Monthly Update

Child & Adult Care Food Program



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Farm to Plate in our State newsletter - Coming in December!

CNW will launch the first Farm to Plate in our State newsletter in December. Each newsletter will contain Program and Partner updates, resources, events, celebrations, sponsor tips, trivia, and success stories. Beginning the week of December 11, the newsletter will be sent out monthly. To receive the newsletter, email your request to Eryn Davis, Farm to Plate Project Coordinator at edavis@ksde.org.

Farm to Plate Survey - We need your feedback!

This short (less than 5 minute) survey will inform the CNW Farm to Plate team of local food purchasing in CACFP Programs across the state. Information will be used to develop new resources, trainings, and strategies to increase local foods served in program meals. Take the survey at: https://ksde.sjc1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_9ESkLKfXUvjXOTQ

Farm to Early Care and Education (ECE) Survey

KSDE Child Nutrition and Wellness is partnering with Nebraska and Missouri Departments of Education to offer a Farm to ECE Institute in late 2024. Your response to this short survey will help develop the Institute to best fit CACFP sponsor needs. Take the survey here: Heartland Farm to ECE Institute (redcapdcphlinux.azurewebsites.net)

Harvest of the Month

Due to unforeseen circumstances, Harvest of the Month will be delayed throughout the remainder of 2023. It is anticipated to resume beginning of 2024. More updates to come!

Join the CNW Team!

The CNW team has the following position openings: Assistant Director, Registered Dietitian, and part-time Body Venture Consultant. For more information or to apply, go to: <u>Careers (ks.gov)</u>.

Holiday Wishes!

Wishing all of you a happy & healthy holiday! Please call or email your area Child Nutrition Consultant or the Topeka office if you have questions or for technical assistance!

The CNW Team









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