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November is the month for cranberries! New Jersey is the third largest producer of cranberries, which are grown in the sandy soil of the Pine Barrens.

Lessons of the Month

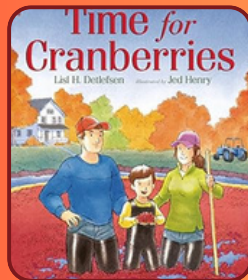
Cranberry Graphing, Grades 2-5

Why Do Cranberries Float? Grades PreK-2

Why Do Leaves Change Color? Grades 2-5

Library Corner

Time for Cranberries by Lisl H. Detlefsen follows a young boy as he joins in harvesting cranberries on his family's farm for the first time.



News of the Month

Be sure to meet the staff of New Jersey Agriculture in the Classroom at the NJEA convention in Atlantic City on November 9-10.

Visit our booth #2126. Make a seed necklace, pick up supplies for a pizza garden, and learn how to bring agriculture into your classroom.

Bring all your questions on teaching about farming and growing school gardens.

We can't wait to meet you!

Would you like to learn more about teaching agriculture? There's no better place than National Agriculture in the Classroom's annual conference, which will be held in Salt Lake City from June 24 to June 27, 2024. Apply for an American Farm Bureau grant to attend the conference [here](#). The deadline to apply is December 1, 2023.



Where do your Thanksgiving turkeys come from? Tour a New Jersey turkey farm on NJ Ag in the Classroom's new YouTube [channel](#). Team your tour with the [online book](#) *My Family's Turkey Farm* and check out these lower elementary [lessons](#) about the life cycle of a turkey.