

Announcement:

Call for Educators/Trainers for Ocean Literacy Workshop

The consortium of the <u>Teach Blue project</u> is excited to announce a dedicated **Train the Trainer** Workshop on Ocean Literacy, scheduled to take place from **3-7 September 2025** in Larnaca, Cyprus. The responsible partner for this workshop is the CMMI – Cyprus Marine and Maritime Institute.

TeachBlue!

An innovative Marine and Ocean Literacy Toolkit for Early Childhood Teachers in view of the 14SDG Conservation and Sustainable Use of The Oceans, Seas, and Marine Resources

About the Workshop

The Teach Blue project is currently developing Ocean Literacy educational materials, handbooks, and other interactive resources. This workshop aims to train educators and trainers who work with students aged **4 to 8 years** and have a keen interest in Ocean Literacy. The training will equip participants with the skills and knowledge to

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effectively teach Ocean Literacy to young children using interactive and engaging methods.

Workshop Details

- Dates: 3-7 September 2025
- Location: Larnaca, Cyprus
- Target Audience: Educators/Trainers of students aged 4 to 8 years
- Focus: Ocean Literacy

Objectives

- To provide comprehensive training on Ocean Literacy education material and Handbook and interactive material.
- To develop skills for creating interactive and engaging educational experiences.
- To facilitate the transfer of knowledge to young children in an effective manner.

How to Apply

Educators and trainers interested in participating in this workshop are encouraged to apply. For more information and to register, please visit the Teach Blue project website or contact the Partner **Lab of**

Environmental research and Education, Democritus University of Thrace,

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email: <u>tkebreki@eled.duth.gr</u> or telephone:2551030027 to find out more details about the requirements.

Open call for registration: 18 June 2025

Closing Date for applications submissions: 27 June 2025

Terms and Conditions for Participation in the Ocean Literacy Workshop

1. Eligibility

- Participants must be educators or trainers working with students aged 4 to 8 years.
- Participants should have a keen interest in Ocean Literacy and a commitment to integrating it into their teaching practices.

2. Registration

- Interested participants must complete the registration form available on the Teach Blue project website.
- Registration is subject to approval by the consortium based on the eligibility criteria and availability of slots.

3. Workshop Fees

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- The workshop is free of charge for selected participants.
- Travel, accommodation, and meal expenses are the responsibility of the participants unless otherwise specified by the consortium.

4. Attendance

- Participants are required to attend all five consecutive days of the workshop.
- A formal invitation will be provided to the eligible participants.
- Certificates of completion will be awarded to participants who attend all sessions and actively participate in the activities.

5. Materials and Resources

- All educational materials, handbooks, and interactive resources provided during the workshop are for the exclusive use of the participants.
- Participants are encouraged to use these materials in their educational settings but must not reproduce or distribute them without prior permission from the Teach Blue project consortium.

6. Code of Conduct

• Participants are expected to maintain a professional and respectful demeanor throughout the workshop.

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• Any form of harassment, discrimination, or disruptive behavior will not be tolerated and may result in expulsion from the workshop.

7. Intellectual Property

- The Teach Blue project retains all intellectual property rights to the materials and resources developed for the workshop.
- Participants may use the materials for educational purposes but must acknowledge the Teach Blue project in any public dissemination.

8. Privacy and Data Protection

- Personal information collected during registration will be used solely for the purpose of organizing the workshop.
- The consortium will ensure that all data is handled in accordance with applicable privacy and data protection laws.

9. Liability

- The consortium is not liable for any personal injury, loss, or damage incurred during the workshop.
- Participants are responsible for their own safety and well-being during the event.

10. Amendments

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- The consortium reserves the right to amend these terms and conditions at any time.
- Participants will be notified of any changes prior to the commencement of the workshop.

Registration Application Form for TEACH BLUE Ocean Literacy Workshop

Personal Information

•	Full Name:
•	Email Address:
•	Phone Number:
•	Address:
•	City:
•	Country:
Professional Information	
•	Current Position:
•	Institution/Organization:
•	Years of Experience:

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• Age Group of Students You Teach: _____

Interest and Motivation

- Why are you interested in Ocean Literacy?:
- How do you plan to integrate Ocean Literacy into your teaching?:
- Any previous experience with Ocean Literacy or related topics?:

Workshop Logistics

- Do you require accommodation assistance? Yes / No
- Do you have any dietary restrictions?:
- Emergency Contact Name: ______
- Emergency Contact Phone Number:

Agreement

- I agree to attend all sessions of the workshop: Yes / No
- I agree to adhere to the terms and conditions: Yes / No

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• I agree to adhere to the privacy policy of CMMI: Yes / No

Signature

- Signature: _____
- Date: _____

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