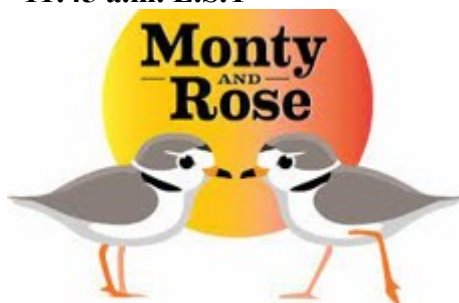




Piping Plovers: A Natural Phenomenon
[Virtual Training Workshop for Educators of Grades 6 - 12](#)
Saturday, November 13, 2021
8:45-10:45 a.m. C.S.T / 9:45 - 11:45 a.m. E.S.T



Join us for a virtual professional development workshop to dive into the natural phenomenon of the nesting pair of endangered piping plovers at Montrose Beach, a shoreline habitat on Lake Michigan. With the help of the "[Monty and Rose](#)" documentary and its filmmaker, Bob Dolgan, you will be inspired to engage in locally-relevant science topics with your 6th through 12th grade students.

You will gain a richer understanding of Great Lakes biodiversity and ecosystem dynamics by exploring what happens when these complex interactions are disrupted by humans. With the support of the Nature Museum educators and resources from the Center for Great Lakes Literacy, you'll make an [action plan](#) *during* this workshop to incorporate these core science topics into your own teaching context.

The [Center for Great Lakes Literacy](#) is providing a **\$250 stipend** for full participation in this virtual workshop. Full participation includes 45 minutes of pre-homework, attendance, an integration action plan, and an evaluation. Earn up to **4 PD Credits** from University of Illinois (PDHs) or Purdue University Northwest (PGPs). This workshop is **designed for educators that engage learners in grades 6th through 12th during in- and out-of-school time**. NGSS connections: *LS2.A, LS2.C, LS4.D*

[REGISTER](#) by November 8th to guarantee your spot.