

Nebraska Two-Year Opportunity Grants

April 8, 2022 through June 30, 2024



GRANTEE

**Lee G. Simmons Wildlife Safari
and Conservation Park**

OVERVIEW

Exploring Nonprofit Conservation Career Pathways has an impact on college and career readiness as it connects real-world skills and knowledge from a nationally recognized park with students in small-town America. CCLC students will discover the myriad of career pathways available at the Wildlife Safari Park and learn the operations of a nonprofit organization. In addition, students will learn hands-on job skills associated with wildlife careers, while gaining a deep understanding of the leadership structure and a variety of business practices. The mission and core strategies, as well as the fundamentals of operating a conservation park, are emphasized.

SITES

Crete Public Schools (Grades 9-12)

PARTNERS

Crete High School- Cardinal Community Learning Center
Omaha's Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium

FOCUS AREAS

Career Awareness
Conservation
Environmental Education

**GRANT
AMOUNT**
\$54,898

**PARTNER
CONTRIBUTIONS**
\$54,898

**TOTAL
BUDGET**
\$109,796