



STUDENT TOURS OF TRIADELPHIA RESERVOIR AT BRIGHTON DAM



The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (WSSC) a water and wastewater provider in the suburban area of Maryland near Washington D.C., owns and operates this facility.



FIELD TRIP SUMMARY---

- Two hour field trip
- Learn history of the Triadelphia Reservoir and Brighton Dam on the Patuxent River
- View Brighton Dam from upstream and downstream
- Learn about the "human water cycle" (from the river-to the filtration plant-to your home-back to the earth)
- Demonstration of a "source water protection" watershed model
- View Visitor's Center wildlife displays

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW---

Student age---

- Tour is for elementary school age
- Tour can be modified for middle and high school students (by request only.)

Time of year---

- Field trips are seasonal and can be scheduled from April 1 - October 31.
- The tour is outdoors and will be held rain or shine at the discretion of the attendees.

Reserve a date---

- There is no cost.
- Reservations are required and should be made at least two weeks in advance.
- To make reservations and get details about the field trip, contact Sandy August, Outreach Planner at 301-206-8240.



The WSSC reserves the right to cancel at short notice for security reasons.