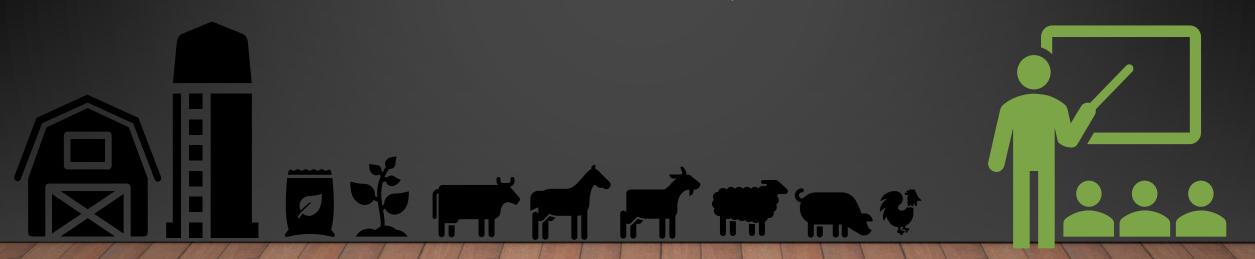
AG IN THE CLASSROOM

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KENTUCKY AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENT IN THE CLASSROOM

- #teachKYag
 - Ky Literacy Network: https://www.teachkyag.org
 - Resource store
 - Free, nominal fee workshops
 - https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=ky+farms+feed+me



AMERICAN FARM BUREAU FOUNDATION FOR AGRICULTURE





- https://www.agfoundation.org/
- Ag Accurate Books through Feeding Minds Press (https://www.feedingmindspress.com)
 - Resources
 - Recommended publications
- Food and Farm Facts
- Ag Mags
- http://www.myamericanfarm.org/
- Purple Plow
 - STEM Challenges and Puzzlers on real world issues, and can enter to win money.
 - https://www.purpleplow.org/



- https://www.agclassroom.org/
- Teacher Center tab
 - Over 435 lesson plans:

Cattle, Pigs, and Turkeys – Oh My!

Build a calf (coin) activity

Animal Ear Tag necklace and info activity

It's a Moostery

Bio Security (turkey farm/November)

Chicken/egg vlog (WebQuest)

Truth or Hogwash

Wool bracelets



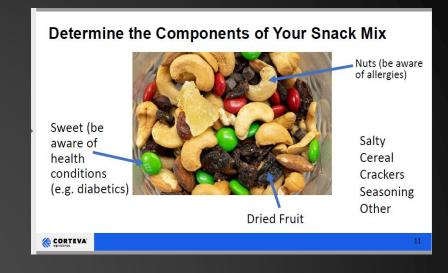




- Trail Mix Design Process and Critical Thinking (Corteva: https://my.nsta.org/corteva/, Purple Plow)
 - Simple or long term project, virtually friendly
 - Peer critique rubric: Appearance, Taste/flavor, Texture, Smell/aroma, Overall acceptability
 - Math- ratio, fractions, serving size, data collection/analysis, calculate profit
 - Ag- focus on state or county production items.
 - Art- create ads, packaging
 - Read/writing- lab notebook, write recipe, record observations, marketing plan,

write a review of product

- Science- nutritional values
- Protect the Pringle Chip (egg) STEM
 - Supply chain/modes of transportation



Protect the Pringle

Create a package to protect the chip

Supplies:

- 1 Pringle
- 2. Card stock
- 3 Tane
- Cotton
- Scissors
- 6. Cup
- 7. String

Test:

- 1. Drop from top of chair
- Drop a book on the package
- Mail





- AGsploration- 24 Lessons
 - Animal Ag, Ag Technology, Ag & the Enviro,
 Plant Ag
 - Hands on
 - YouTube Channel





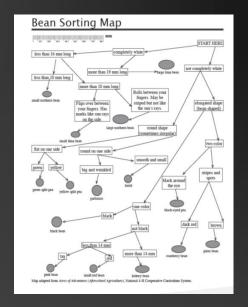
 Extension activities- worm casting tea, different percentages given to plants planted at the same time, leaf liter collection nature hike, multiple size bins, journaling, literary connections



- Fun with Plants in the Classroom
 - Interdisciplinary
 - Age and ability range of adaptations







- Journey 2050 https://www.journey2050.com/
 - Game levels based on nutrients, water, economy, land use, world, technology
 - Curriculum based, free app game: Farmers 2050
- Environmental Issues Instruction
 - Engineer your own soil based on the properties, atom charges, structure and function, select a seed, see if the soil will sustain the plant, test soil for percolation.
- Here's the Beef
 - A cow's digestive system demonstration:
 https://youtu.be/svw5KA8YIAA
 - Ag on the Go (fairs, farmers markets, etc):
 https://www.iowaagliteracy.org/WebsitePageFile/File/5F19F5ED-2727-490D-A7E0-10C81ABEB0EE/Ag%20on%20the%20Go%20COMPLETE.pdf
 - 6 hands-on activities, 3 demonstrations/presentations, 2 printables/handouts



