LAKE PONTCHARTRAIN BASIN:
A Watershed

OBJECTIVES:

- Define a watershed.
- Describe the relationship between land and water in the watershed.
- Describe the Lake Pontchartrain Basin watershed.
- Read and understand the features on a topographic map.

MULTIPLE INTELLIGENCES LEARNING ACTIVITIES:

Verbal/ Linguistic: Write a script promoting the Lake Pontchartrain Watershed.

Logical/ Mathematical: Construct individual maps of the Lake Pontchartrain Basin.

Visual/ Spatial: Design a watershed and demonstrate its function. Create posters and programs to publicize and promote the Lake Pontchartrain Watershed.

Bodily/ Kinesthetic: Dramatize a trip through the Lake Pontchartrain Watershed.

Interpersonal: Work in cooperative groups designing a watershed, conducting a survey, and writing, promoting, and producing a play.

Intrapersonal: Verbally express feelings about the Lake Pontchartrain Basin after listening to a guided imagery.

Naturalist: Participate in a volunteer litter cleanup; conduct watershed symposium; visit a site and/or Internet web site using senses to observe; collect data from observations; document changes in nature; organize information in a comparative study of watersheds locally, nationally, and/or globally.