

Student Engagement

Virtual Field Trips

Join us monthly via Zoom and/or YouTube to visit farms and agricultural sites without leaving your classroom.

Farm and Food Book Week

See and hear guest readers share agriculture themed children's books and engage in question and answer sessions with students. Semi annual event occurring in September and February.

Video Library

Get a quick glimpse into agriculture with our collection of videos.

Free Educational Posters for Students



Minnesota Agriculture in the Classroom PROGRAM RESOURCES



2022-2023



mn.agclassroom.org

K-12 Educator Opportunities

Educator Workshops and Webinars

Customized workshops provide opportunities to gain ideas and resources for embedding authentic agricultural examples into your curricula.

Summer Teacher Tours

Virtual and in-person professional development allows K-12 educators to get a first-hand look into the world of agriculture by touring farms, processing facilities, research sites, and more!



MAITC Foundation Outstanding Teacher Award

Applications are due November 15, 2022. Recognizes the efforts of K-12 educators to creatively embed agriculture into their classroom and curricula. Award includes opportunity to attend National Ag in the Classroom Conference.

Agricultural Literacy Grants

Applications are due November 15, 2022. Funds awarded to K-12 educators to support efforts in new initiatives to integrate agriculture into their curricula, as well as enhancing current events and activities.

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About Minnesota Agriculture in the Classroom

Vision

Agriculture is valued by ALL.

Mission

To increase agricultural literacy through K-12 education.

An agriculturally literate person is defined as *“one who understands and can communicate the source and value of agriculture as it affects our quality of life.”*

The Minnesota Agriculture in the Classroom program (MAITC) empowers K-12 educators to infuse agriculture in their science, social studies, language arts and nutrition curricula.



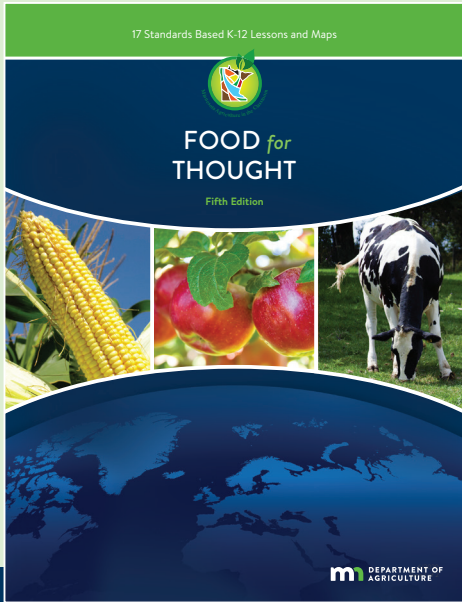
Curriculum Resources

Curriculum Matrix

- FREE searchable database of over 500 lesson plans and resources. All lessons are agriculture focused and aligned with academic standards.



- **Food for Thought** - Eighteen K-12 lessons aligned with Minnesota Social Studies Academic Standards (Geography), teacher guide, color student desk map, and 44 online maps.
- **Journey 2050** - Seven 6-12 grade lessons and online simulations allow students to explore the question “How will we sustainably feed 10 billion people by the year 2050?”



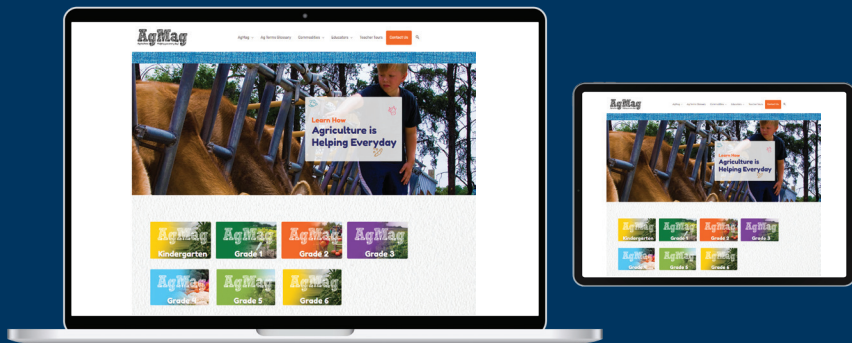
AgMag Series

The AgMag series features magazines that are published online and in print for each grade level, K-6, to encourage unique standards-based learning and curiosity for all. Two grade-specific issues (fall and spring) are available FREE for each grade.



AgMag Online

This website includes content from all current AgMag issues as well as supporting teacher guides and supplemental videos, commodity pages, quizzes and more!



Farm Camp

Farm Camp bridges the classroom to the farm through immersive learning experiences for grades 5-12. There are 3 parts to a Farm Camp experience:

1. In-classroom learning
2. Hands-on Farm/Agriculture Tour
3. Ag Career Lesson

Every Farm Camp is unique! Each experience reinforces academic standards, engages students in learning and creates real-world connections with agriculture and careers.

www.farmcampminnesota.org

