

	Possible Site #1	Possible Site #2	Possible Site #3
Site Location	Penn Manor HS, Conestoga River	Lancaster County Central Park, Conestoga River	Susquehanna River – Safe Harbor (confluence of Conestoga and Susquehanna at Safe Harbor Dam – Canoe Site
Accessibility for Students and other logistical considerations (safety, transportation, entrance fees).	Close to the school by very overgrown and difficult to access	The park is 5miles from the school and will require bus service to transport students. At this site there is good, safe access to numerous sites along the stream. No fee for park use.	Safe Harbor is 7.4 miles from school and will require bus transport. Access to the rivers at this site will be by canoe (facilitated by Lancaster NGO) – There is a significant fee for the canoe program
How is this site a good match for your students, grade level, curriculum?	This part of the river is close to the school and directly impacted by actions taking on the school grounds as well as the land use above the stream site. This is a good site for looking at abiotic and biotic factors influenced by human actions and watershed dynamics	Although this site is upriver from the school the river here is still influenced by multiple types of upstream land use such as agriculture and suburban development. This site is good for looking at biotic and abiotic factors influenced by human actions and watershed dynamics.	This site is down river from the school, next to a damn and at the confluence of the 2 rivers. This site will allow for a comparative study of the rivers and the abiotic and biotic conditions in each as well as provide an opportunity to learn about the use of the river for power.
Does this site provide resources to help you (tools, experts, adult helpers)? Are there fees associated with it?	No resources beyond what the school can provide	There are park rangers at this site that assist with school programs and have equipment to sample biotic and abiotic conditions	Canoes and testing equipment are provided by the outfitters. There is a significant cost for this service/program.