

KURT HAHN WANTS YOU!!!

Outward Bound is the oldest and largest adventure-based educational organization in the world. Founded in Wales in 1941 by progressive educator, Kurt Hahn, the experiential education program was born out of the need to equip young British sailors with the necessary skills and character to survive the rigors of the war-torn North Atlantic. Since then, Hahn's pioneering model of adventure-based education has proved powerful, relevant, and challenging for participants across generations and across the world.

Every summer, Outward Bound offers 7-day wilderness expeditions explicitly designed for educators and school administrators from the Mid-Atlantic region. Participants experience a full expedition that focuses on the teachings of Outward Bound and its founder, Kurt Hahn.

The course curriculum is designed to explore our: **VALUES** (*Compassion, Integrity, Excellence, and Inclusion & Diversity*), **EDUCATIONAL PRINCIPLES** (*Learning through Experience, Challenge & Adventure, and Supportive Environments*), and **OUTCOMES** (*Character Development, Leadership, and Service*).

The goal of the Educator Expedition is for participants to transfer these experiential education philosophies and techniques into their classrooms and daily lives.



WHO is eligible ?

If you serve as a teacher, administrator, mentor, or youth program coordinator in the Mid-Atlantic region, then you may apply to participate in the Educator Expedition.

WHAT to expect ?

The Educator Expedition 2010 is a 7-day course that will include canoeing, rock-climbing, camping, backcountry cooking, and an insight into what makes expeditionary learning effective.

WHERE does it take place ?

This year's Canoe expedition takes place on the upper reaches of the rich and historic Potomac River in Western Maryland.

WHEN ?

Educators Expedition 2010 will take place from **August 9 to August 15**. Please make sure that you can be available for the duration of these dates.

HOW do I apply ?

In order to apply, candidates must complete, detach and return the attached information panel. Additionally, applicants must include a personal letter of intent that expresses their desire to participate, their educational goals and how they might convey this experience to their students.

HOW much does it cost ?

The value of this course is \$1225. Funds may be available to subsidize the cost to educators.

The cost includes transportation to the course area, food, instruction and facilitation as well as all expedition-specific gear and equipment (if needed). Participant obligations may include personal items and clothing.

"If your actions inspire others to dream more, learn more, do more and become more, you are a leader."
~John Quincy Adams

Educator Expedition Application

APPLICANT'S INFORMATION

Last Name _____

First Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone (Day) _____ (Eve) _____

Email _____

Date of Birth _____

Male Female

Height _____ Weight _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Last Name _____

First Name _____

Relationship _____

Phone (Day) _____

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

School/Organization _____

Position _____

Phone _____

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

- Completed Application Personal Letter of Intent
 \$100 Deposit

Please mail all items listed above to:
Baltimore Chesapeake Bay Outward Bound Center
Attn: John Enny
1900 Eagle Drive / Leakin Park
Baltimore, MD 21207