



Professional Development in Agricultural Literacy Grant Application Form 2023 - 2024

MAITC and UMaine Cooperative Extension are offering mini-grant funds up to \$2,000 for agricultural literacy education programs at Maine High School Career Technical Education Culinary Arts Programs for the 2023 – 2024 academic school year.

The deadline for e-mail submission is 5:00 PM on Oct. 1, 2023.

The following form must be signed and all answers are required. Selected projects will receive funds, payable to the CTE school, by October 15, 2023. Short final reports are due upon completion of the project with a maximum of 1 year from funding dispersal.

CTE Culinary Art Teacher's Name _____

CTE Culinary Art Teacher's Home Address _____

_____ Zip _____

CTE Culinary Art Teacher's E-mail address _____ Phone _____

CTE School Name _____

CTE School Address _____

_____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Number of Students to Impact _____ Grade Levels _____

Amount of funding requested (There is no minimum but the maximum is \$2,000) _____

Required: Provide: 1. A short description of your proposed project, 2. Estimated itemized budget, 3. Estimated timeline and 4. How it will impact agricultural literacy education and/or promote the use of local foods in your Culinary Arts Program. (Not to exceed 1 page total).

Do you intend to participate in the UMaine Extension Immersive Culinary Arts Summer Institutes planned for 2024? ___ YES ___ NO ___ MAYBE

By signing and submitting this proposal the applicant certifies that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of their knowledge and accepts the obligation to comply with the terms and conditions of the Maine Agriculture in the Classroom Council in effect at the time of the award. *Grant checks will be written to, and mailed to, the school or other non-profit organization attention to the CTE Culinary Arts Instructor. **Unsigned applications will not be considered.**

SIGNATURE OF PROJECT DIRECTOR

DATE

Please sign, scan and e-mail application and project description to maitc@maine.gov before 5:00 PM on Oct. 1, 2023. Go to www.MaineAgintheClassroom.org for more information. Direct any questions to Willie Sawyer Grenier at the same email address.