



Ag Education Roadmap

work in progress
1.15.10

Pre-college
<p>Elementary & Middle School</p> <p>Agricultural Education (General audience oriented: “About Ag — Where food and fiber come from”)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formal education systems and programs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Kentucky Department of Education - Individual County Boards of Education - Curriculum requirements issue: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Core content and testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Science curriculum > Social Studies curriculum > Health curriculum > Kentucky curriculum
<p>Middle & High School</p> <p>Agricultural Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ag career-oriented education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - State-generated curriculum - Certified teachers required - Capacity issue - Individual Learning Plans (ILP) (Required for all students grades 6–12) • FFA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Specific requirements
<p>Supplemental Initiatives</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teacher/Curriculum support <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ag in the Classroom board (KDA) - Ag in Classroom program (Farm Bureau) • 4H (via Extension Service) • Kentucky Proud • Farmers’ Markets • Ag tourism • Ag Safety Days (SCS) • Youth Ag Days (Farm Bureau) • Institute for Future Agriculture Leaders (Farm Bureau) • Governor’s Scholars • ASSET — Agriculture Students Striving for Effective Tomorrows (WKU)

Higher Education
<p>University level</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ag career-oriented degrees • Ag teacher training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Berea College - Eastern Kentucky University - Kentucky State University - Morehead State University - Murray State University - University of Kentucky - University of Louisville - Western Kentucky University
<p>KCTCS (Community colleges)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ag career-oriented degrees and tech certification <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Henderson - Hopkinsville - Maysville - Owensboro

Adult Continuing Education
<p>University level</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • County Extension offices
<p>KCTCS (Community colleges)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adult Education program • Local Boards of Education
<p>Other</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commodity groups • Farm Bureau • Young Farmer Programs (Farm Bureau) • Kentucky Ag Leadership Program (UK) • Others