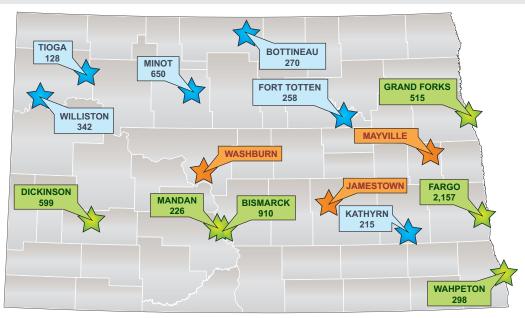
## NORTH DAKOTA WATER EDUCATION FACTS

## **ND WATER EDUCATION**

North Dakota Water Education Program raises awareness and access to practical solutions to water quality issues throughout the state by reaching children, parents, educators, and communities of North Dakota with water education. The program's core beliefs are:

- Water moves through living and nonliving systems and binds them together in a complex web of life.
- Water is important for all water users.
- Sustainable water management is crucial for social and economic stability and a healthy environment.
- Awareness of and respect for water resources can encourage a personal, lifelong commitment of responsibility and positive community participation.



Established Water Festivals Additional Water Festivals As Of 2014 Future Water Festivals As Of 2017

2016-2017 Festival Season

## 1 OUT OF 4

Students Grades 3-5 Attend A Water Festival

53,219

Students And Adults Served By Various North Dakota Water Education Programs From 2014-2017





## **PROJECT WET**

The Project WET program was established in 1984 by the North Dakota State Water Commission in the agency's Planning Division to educate the public about water resources and its management. Based on significant interest from teachers and young adults, the commission focused part of its education efforts on reaching children through teachers and informal educators. Project WET's mission, goal, core beliefs and first activities were created in North Dakota.

Today, Project WET
Is Offered In
All 50 States

**33 Countries**