

## March for Science Talking Points

- The March for Science is the first event of its kind.
- On April 22th, people will march on the National Mall in Washington, D.C. and in 500 satellite marches as part of a global movement of people who are concerned that science is under attack.
- Science has improved our lives, bringing us life-saving medical cures and providing safer products for our kids. Yet, Science is being ignored by policymakers.
- Policymakers are proposing cuts to funding for the departments that keep our water and air safe, and to medical and technological research that keeps us healthy and safe.
- We are marching for science for clean air and drinking water, for life-saving cures, for safer products for our kids, and for innovation that fuels American jobs.
- We are standing up because science improves lives around the world - from policymakers to parents.
- We are marching to send a message that science matters, and that the majority of us want a healthier, safer world.
- Our goal is to highlight the importance of science in society and our daily lives.
- This march is the start of a movement, and we will encourage marchers to continue their involvement after April 22 by engaging in ongoing science education, strengthening the bonds between scientists and the public, fighting discrimination in our own institutions and our communities, and insisting that legislators propose and enact evidence based policies.
- **Science is important to all of us - and we encourage you to join us on April 22 and tell us why science matters to you. You can register online at [MarchForScience.Com/RSVP](https://marchforscience.com/RSVP).**
- We look forward to seeing you there!