Learning Innovation Network for K-12 Schools

The purpose of this L.I.N.K.S. newsletter is to provide a monthly update of opportunities and resources for K-12 schools to connect with the University of Nebraska’s CASNR Food, Energy, Water, and Societal Systems (FEWS²) programs and partners.

TEACHER'S CORNER
Click here to access ALL the resources we have shared with you this past year!

VISIT OUR K-12 PARTNERS SITE:
CASNR.UNL.EDU/K-12-PARTNERS

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EYE ON THE 2023 L.I.N.K.S. NEWSLETTER!

Changes are coming to our 2023 L.I.N.K.S. Newsletter.

You can expect:
Career Exploration
Industry Connections
Teacher Opportunities
Student Opportunities
Curriculum Resources
Relevant Research and Data

CHECK OUT OUR PARTNERS' NEWSLETTERS
Subscribe for access to additional resources & opportunities

- Nebraska State Museum Morrill Hall - Sign Up Here
- Between the Rows-Nebraska Ag In the Classroom
- NE Game & Parks - enter email address at bottom of page
- Center for Science, Mathematics, & Computer Education (CSMCE)
  - NebraskaMATH - enter email address at the right of page
  - NebraskaSCIENCE - enter email address at the right of page
- Nebraska Owl Talk-Podcast

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
(click for all the K-5 resources from 2022)

MIDDLE SCHOOL
(click for all the 6-8 resources from 2022)

HIGH SCHOOL
(click for all the 9-12 resources from 2022)

TEACHER OPPORTUNITIES
(click here to access everything from 2022)

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES
(click here to access everything from 2022)
2022 IN REVIEW

TOP 5 SUCCESS STORIES
1. FEWSS at LNE
2. Northeast Compact
3. School Garden
4. TAPS High School
5. World Food Prize Expands

FEWSS 2022 Highlighted Impact

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<td>Nebraska Now &amp; Digital Badge Courses taken: 6</td>
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<td>Individual visits to campus: 738</td>
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<td>PD Attendance: 34</td>
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<td>PD Hours achieved for teachers: 800</td>
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<td>Teacher Needs Assessment Responses: 161</td>
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<td>High School experiences: 1,500 students</td>
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<td>Middle School experiences: 100 students</td>
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<td>UNL Faculty, Staff &amp; Student involvement: 75</td>
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<td>LINKS Newsletter Contacts: 800+</td>
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<th>Community Partnerships</th>
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<td>Educational Service Units (ESU's): 5</td>
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<td>Higher Ed Entities: 9</td>
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<td>School Districts: 39</td>
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<td>Organizations, Industries, &amp; Non-profits: 25</td>
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Thank you for your support - the LNE FEWSS Mural is fully funded! The student is excited to unveil the completed project in May 2023.

LOOKING TOWARD 2023

On the right is a visual of the communities in Nebraska who have engaged with us. We look forward to expanding our reach across Nebraska in 2023 by incorporating industry partners through workforce development training and experiences for students.

We will be hosting events in our new space on East Campus.

Thank you to everyone who has made this possible!
COMING SOON! L.I.N.K.S. 2023

CASNR Focus Areas

In the new year, this newsletter will include Career Exploration opportunities organized by our CASNR Focus Areas, encouraging students to think about where their interests lie. In addition, we will highlight state Industry partners who have workforce development opportunities for High School Students.

Please nominate Industry Partners who have workforce development programs in place for HS students. Send nominations to: K12partners@unl.edu

Our NEW K-12 Partners Office & Collaboration space on East Campus will be open soon!

SEND YOUR STUDENTS TO CAMPUS!
Encourage your students to sign up online for a Husker Weekday Visit to learn more about life as a Husker, tour our campuses, and learn more about their academic area/s of interest! To see the complete schedule and to sign up, click here.

SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES FOR STUDENTS
- Dec. 31: $7,000 Soy - Apply Here
- Jan. 12: $1,000-$10,000 FFA Members - Apply Here
- Jan. 15: $2,000 Ag Tech Systems - Apply Here
- Jan. 31: $1,000 Field To Fuel - Apply Here

NEXT ISSUE...
Keep an eye out for our NEW 2023 CASNR L.I.N.K.S. Newsletter, coming out on Tues, January 31!

RESOURCES TO SHARE? EMAIL THEM TO K12PARTNERS@UNL.EDU

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