



# GREAT LAKES EDUCATORS OF AQUATIC AND MARINE SCIENCE

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Make waves with GLEAMS! Complete this application and send it along with your payment to our membership secretary. Be an active part of aquatic education along the Great Lakes. Learn more at [greatlakeseducators.org](http://greatlakeseducators.org)!

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Last

Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
mm/dd/yyyy

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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City: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email\*: \_\_\_\_\_  
\*For membership/newsletter communications only.  
 Contact information is NEVER shared.

Phone\*: \_\_\_\_\_  
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School/Org: \_\_\_\_\_

### Membership Benefits:

- Discount on membership dues for National Marine Educators Association
- Quarterly newsletter, *Sweetwater SeaScape*, via an email listserv
- Mini-grants available to enhance students' involvement in Great Lakes experiences
- Professional development opportunities at local and state events that focus on Great Lakes science

### Check all applicable items:

#### K-12

- Elementary
- Middle
- High
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- Private
- Public
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- Home School
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- Administration
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- Other:

#### Informal

- Aquarium
- Zoo
- Museum
- Science Center
- Field Educator/  
Interpreter
- Other:

#### University

- Instructor
- Professor
- Other:

#### Student

- Undergrad  
Year: \_\_\_\_\_
- Graduate  
Year: \_\_\_\_\_
- Other:

#### Government

- Federal
- State
- County
- City
- Other:

### DUES

Questions? Email us:  
[greatlakeseducators@gmail.com](mailto:greatlakeseducators@gmail.com)

- Active Membership \$10
- Student Membership \$5
- Institutional (non-profit) \$15
- Institutional (corporate) \$50
- Associate \$25

### Enclose this form with payment and mail to:

GLEAMS Membership  
 c/o Lorie Kramer  
 628 Sanbridge Circle E.  
 Worthington, OH 43085

Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Check or money order only

- New Member
- Renewing Member

# Connecting the Great Lakes to the World's Ocean

## What is GLEAMS?

**Great Lakes Educators of Aquatic and Marine Science (GLEAMS)** is a chapter of the National Marine Educators Association (NMEA). We are a network of people whose common goal is to encourage education about the world of water, both freshwater and marine. Our emphasis is on the Great Lakes, our nation's inland seas and fourth coast.

**GLEAMS** members hail from all Great lakes states and various National Marine Educators Association chapters. Members include formal and informal educators in science, education and communication professions.



**Bring the Great Lakes into your classroom. Support Great Lakes and Ocean Literacy. Complete the membership form on the back and mail it along with your check made payable to GLEAMS.**

## Why join GLEAMS?

**GLEAMS** provides educators with information, methods and materials for integrating water related content and activities into their curricula.

**GLEAMS** provides its members with opportunities to network and connect with marine and aquatic science educators throughout the Great Lakes region and beyond.

**GLEAMS** offers

- a discount on NMEA membership dues
- mini-grants for teachers
- *Sweetwater Seascape*, a quarterly newsletter via email list-serve



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