

Earn Professional Development Credits Using SunSmart America™

Follow these simple steps:

- Go to www.melanomafoundation.com and click on the SunSmart America™ Training Tab. Register for and complete the Teacher/School Nurse Training BEFORE teaching lessons and administering activities from the SunSmart America™ Curriculum.
- After completing the Teacher/School Nurse Training, review and/or download the SunSmart America™ Curriculum that corresponds with the grade level of choice.
- Give your students a Pre-Test before each lesson and activity.
- Complete five SunSmart America™ Lessons & Student Activities (Choose 1 Lesson & 1 Student Activity from each of the 5 Topics - TOTAL = 5 Lessons + 5 Activities).
- Give your students a Post-Test after each lesson and activity.
- Submit the Pre & Post Test to Eric Stern who will submit to the RDK Melanoma Foundation.
- Submit student activities to Eric Stern who will submit to the RDK Melanoma Foundation.
- Complete and submit the Teacher's Survey to Eric Stern who will submit to the RDK Melanoma Foundation.
- Once the requirements are submitted and reviewed the teacher will receive Professional Development Credits and incentives provided by the RDK Melanoma Foundation.

Deadlines: (Submissions Should Be Made to Eric Stern PRIOR to the Deadline)

SunSmart America™ Teacher/School Nurse Training

Deadline: November 18, 2011 – Submit Confirmation Sheets for Quiz on Module 1; Quiz on Module 2; SunSmart America™ School Quiz & Final Quiz (these confirmation sheets will be emailed to the email address in which you registered for the training)

Topic 1 — Skin

Deadline: December 23, 2011 — Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Topic 2 — The Sun & The Earth

Deadline: January 27, 2012 — Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Topic 3 —Skin Cancer

Deadline: March 9, 2012 — Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Topic 4 — Sun Safety

Deadline: April 13, 2012 — Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Topic 5 — Tanning

Deadline: May 11, 2012 — Pre-Test, (1) Student Activity & Post-Test

Teacher Survey

Deadline: May 25, 2012

For more information or directions on how to use our website, please contact the RDK Melanoma Foundation at (561) 655-9655 or info@melanomafoundation.com



SunSmart America™

K-12 Curriculum and Sun Safety Programs

SunSmart America™ Teacher/School Nurse On-Line Training

This training is for early childhood, primary and secondary teachers and school health nurses. This is an easy to follow interactive training that is broken into modules. These modules cover essential background information on skin cancer, sun protection and the importance of sun safety in schools.

SunSmart America™ Student On-Line Training

This is an easy to follow interactive training for students. The training is broken into modules that cover essential background information on skin cancer, sun protection and the importance of sun safety.

SunSmart America™ Schools Sun Safety School Policy Program

This is a sun safety school policy program. The Sun Safety School Policy Guide, available on our website, will explain what schools can do to protect their students at a time when sun protection is so vitally important.

The guide will include a template to develop the school's sun safety policy. After submitting the school's policy and agreement form to the Richard David Kann Melanoma Foundation the school will be eligible to become a SunSmart School. Qualifying schools will receive a SunSmart School banner to display on campus and will be listed on our website.

SunSmart America™ K-12 Curricula

The SunSmart America™ K-5th grade resource offers primary teachers ready made curriculum lessons and activities to base sun protection learning experiences. This resource is cross-curricular, interactive and FUN!!! A study conducted by the Melanoma Foundation and the University of Miami found that the SunSmart Elementary School Curriculum increases students knowledge as well as changes their behavior toward sun safety.

The SunSmart America™ Middle & High School resources promote the SunSmart message and provides teachers with information and a range of classroom activities on skin cancer and sun protection. The educational information is arranged in five cross-curricular topics. Each topic contains a SunSmart Education Lesson, Pre & Post tests and several activities.

These resources are recommended for Physical Education, Health, Science and English Teachers.

These resources are benchmarked to meet FCAT Standards.