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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of records documenting the family science backpack program funded by the Texaco Foundation. The backpacks were primarily distributed in schools for use at home and included fact sheets and other background information as well as instructions and materials for hands-on activities. All activities encouraged participation from other family members. Four distinct curriculums were developed: "Senses" for pre-kindergartners, "Rocks" for kindergartners, "Dirt" for first-graders; and "Water" for second-graders. Materials include grant proposal, status reports, backpack materials, early versions of the backpacks, illustrations, graphics, correspondence, memoranda, budgets, electronic records, DAT tapes, evaluations, and materials from meetings with teachers and principals. Some materials are in Spanish and some materials are in electronic format.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Museums -- Educational aspects
- Natural history museums
- Rocks
- Science -- Study and teaching
- Senses and sensation
- Soils
- Water

Types of Materials:

Audiotapes
Books
Compact discs
Drawings
Electronic records
Floppy disks
Manuscripts
Scientific illustrations

Names:

Texaco Foundation

Container Listing

Box 1

Box 1 of 2	Senses
Box 1 of 2	Sight
Box 1 of 2	Sound
Box 1 of 2	National Science Standards
Box 1 of 2	Fossils
Box 1 of 2	Rocks
Box 1 of 2	Cutouts
Box 1 of 2	Dirt/Ants
Box 1 of 2	Ant Cards
Box 1 of 2	Seeds
Box 1 of 2	Worms
Box 1 of 2	Evaporation
Box 1 of 2	Sea Monkeys
Box 1 of 2	TIME for Kids
Box 1 of 2	Water
Box 1 of 2	Water Backpack/Grade 2
Box 1 of 2	Bubbles
Box 1 of 2	Backpack Translations
Box 1 of 2	Water (Spanish Translation)

Box 1 of 2	Anna Nazaretz (3 folders)
Box 1 of 2	Scanned Drawings
Box 1 of 2	Sarah Drummond (3 folders)
Box 1 of 2	Spanish/English Teachers
Box 1 of 2	Susannah
Box 1 of 2	Neil Hauck
Box 1 of 2	Max Drillings
Box 1 of 2	Ben Mudrack
Box 1 of 2	Guadalupe Duron (2 folders)
Box 1 of 2	Mimi Bags
Box 1 of 2	Tab-01
Box 1 of 2	Tab 00-01 (2 folders)
Box 1 of 2	Tex Teacher Vendor
Box 1 of 2	Meeting, February 2000
Box 1 of 2	Meeting, March 9
Box 1 of 2	Meeting, March 30
Box 1 of 2	Meeting, June 8, 2000
Box 1 of 2	Parent Guidelines
Box 1 of 2	Guidelines for Teachers
Box 1 of 2	Statement of Purpose
Box 1 of 2	Teacher Backpack Instructions
Box 1 of 2	Pack Guidelines

Box 1 of 2	Backpack Statement of Purpose
Box 1 of 2	Principal/Teacher Meeting
Box 1 of 2	Teacher Meeting Agendas
Box 1 of 2	Principal Meetings
Box 1 of 2	Parent Responses
Box 1 of 2	Backpack Evaluations (2 folders)
Box 1 of 2	Statement of Purpose/Guidelines/Evaluations
Box 1 of 2	DC/ACTS from Laura on October 20
Box 1 of 2	Joan Abdullah
Box 1 of 2	Stuff from Case
Box 1 of 2	Chuck James Carnegie
Box 1 of 2	Related Texaco Stories
Box 1 of 2	Texaco Memoranda to Laura
Box 1 of 2	Emails with Laura
Box 1 of 2	Emails
Box 1 of 2	Notes on Texaco and Similar Programs
Box 1 of 2	Texaco Meetings
Box 1 of 2	Texaco
Box 1 of 2	Extra Copies from Backpacks
Box 1 of 2	Backpack Fonts
Box 1 of 2	Principal Meeting, 2001

Box 1 of 2	Case Schools (2 folders)
Box 1 of 2	Backpack Pickup
Box 1 of 2	Journals
Box 1 of 2	Curriculum Plan/Evaluation
Box 1 of 2	Backpack Cost Estimate
Box 1 of 2	Original Proposal for Backpacks
Box 1 of 2	Texaco Grant Acknowledgment
Box 1 of 2	Principal Investigator (PI) Notification
Box 1 of 2	Texaco Memorandum
Box 1 of 2	Texaco/Chevron
Box 1 of 2	Proposed Texaco Budget
Box 1 of 2	Texaco Education Foundation Family Science Backpack Project
Box 1 of 2	Texaco Information for Copies
Box 1 of 2	Texaco Interim Report (3 folders)

Box 2

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Box 2 of 2	Carolina
Box 2 of 2	Letter of Acknowledgment
Box 2 of 2	CIW Memorandum of Understanding
Box 2 of 2	Contract Proposal - CASE, April 2002
Box 2 of 2	CB
Box 2 of 2	Touch

Box 2 of 2	Teacher Evaluations
Box 2 of 2	Status Report, June 15, 2000
Box 2 of 2	Discovering Science
Box 2 of 2	Senses
Box 2 of 2	Rocks
Box 2 of 2	Dirt
Box 2 of 2	Water
Box 2 of 2	Discover Water - Spanish Translation (includes electronic records)
Box 2 of 2	Discover Dirt - Spanish Translation (includes electronic records)
Box 2 of 2	Discover the Senses - Spanish Translation (includes electronic records)
Box 2 of 2	DAT Tapes
Box 2 of 2	Backpacks and Journal (includes electronic records)