

# Nebraska Two-Year Opportunity Grants

## End of Grant Summary



### GRANTEE

Lincoln Housing Authority

### OVERVIEW

The purpose of this project was to provide a Junior Jobs Club for students in grades 3-5. The club met two days per week with lessons from the So you want to be a... career curriculum followed by supplemental Makerspace activities focused on job skills. A major high point for this project was the connections to the community. Multiple field trips each semester took students to a variety of businesses where they were able to see careers in real life. Students toured The Career Academy and learned about career pathways directly from the high school students. Another component of the club was the hands-on Makerspaces activities where students intentionally practiced job skills, like teamwork and communication. These job skills were tied back to careers they were able to see in action on field trips. For example, students used Ozobots to create code pathways that the Ozobots followed on paper during the Makerspace activity. This technology was seen in real life as students toured the Kawasaki plant and saw machines following yellow lines on the floor to get materials to various production lines.

### SITES

Arnold Elementary School

### PARTNERS

Beyond School Bells  
The Career Academy  
Duncan Aviation  
Kawasaki  
Knowledge Management Council  
Prosper Lincoln

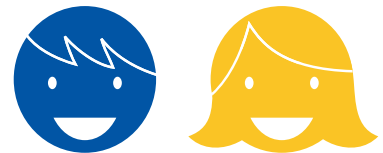
### FOCUS AREAS

Career awareness and job skills development

### AMOUNT AWARDED

**\$12,080**

### PARTICIPANTS

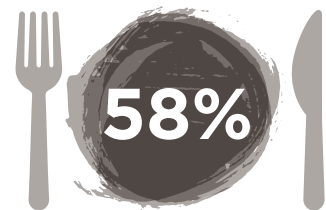


**52** (Grades 3-5)



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