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2022 Impact At-A-Glance



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Youth learned about safety through various hands-on sessions at the Kearney/Franklin County Farm Safety Days.

“Thank you so much for showing us how to be safe,” *Brinley Pohl, Minden 6th Grader.*

Progressive Ag Farm Safety Days in Kearney/Franklin Counties reached 422 youth in collaboration with Extension and four local FFA Chapters in 2022. “The Farm Safety program for students at Franklin Public Schools has provided lessons to educate our young students about the dangers on the farm or living in a rural setting. The students look forward to this day each fall, with the engaging lessons and dynamic speakers and leaders who provide us with an excellent day of learning! We are fortunate to have this available to our students,” stated Shelley Kahrs, Principal Franklin Public Schools.

Programs At-A-Glance

- **Early Childhood:** Through 35 programs, with over 411 teaching hours, Early Childhood educators reached 1901 childcare teachers. Saving teachers \$28,720 in fees and materials.
- **Kidz Kollege and Klover Bags** – Programs that brought 355 youth an opportunity to learn skills in SET, Horticulture, Wildlife, FCS and Creative Arts in Kearney/Franklin Counties.

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4-H age eligible youth are impacted by Kearney/Franklin County 4-H.

106

youth learned where their food comes from through the Kearney/Franklin Animals Inside & Out Program.

45

Kearney/Franklin County pastures were evaluated for condition and effects of drought on grazing loss