



Bay Program Education Workgroup Meeting

Quarter 2
April 7, 2025

Agenda

- ▶ State/Regional Updates
- ▶ Bay Program Outcomes
- ▶ 2024 ELIT Results
 - ▷ State Breakouts
- ▶ 2025 EL Summit

State/Regional Updates & Announcements

Presentation to Management Board

- ▶ Thank you to everyone who helped to make this a smooth process!
- ▶ 100% support for our outcomes (w/ some thoughtful suggestions)
- ▶ Public comment period will occur this summer

Draft Outcomes

■ Student Experiences

OUTCOME: Continually increase the number of students who are participating in inquiry-based environmental literacy instruction.

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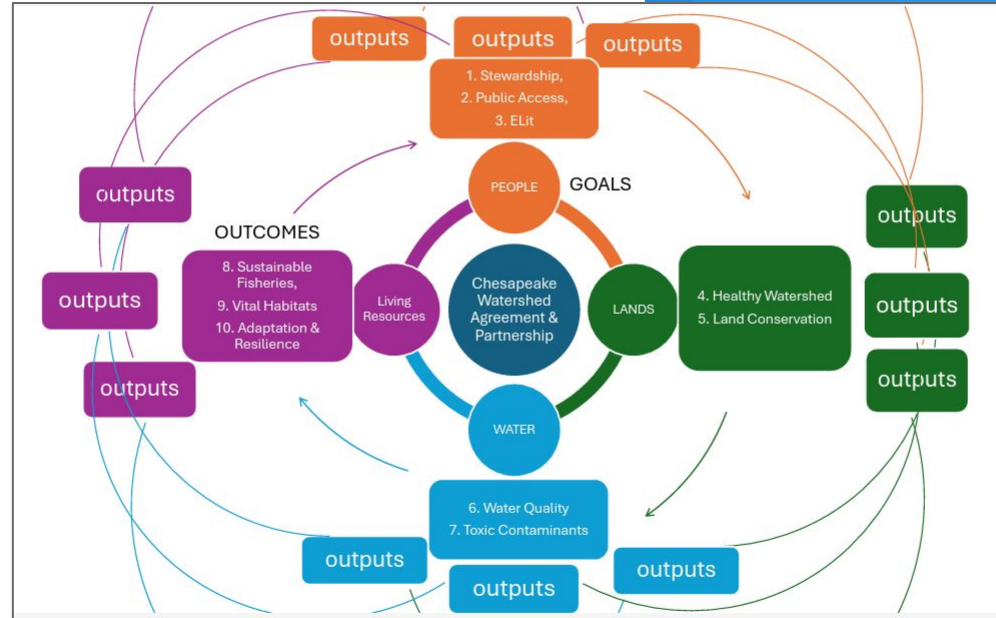
■ District Planning

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OUTPUT: By 2035, the number of school districts in each state that are more prepared to deliver a comprehensive and systemic approach to environmental literacy will increase by XX% points, with a state target of XX% being well prepared.

Potential Restructuring of Goals/Outcomes

- ▶ Conversation about 4 major goals instead of 10
 - ▷ Water Quality
 - ▷ Living Resources
 - ▷ Land
 - ▷ People
- ▶ How do we account for Goals, Outcomes, Outputs, and Indicators? What gets included in the Agreement versus in Action Plans?



New! Workforce Outcome

Julie Lawson (julie.lawson@dc.gov)

Questions?

ELIT 2025: Regional Trends

Jessica Sickler

State Reflection: What
was your biggest take
away from your ELIT
data?

State Breakouts

- ▶ What activities do you have going on that will support each outcome?
- ▶ Given that work, what percentage increase do you think your state can commit to?
- ▶ Is there a better way to represent progress?

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Student Experiences Outcome:

- Red Clay EL PoC (NFWF Funded) - model MWEEs and EL Programming
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District Planning Outcome:

- DE Sea Grant - BWET Funding to support development of ELPs (including the development of an ELP template) - working with Appo and CRSD
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Given the work shared above, what percentage increase do you think your state can commit to?

Is there a better way to represent progress? Please share:



State Report Outs

- ▶ Who wants to join the team to help tighten up our final outcomes? (now – end of April)

2025 EL Summit Planning

- ▶ Focus on the new outcomes and how each state is moving them forward
- ▶ Consider: distributed model of engagement
 - ▷ State-by-state in-person meetings
 - ▷ Followed by short half-day virtual meeting

On Tap for July Meeting:

- ▶ 2025 EL Summit
- ▶ ELIT Survey updates

** Q3 meeting will be on 7/7 from 10-11:30am