



Montana Project Learning Tree Facilitator Training



April 17-18, 2020

**Location · Friday - Stoltze Land and Lumber in Columbia Falls
Saturday – FVCC in Kalispell and at a Tree Farm family forest**

**\$75 Registration fee (No charge for current MT Facilitators bring your own guides)
scholarships may available for travel and motel
10 OPI Credits Available**

Project Learning Tree is an award-winning national environmental education program of the American Forest Foundation's Center for Environmental Learning. This training is for those who desire to facilitate PLT Educator Workshops. A part of the training will feature a "Walk in the Forest" at a private forest owner's forest which is a certified Tree Farm.

The training time is Friday, April 17, 5-9:00 P.M. and Saturday April 18, 8:30-5:00. Registration fee includes all materials, a full set of PLT curriculum guides, and a field kit to support PLT activities. Space is limited. Applications will be reviewed and the screening committee will notify successful candidates after April 3 (earlier is better). Registration will remain open until workshop is full. Minimum 10 by deadline. Maximum 20.

- *Previous participation in a PLT Educator Workshop is preferred.*
- \$75 registration fee can be reimbursed if participant successfully facilitates a PLT workshop within one year of this training. No charge for current active MT PLT Facilitators.
- Travel scholarships may be available.

During this workshop, we'll learn

- How to set up an action plan for delivering PLT workshops in your area.
- History and Background of PLT.
- Online PLT modules.
- How to coordinate with Tree Farmers (private forest owners) to use their forest for trainings and activities.

Even if you have attended a facilitator training in the past, this training will help you brush up on your skills and learn what's new with the programs. Everything is hands-on. Participants will leave with a full suite of PLT education guides and a field kit filled with materials to support PLT activities.

Registration by April 3 (or sooner) <http://forestry.msuextension.org/calendar.html#mfsp>

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