

NATIONAL TEACH AG DAY

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Teach Ag Day Ideas

- Play Teach Ag games in class.
- Put up a Teach Ag booth on campus.
- Encourage students to create a lesson and teach it in class.
- Write a thank-you letter to an ag teacher.
- Submit an ag teacher recognition editorial to your local paper.
- Use social media to talk positively about ag teachers.
- Coordinate a letter writing campaign to policy makers, sharing positive ag teacher stories.

Teach Ag Day Resources @ www.naae.org/teachag

- Lesson plans
- Interactive Games
- Teach Ag Video
- Promotional Materials
- Sign up for the National Teach Ag Campaign
- Find a university that offers an ag ed degree
- Nominate a future ag teacher

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What is National Teach Ag Day?

National Teach Ag Day is designed to encourage others to teach school-based agriculture and recognize the important role that agriculture teachers play in our schools and communities.

Who is it For?

National Teach Ag Day is for anyone who wants to celebrate school-based agricultural education, share the story of agricultural education's importance and effectiveness in the United States, and encourage students to consider careers as agricultural educators. Anyone who wants to participate can find a variety of resources to help them talk about agricultural education at www.naae.org/teachag.

What Happens on National Teach Ag Day?

Agricultural educators and agricultural education advocates will engage in a variety of activities to celebrate and promote the career of agricultural education. These activities may include capitol rallies, special lessons, community activities, and more. The Teach Ag website is a clearinghouse of resources to help teachers and advocates, and free resources found there include a video, suggested teaching activities, games, and giveaway items.

Participate in the Live Virtual Celebration

The live festivities will kick-off at the **Corteva Agriscience Agriculture Division of Dow DuPont** headquarters, in **Johnston, IA** at 11am EDT and will conclude at 3pm EDT, with a variety of features and engaging discussion throughout the day to celebrate the positive and vast impact agriculture teachers make in and out of their classrooms, and encourage others to consider a career teaching agriculture. The celebration will also feature highlights of the agriculture program at **Southeast Polk High School**, as well as participants in the Future Agriscience Teacher Symposium. Make sure to follow our social media accounts to celebrate with us! Teachers and students across the nation will also have the opportunity to chime in through social media to share their celebrations with us. To join the webcast, log on to www.naae.org/teachag on **September 20th**.

Who is Responsible for National Teach Ag Day?

National Teach Ag Day is a part of the National Teach Ag Campaign, an initiative of the National Council for Agricultural Education, led by the National Association of Agricultural Educators and sponsored by the **CHS Foundation**, **Corteva Agriscience™ Agriculture Division of DowDuPont™**, **BASF**, **Herman & Bobbie Wilson**, and **Growth Energy**, as a special project of the National FFA Foundation.

