 2) Up to \$75 of the \$300 per school can be used to offset travel costs for attending project workshops.

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*The South Carolina Butterfly Project  
School Application*

School name: \_\_\_\_\_

School address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Participating teachers:

\_\_\_\_\_

(name)

(email)

(phone)

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(name)

(email)

(phone)

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(name)

(email)

(phone)

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(name)

(email)

(phone)

Participating administrator:

\_\_\_\_\_

(name)

(email)

(phone)

\_\_\_\_\_ pledges to provide a

(name of school)

garden location of at least 150 ft<sup>2</sup> and a minimum of \$300 in matching funding to support the development of a butterfly garden to be used as an outdoor classroom.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(signature of participating administrator)

*Contact Information for  
Lead Teacher of the Butterfly Garden Project*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Name \_\_\_\_\_

School Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

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School Phone \_\_\_\_\_

School email \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_

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Home phone \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Summer email \_\_\_\_\_