

Youth Voice and Choice

Programming schedule:

Variety and Color Coded for easy use

Change schedule every six weeks

Programming offerings:

Partnerships and Collaborative Approaches

Interactive professional development

Explore the teachers learning center for STEM opportunities

1. The NSTA:

The National Science Teachers Association (NSTA), founded in 1944 and headquartered in Arlington, Virginia, is the largest organization in the world committed to promoting excellence and innovation in science teaching and learning for all. NSTA's current membership of 60,000 includes science teachers, science supervisors, administrators, scientists, business and industry representatives, and others involved in and committed to science education.

http://www.nsta.org/?utm_source=NSTA%2BExpress%2BNonmember%2Bversion&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=NSTA%2BExpress%2BNonmember%2Bversion

2. Nebraska BLAST! Professional Development/Training Approach

Omaha, Central Nebraska, Northeast Nebraska, Southeast Nebraska

- Cosmic Connections to the Universe
- Robotics
- Aviation and Aeronautics
- High Altitude Ballooning Workshop
- Strategic Air and Space Museum

3. UNO Service Learning with paid training seminars

The P-16 Initiative aims at connecting the P-12 and UNO curriculum through the development of collaborative academic service learning experiences. These experiences connect learning outcomes with community identified needs while meeting curriculum and course standards. The UNO P-16 Initiative works in partnership with Building Bright Futures. <http://www.unomaha.edu/servicelearning/p-16.php>

4. UNL 4-H Youth Development Projects- free curriculum and lesson plans

4-H youth have the opportunity to select from over 150 projects that provide hands-on learning experiences! Each project intends to help youth locate potential careers that are of interest to them.

Choose a curriculum area and explore the endless 4-H project opportunities!

- Animal Science
- Communication and Expressive Arts
- Family and Consumer Science
- Environmental Education and Earth Sciences
- Healthy Lifestyles
- Leadership and Citizenship
- Plant Science
- Science, Engineering, and Technology

http://4h.unl.edu/c/document_library/get_file?uuid=c5ca3b64-c15d-4135-92e2-190363dcbe30&groupId=635885&.pdf