

Casandra Bergkamp joined the Triangle Team in 2016 as a Project Associate, bringing with her more than five years of experience teaching and working with schools. Her work focuses on engaging school community members of all ages in informed stewardship of shared natural resources.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

M.A. Teaching, Sierra Nevada College, 2015

Elementary Teacher Certification, Sierra Nevada College, 2014

B.A. Environmental Studies, University of California Santa Cruz, 2010

VOLUNTEER AFFILIATIONS

Running Buddy-Girls on the Run Puget Sound

Whale Sighting Network Volunteer- Orca Network

Selected Project Experience

City of Everett Water Education Programs, 2016 – Ongoing:

- Presents and adapts hands-on classroom workshops on water conservation for grades 2-5.
- Coordinates program logistics and details with classroom teachers.

Waste Management of Snohomish County Recycling Education Programs, 2016 –Ongoing:

- Presents interactive workshops on waste reduction, recycling, and sustainability for students in grades 2-8.
- Connects appropriate Common Core, Next Generation Science, and Washington Sustainability Standards to waste reduction and recycling workshops.
- Keeps thorough records of experiences for continuous improvement and future curriculum development.

King County Green Schools Representative, 2016 – Ongoing:

- Provides technical assistance to schools in King County to reduce waste, conserve energy, and reduce water use.
- Assesses existing school conservation practices for efficiency and effectiveness.
- Makes recommendations for implementing improvements, provides resources, and monitors each school's progress and successes.

Republic and Snohomish County Schools Program, 2016 – Ongoing:

- Provides interactive recycling workshops with grades 2-5.
- Coordinates program logistics and details with classroom teacher.
- Tracks workshop effectiveness and reports ideas for continuous improvement to Project Manager.

Previous Work Experience

Outreach Educator, Pacific Science Center, Seattle, 2014 – 2016:

- A member of the Science on Wheels team traveling the state of Washington teaching STEM.

Substitute Teacher/Instructional Aid/Student Teacher, Incline Elementary School, Incline Village, 2013 – 2014