

3. Do you incorporate field studies into your teaching? If yes, please describe how you do this.

4. How will you share the information and skills you gain in this course with other teachers?

The following questions will help us in planning but will not affect your acceptance.

a. Which nights will you need lodging?

None, I will be commuting from home

Mon. night Tues. night Wed. night

b. At your school, what access to computers do you and your students have during class time?

For example, are there one or more computers in the classroom, or a computer lab?

c. What is your experience using Excel spreadsheets?

None Occasionally use Excel Use Excel regularly Very familiar with Excel

d. Do you presently use Excel or another graphing program in your teaching? Yes No

e. What is your level of experience with using Google Earth (GE)

None Occasionally use GE Use GE regularly Very familiar with GE

f. Would you be able to bring a laptop to use during the course? Yes No Maybe

If yes, which operating system would be on this laptop?

Mac OS MS Office 2007 Vista Other:

g. Please briefly describe or list any environmental or water quality monitoring equipment (such as Vernier probes or LaMotte kits) you use with your students:



Confirmation of support from a school administrator:

I support the participation of _____ in the **Teachers on the Estuary** professional development course June 28-July 1, 2010 and November 6, 2010 hosted by the Narragansett Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve, to be held at the URI Coastal Institute in Narragansett and on Prudence Island, RI. Furthermore, I will support greater implementation of coastal topics into his/her curriculum starting in the fall semester of 2010 and spring semester of 2011.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Title: _____

Additional Comments: