#### **Attention Vermont Educators!**



VTLyme.org has partnered with the Global Lyme Alliance to connect your classroom with free tickborne disease prevention curriculum.

## Why is this important?

- ✔ Research shows that kids aged 5-14 are at highest risk of contracting Lyme disease.
- ✓ Vermont consistently ranks highest in the USA for incidence of Lyme disease.
- ✓ Tickborne disease already affects your classroom, school, and community.
- ✓ You can help your students understand how to prevent tick-bites and recognize symptoms of tickborne diseases!

If diagnosed and treated early, Lyme disease is less likely to cause long-term health complications.

### You now have free access to:

- ✓ Student Workbooks and Teacher Guides (K-12)
- ✓ Interactive Digital Curriculum (K-8) with **Teacher Guides**
- Printables designed for your classroom (K-12)

## **Elementary School**

**Objectives:** Students learn how to identify ticks, understand where ticks live, and know what to do if they find a tick.

#### Middle School

**Objectives:** Students learn how to identify ticks, know what to do when they find a tick, and gain a greater understanding of symptoms of tickborne disease.

# High School

**Objectives:** Teach students not only about prevention but how to identify signs and symptoms of illness, including the psychological, social and emotional impact of Lyme disease.

Please see the information sheet for instructions on how to access the Global Lyme Alliance tickborne disease prevention curriculum, or visit our website: www.VTLyme.org.

Thank you for doing your part to help prevent Lyme and tickborne disease in Vermont's children!