

Resources

Reduce/Reuse/Recycling

<https://www.mass.gov/topics/recycling-waste-management> Disposing of household hazardous materials.

<https://www.mass.gov/safely-dispose-of-prescription-drugs> Detailed info on disposing of unused medications.

<http://www.ecosystemgardening.com/life-in-the-leaf-litter-dont-throw-a-good-thing-away.html> Saving leaves.

Septic System Care

<https://www.mass.gov/guides/caring-for-your-septic-system> Care and maintenance of on-site home septic systems.

<https://www.epa.gov/septic/long-homeowners-guide> EPA: A Homeowner's Guide to Septic Systems.

Water Science and Activities

<http://water.epa.gov/learn/resources/> EPA Water Topics links.

<https://www.epa.gov/ground-water-and-drinking-water/drinking-water-activities-students-and-teachers> and

<https://www.epa.gov/students/lesson-plans-teacher-guides-and-online-resources-educators> and

<https://www3.epa.gov/safewater/kids/index.html> For students and teachers - online games and lesson plans.

http://education.jlab.org/reading/water_cycle.html Water cycle quiz.

Fish/Fishing

<http://www.mass.gov/eea/docs/dfg/dfw/habitat/maps-ponds/dfwliethe.pdf> Little Herring Pond bathymetric map.

<http://www.mass.gov/eea/docs/dfg/dfw/habitat/maps-ponds/dfwgrea.pdf> Great Herring Pond bathymetric map.

<http://www.lake-link.com/learn-to-fish/fish-identification/> Interactive freshwater fish identification chart.

<http://www.fishingnortheast.net/fishing-resources-links/what-how-tos/freshwater-fish-identification/> More fish ID.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OxTwBE89B-M> Video of 2010 South Shore herring run.

<http://www.lakelubbers.com/great-herring-pond-1833/> Full recreational activities description.

Birds/Birding

<https://feederwatch.org/learn/common-feeder-birds/> Project FeederWatch common feeder bird info by region.

<https://www.manomet.org/publications-tools/landbird-conservation> Manomet banding station records plus Christmas Bird Count tallies for area including ACEC.

<https://www.nwf.org/Garden-for-Wildlife/Certify> Certify school or backyard as wildlife habitat with Na'l Wildlife Fed'n.

<http://ebird.org/> Submit or view electronic records of bird sightings for any area.

<http://www.birdsource.org/gbbc/> Participate in the Great Backyard Bird Count each February.

Kids' Activities

<http://water.epa.gov/learn/kids/drinkingwater/index.cfm> US EPA groundwater and drinking water kids' activities.

<http://northlandnemo.org/images/Watershed%20Game%20Information%20Guide.pdf> Online watershed game.

<http://www.cookie.com/kids/games/hook-the-fish.html> Kids' hook the fish game.

<https://www.epa.gov/nps/nonpoint-source-educational-materials-students> Runoff educational activities for students.

http://www.sheppardsoftware.com/content/animals/kidscorner/kidscorner_games.htm Educational animal games.

<http://www.thewatershed.org/pdf/WaterCalculatorFINAL.pdf> Personal water use calculator.

Boating/Water Safety

<https://www.plymouth-ma.gov/harbormaster> Plymouth Harbormaster site.

<https://www.boatus.org/massachusetts/> Free online Massachusetts boating safety refresher course.

Stewardship at Home

<http://extension.missouri.edu/publications/DisplayPrinterFriendlyPub.aspx?P=EQM101F> Mapping home sites.

<http://content.yardmap.org/explore/the-average-american-yard/> Map your yard with YardMap software.

<http://www.missouribotanicalgarden.org/sustainability/sustainability/sustainable-living/at-home/rainscaping-guide/vegetated-bioswales.aspx> Vegetated bioswales as runoff filters.

<http://greenscapes.org/your-yard/composting/> Composting how-to from Greenscapes.

<https://www.epa.gov/soakuptherain/soak-rain-rain-gardens> EPA Rain Garden links.

Invasive Species

<https://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/unitedstates/ma.shtml> State info resources.

<https://www.mass.gov/service-details/invasive-plants> State invasive plant resources.

Native (Indigenous) Plants

<http://www.grownativecambridge.org/whatarenativeplants> Importance of indigenous species.

<http://www.wildflower.org/collections/collection.php?collection=MA> List with images, supplier directory.