



2021

CONSERVATION IDEATION

As you participate in the summit, this worksheet is a place to capture facts, ideas, resources, feelings, and contacts. **Email this worksheet to nextinnature@cincynature.org by October 8 and we'll send you a certificate of completion** which, along with this worksheet, is a kind of “conservation currency” that can buy you an advantage during job interviews, in college applications, or for extra credit with your teachers. It shows that you are thinking deeply about how you can make a difference for conservation!

An environmental issue that concerns me a lot is:

My ideas for making a difference include:

Places where I can find out more about the issue:

In my community, some organizations/partners that might also care about this issue include:

(continue on back)

Which adults can help me as an individual or as part of a team to make a difference on this issue?

- Teacher (consider teachers that oversee your schools environmental club, honors society, biology class, social studies class, service learning, etc.)

List name(s) and school here: _____

- Scout leader

List name(s) here: _____

- Youth Group Leader

List name(s) and church here: _____

- Guidance counselor

List name(s) and school here: _____

- Other adults in the community that I know (business owners, landlords, etc.)

List name(s) here: _____

Please check all that apply:

- I really want to do a conservation project over the next 9 months (and will attend monthly 90-minute online trainings/discussions with Cincinnati Nature Center and guest speakers to learn how).
- I already have a team of peers that will be working with me on a project.
- I want to do an individual project, not working with a team of peers.
- I want to work on a team of peers. Please help me connect to others with interest in the same issue.
- I want to apply for a scholarship for the 16-hour Conservation Impact class (mostly online).
- I want to be part of the planning team for next year's summit (approx. 4 hours a month online).
- I want to do service work at Cincinnati Nature Center (in-person, hours flexible).

Looking back over the summit, please complete the following sentences in relation to conservation:

I used to think _____;

now I think _____.

I used to feel _____;

now I feel _____.

My Contact Info:

Name: _____

School: _____

Email: _____

Grade: _____