Grave

DRESS-UP A COW / BEAUTIFUL BOVINE

Sand



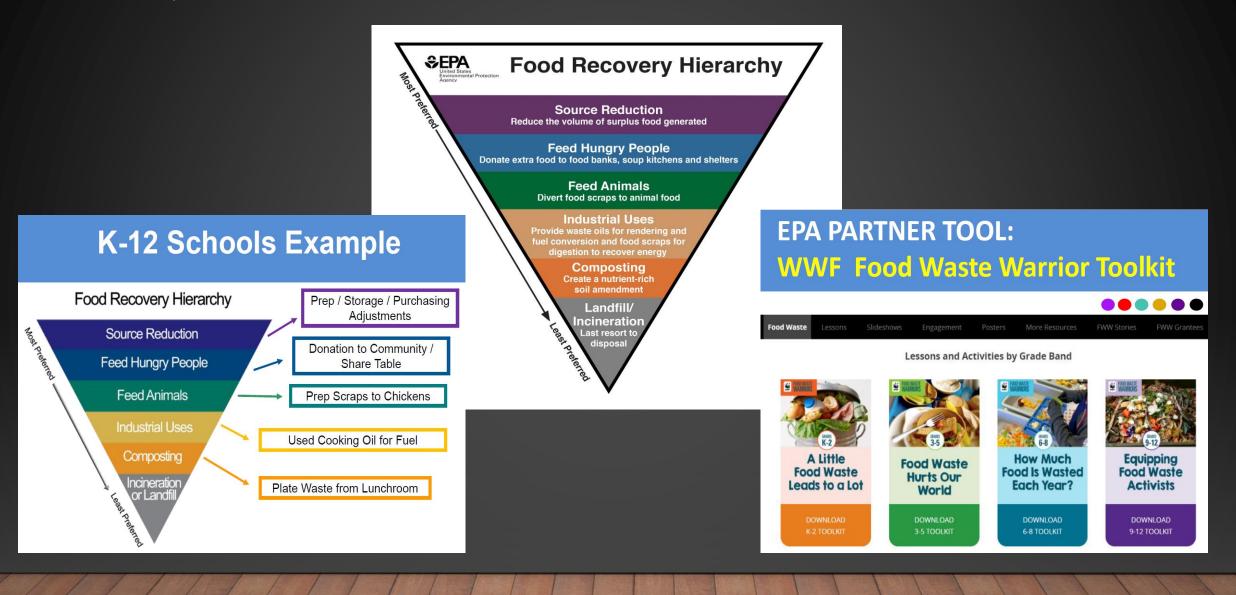
- Udder
- Ears/Ear Tag

Silt

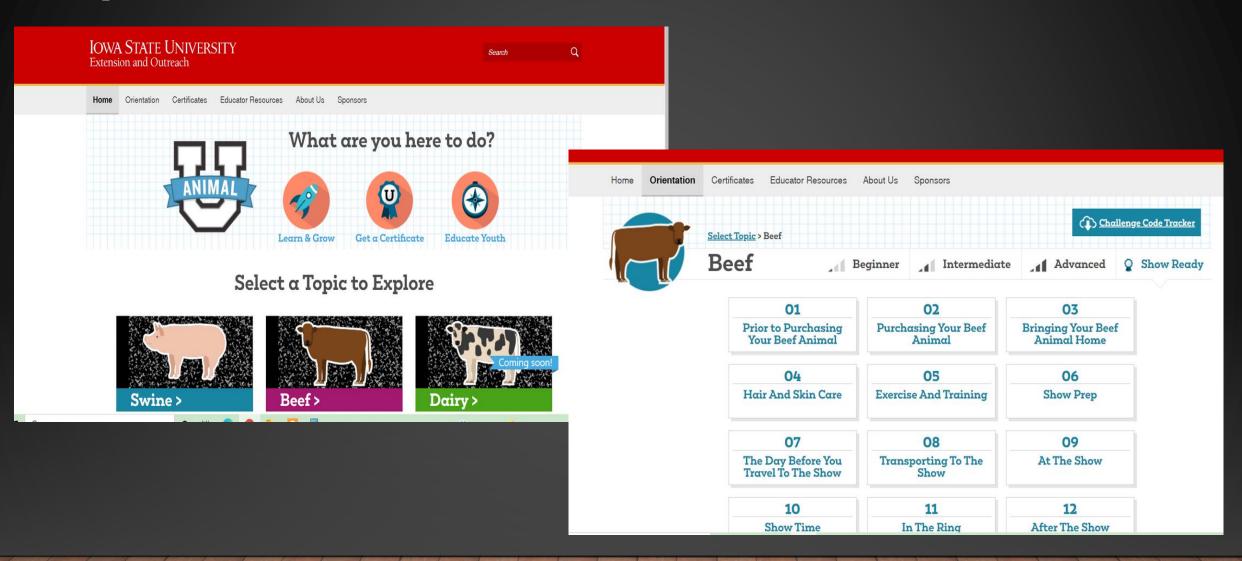
2 days

- Hide
- Hooves
- Long Tongue
- Stomach
- Tail

Taste It, Don't Waste It – EPA



https://www.extension.iastate.edu/animalu/



SIGN-UP SHEET FOR POWERPOINTS FROM EACH OF THE NAITC SESSION EXAMPLES AND THIS PRESENTATION

TABLE DISPLAYS

GIVE-A-WAYS



OTHER RESOURCES

- https://www.nacdnet.org/general-resources/stewardship-and-education-materials/educational-resources/
- https://soilhealthinstitute.org/soil-health-360/
 - Podcast: social media or newsletter content
- https://youtu.be/-dhdUoK7s2s (great prelude into Journey 2050)
- https://ny.agclassroom.org/
- https://virtualfarmtrips.com/
- https://www.milkmeansmore.org/
- http://whereismymilkfrom.com/
- USdairy.com
- https://www.extension.iastate.edu/animalu/
- https://extension.umd.edu/programs/4-h-youth-development/curricula/agsploration

