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www.nebraskaprojectwild.org

WHO WE ARE

Nebraska Project WILD is a program within the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission dedicated to engaging students in quality, scientifically-accurate learning experiences focused on nature and wildlife. We strive to provide educators and students with both the knowledge and skills to be environmentally informed citizens who are able to think critically and take an active role in wildlife conservation.

WHAT WE OFFER

Nebraska Project WILD offers several opportunities for afterschool programs:

- o Professional development trainings for afterschool staff utilizing nature related curriculum guides and lesson plans including:
 - Project WILD & Aquatic WILD for educators of grades K-12
 - Growing Up WILD for educators of grades preK-4
 - Flying WILD for educators of grades 5-8
 - Topic-specific workshops focusing on bats, pollinators, insects, place-based education for a wide variety of ages
- Online Nebraska-specific educational lesson plans focusing on birds, pollinators, insects, prairies, worms & composting, water & wetlands.
- o Nebraska-specific educational resources including posters, wildlife guides, and kids magazines.
- Wildlife education trunks complete with hands-on materials focusing on a variety of topics - mammals, birds, binoculars & bird watching, prairies, insects. Trunks are located in 12 sites across the state.
- o Outdoor Event Trailer filled with 13 outdoor and nature related activities such as GPS units for geocaching, bean-bag toss games, fishing poles and casting, wildlife track stamps. Trailers are located in Lincoln, North Platte and Norfolk.
- o Online videos focusing on a variety of topics including worms & composting and careers in conservation.

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