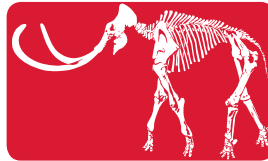


Nebraska 21st Century
Community Learning Centers

PARTNER spotlight



UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA
STATE MUSEUM



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Nebraska State Museum at Morrill Hall

WEBSITE

museum.unl.edu/education

MISSION

We promote discovery of our natural world and world cultures. We accomplish our mission through research, museum collections, learner-centered educational programs, and public exhibitions.

CORE VALUES

We are committed to:

1. **Science Discovery** - We foster new scientific understanding by interpreting Earth's past, present and future through our collections, by preserving organisms, fossils and artifacts.
2. **Scientific Literacy** - We encourage learner-centered discovery of the Earth and its place in the Universe through educational programs. We have a responsibility to reach all Nebraskan citizens as the State Museum.
3. **Sustainability** - We inspire Nebraskans and others to appreciate and become stewards of the natural world and world cultures.
4. **Community Connections** - We create opportunities for Nebraskans to connect with the research that impacts their lives. We help researchers further develop their communication skills and engage in public dialogue.
5. **Diversity and Inclusion** - We encourage multiple perspectives and work that values every person.

EXAMPLES OF PROJECTS

As the State Museum, we not only serve educators and students in the community, but we serve audiences across the state. We believe distance shouldn't be a barrier to quality education programs, and with our three sites: Morrill Hall in Lincoln, Ashfall Fossil Beds near Royal, and Trailside Museum near Chadron, there are endless possibilities. Our established Virtual Learning programs allow us to connect with groups right from our museum galleries in a live, interactive format to explore the natural world and world cultures. Looking for museum specimens in your classroom? We have specimen kits available to bring the museum to you as well!

Visiting on-site? Morrill Hall offers Mueller Planetarium shows and Gallery Programs led by a museum educator, or reserve a guided tour at Ashfall Fossil Beds.

Reach out to discuss the possibilities to connect your educators and students with the State Museum!

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