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## Summer Science Institute: Health and the Environment

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## **School Support Statement Form**

To be completed by the principal or appropriate administrator If you have any questions, please contact us at 352.392.2310 or cpet@cpet.ufl.edu

Program Overview:

The University of Florida Center for Precollegiate Education and Training is pleased to present the Summer Science Institute (SSI) for teachers on Environmental Science. The SSI is a one-week residential summer program for elementary, middle, and high school teachers across the state of Florida interested in implementing environmental sciences content into their curriculum.

During the week participants will visit UF, laboratories, Research and Education Centers, and connect with current UF science faculty and other Florida K12 educators. Participants will experience indoor and outdoor activities and research and reflect on environmental issues facing the world. Each participant will be asked to identify at least one standard and/or benchmark they would like to teach through the context of environmental science.

Throughout the week-long program participants will develop lesson plans with support from CPET mentors and fellow teachers to implement in the classroom the following year. Within 6 months of the program, teachers will send CPET a short report outlining student outcomes from their lesson plan

Applicant Signature

Administrator Signature

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Name Printed and Title

Date

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