IDAHO ENVIROTHON: Hands-On Science. Real-World Solutions.

Give your high school students a powerful opportunity to step beyond the classroom and tackle Idaho's premier natural resource competition. Idaho Envirothon challenges teams to use critical thinking, teamwork, and field science to solve real conservation problems.

WHY ENVIROTHON MATTERS

- **STEM in Action:** Students apply science across **Aquatic Ecology, Forestry, Soils & Land Use, Wildlife,** and a current environmental issue.
- **Hands-On Field Skills:** Teams work with natural resource professionals using real field tools, data collection, and scientific methods.
- **Awards, Scholarships & Careers:** Top teams earn recognition, cash prizes, scholarships, and a chance to represent Idaho at the NCF-Envirothon International Competition while building leadership, public speaking, and resume-ready skills.

HOW IT WORKS

- **Teams:** Five students in grades 9–12 compete with support from an advisor or coach.
- **Field Stations:** Teams rotate through outdoor stations with written and practical challenges created by local experts as they study Aquatic Ecology, Wildlife Management, and Soils and Land Use.
- **Oral Presentation:** Teams deliver a 10-minute solution to a real-world environmental scenario.

RECRUITING A TEAM

- **Reach Diverse Students:** Recruit from **Science**, **FFA, 4-H, Speech & Debate, outdoor recreation, and STEM** programs.
- **Use It in Class:** Connect study materials to Idaho Science Standards, extra credit, independent study, or club activities.
- **Start Small:** Host an informational lunch meeting or form an Envirothon/Eco-Club.
- **Partner Locally:** Soil & Water Conservation Districts can help with study materials, field training, and sponsorship.

GET STARTED

- **Who:** High school students, grades 9–12
- **When:** April 26–27, 2027
- **Where:** Challis, Idaho — Living Waters Ranch
- **Take Action:** Contact your local Soil & Water Conservation District or visit Idahoenvirothon@weebly.com to register and view the most current study guide.