



Why are lakes important to Wisconsin?

Conversation Starters

The following worksheet can be used to help you illustrate the meanings and attachments you associate with lakes. Emphasizing personal stories and connections you have to lakes in a peer-to-peer dialogue is a great way to build connections between people who care about lakes. Spend some time thinking about what makes your lake special and important to you. Write down experiences or images that you associate with your lake.

Why did you decide to live on a lake? Or if not a waterfront property owner: What motivates you to continue visiting your favorite lake?

What are your favorite lake memories?

What has changed since you've been on the lake? What has stayed the same? Are these changes positive or negative?

What future do you envision for your lake? What do you hope your lake will look like in the future?
