



LOUISIANA 4-H

SCHOOL

ENRICHMENT

2021-2022



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**Mission:**

To provide research-based experiential learning opportunities, in an effort to enhance learning, promote subject-matter engagement and complement formal education.

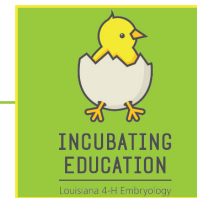
**Structure:**

Each Louisiana 4-H school enrichment program offers a minimum of six hours of instructional lessons and activities. Each program offers hands-on learning opportunities to bring topics to life for the students in an engaging format.



The Louisiana 4-H Living Your Financial Experience Program is a research-based experiential learning program that is designed to support Louisiana schools in efforts to provide financial education for students across the state. Throughout the experience, students will delve into the economics of consumer decision-making, practice strategies to achieve financial independence and sharpen their life skills in the process. The program challenges students to identify needs versus wants, set goals, practice budgeting and navigate LYFE-sized challenges. It also provides opportunities to engage local community members and industry partners in the learning process.

**Grades:** 9th to 12th  
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The Louisiana 4-H Incubating Education is a school enrichment program connecting Louisiana agriculture and life science learning together in the classroom for third and eighth grades.

**Grades:** 3rd and 8th  
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The Louisiana 4-H Cloverbuds program is designed to foster skill development, including cognitive, social, and emotional learning for youth. The program is noncompetitive and will enhance cooperative learning and teamwork. A series of six lessons focusing on self-awareness, individuality, dealing with disappointment, and manners.

**Grades:** 1st to 3rd  
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## 21-22 LOUISIANA 4-H SCHOOL ENRICHMENT AND OUTREACH PROGRAMS



The Louisiana 4-H Youth Wetlands program develops and provides lessons aligned with Louisiana Student Standards for Science and BSCS's 5E Instructional Model for grades 4-12. Recognizing the need to provide timely updates to lesson content in order to stay current with educational standards, the program developed an online lesson delivery platform that launched in the 2019 - 2020 school year. This exciting new system will provide greater access to resources across the state, integrate learning progression feedback, and allow for teachers to view and track student data.

**Grades:** 4th to 12th  
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The Louisiana 4-H Stand Strong: Creating a Culture of Caring is a curriculum designed for youth grades 5th-8th. The curriculum should be used in classrooms, club meetings and/or after school enrichment settings, and is designed to be facilitated by instructors (teachers, 4-H agents, volunteers, etc.). It consists of three units that allow participants to become more aware of the forms of bullying and that provide strategies for managing anger, resolving conflicts, and forming healthy relationships.

**Grades:** 5th to 8th  
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The Louisiana 4-H Health Rocks! program focuses on bringing youth, families and communities together to reduce the use of tobacco, alcohol and drugs. This curriculum is full of hands-on lessons that engage youth in learning. Utilizing a "teens as teachers" model, youth are educated and encouraged to take part in the lessons and become advocates in their families, schools, and communities. In addition, to education on prevention of tobacco, alcohol and drug use; youth are taught life- skill development and decision making. Creating a program that increases life-skills and decision making will increase the effectiveness of the overall goal of reducing tobacco, alcohol and drug use with youth.

**Grades:** 6th to 8th  
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The Team Up for Tiger program is tailored to the needs of elementary-aged children from kindergarten to fifth grade. The resources found within focus on tiger conservation in the 13 tiger-range countries. This program is designed to teach children about 1) the current status of the wild tigers, 2) the culture and the people of a particular tiger range country, 3) threats to the tiger population, 4) Tigers United and our tiger conservation work and 5) how everyone can help save wild tigers.

**Grades:** Kindergarten - 5th  
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