

2021 Green Eggs and Sand Workshop

Virtual with an optional trip to a horseshoe crab spawning beach.

May 6 – June 3, 2021

Registration Fee \$50.00

Green Eggs and Sand is a curriculum (developed by Maryland DNR, Delaware Fish & Wildlife and NJ Division of Fish & Wildlife) centered around the horseshoe crab. During the workshop participants learn from experts about the biology of the horseshoe crab, their relationship to migrating shorebirds, their importance to humans, and how the species is managed. The curriculum provides video and activity components that can be incorporated into any classroom! This year the workshop will be offered online with virtual meet-ups. New Jersey teachers will be invited to an in-person trip to a horseshoe crab spawning beach.

Part 1—Green Eggs and Sand—Virtual

Open to ALL educators. By attending this virtual workshop you will receive access to the Green Eggs and Sand curriculum plus other education materials. The curriculum is broken down into four modules, and content for each module will be presented over the course of five weeks with weekly online meet-ups. Meet-up dates are listed below and will provide an opportunity for a questions and answers with the expert presenter for each module.

May 6 - Welcome, Meet the Horseshoe Crab (HSC)

May 13 - Module 1: HSC wrap up

May 20 - Module 2: Shorebirds wrap up

May 27-Module 3: Human Use wrap up

June 3 - Module 4: Management wrap up

Part 2—Trip to Horseshoe Crab Spawning Beach – In person *(limited to first 15 New Jersey educators)*

Open to New Jersey educators only due to current COVID-19 guidelines. On **Saturday, June 5**, we will meet at The Wetlands Institute in Stone Harbor at 6:30 p.m. After a welcome and overview of what to expect participants will travel to a horseshoe crab spawning beach.

More about the virtual workshop: The Green Eggs & Sand workshop will commence Thursday, May 6 at 6:30 p.m. with an online meet-up to welcome everyone, go over the structure of the virtual content, and introduce participants to the horseshoe crab. Each week we'll meet online to review each module's content, participate in an activity and have a question and answer session with the expert presenter.

DEADLINE TO REGISTER: APRIL 30, 2021

TO REGISTER: Send an e-mail with your name and school or organization affiliation to Karen Byrne at karen.byrne@dep.nj.gov.

Questions: Call 609-947-1201 or e-mail karen.byrne@dep.nj.gov

All Division of Fish and Wildlife programs strictly adhere to [current New Jersey Covid-19 safety protocols](#) including social distancing guidelines and travel restrictions. Program availability or allowable attendance at programs may change if these guidelines or restrictions change. Information will be updated and participants will be notified immediately if necessary.