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SCIENCE NOTES

"Thinking Globally, Acting Locally" Workshop of Environmental Issues

The Iowa Conservation Education Council, Warren County Conservation Board, Des Moines County Conservation Board and Department of Natural Resources are working in cooperation to sponsor "Thinking Globally, Acting Locally," a workshop focusing on current environmental issues.

Located in the Conservation Education Center at Springbrook State Park (near Guthrie Center, Iowa), the workshop will run March 10 and 11 and will focus on four important environmental issues today: solid waste, hazardous household chemicals, tropical rain forests and roadside management. Teachers attending the workshop are encouraged to select and bring a team of three to four students displaying an interest in the environment.

Registration fees are \$15 and \$5 (student/senior citizen). Lodging for the night of March 10 is \$5 and meal prices vary. Some scholarships are available to help with registration and lodging fees. For more information, contact the Iowa Conservation Education Council, "Thinking Globally, Acting Locally," Conservation Education Center, RR 1 Box 53, Guthrie Center, IA 50115.

What's the Outlook for Summer 1989?

One week OUTLOOK Training sessions will be offered in Iowa beginning June 11, June 18 and June 25. OUTLOOK is an environmental education enrichment program developed for grades K-12.

The OUTLOOK training program consists of one week of graduate work composed of two courses, each providing one hour of graduate credit. The courses provide a basis for understanding the OUTLOOK approach to environmental education and methods of integrating OUTLOOK into any existing curriculum. Grade level OUTLOOK teaching materials are provided to workshop participants.

Courses will be taught at the Conservation Education Center, Springbrook State Park, near Guthrie Center.

The training program is offered through the University of Northern Iowa Institute for Environmental Education. Participant support is available.

For more detailed information and pre-registration forms, write UNI, Continuing Education, Cedar Falls, IA 50614, or call (within Iowa) toll free at 1-800-772-1746.

--C.W.B.