

## Upcoming Theme

Does the following theme not fit your idea? Don't let that stop you from writing! We always make room for good manuscripts on any elementary science topic.



### Audience

- Middle school teachers
- University faculty
- State and district supervisors and leaders

### Schedule

Six times a year

### Formats

Print and e-journal

### About the Journal

*Science Scope* is an award-winning, peer-reviewed, practitioners' journal. Subscribers are members of the National Science Teaching Association who select it as their preferred journal. We hope you will consider writing a manuscript for *Science Scope* to interest our readers and enhance middle school science teaching. NSTA offers no remuneration for published articles.

### Questions?

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Water—it is essential for life, making it a crucial substance for students to explore and understand. Tell *Science Scope* readers how you strengthen student awareness of this vital substance that (depending on where you live) is often taken for granted. There are a nearly limitless number of connections that can be made to science content and concepts.

Share your ideas by considering how you

- Connect environmental impacts related to water, such as desertification and pollution, to your students' world
- Demonstrate the impact that waterborne illnesses or natural disasters have on humans
- Convey that water can operate as a system composed of biological, physical, and chemical components
- Investigate the physical and chemical properties of water
- Incorporate real world events related to water quality, drought, and/or flooding
- Use engineering to solve problems related to water loss or contamination

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