

Chase and Perkins Counties



2020 Impact At-A-Glance

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Nebraska Extension engaged 471 5th and 6th Grade students in southwest Nebraska with hands-on education about food, nutrition and health.



“This was the first time I had ever gotten to make my own lunch!” 5th Grade Student, Chase County Schools. Energy and excitement filled the Chase County Fairgrounds as the 5th and 6th grade classes from Chase County Schools came pouring through the doors. Students engaged in learning as they discussed kitchen safety and proper hand washing, prepared and tried new foods from across the food groups and MyPlate, and learned new ways to exercise. “The best part was making our own lunch. I will probably make it for my family. I will make the salsa, too.” Alex, Chase County School 5th Grader.

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Programs At-A-Glance

4-H Grows: In Perkins and Chase Counties, 446 youth participated 4-H/Youth Development events and activities.