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June 11-12, 2018

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The Nutrients
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Professional Development Day

Soil Science and Sustainability Teacher Workshop

The Nutrients For Life Foundation, an organization based in Washington, D.C. is visiting Iowa to offer educators this hands-on, standards-aligned professional development course for educators.. Team members from across the nation will emphasize approaches and lessons that can be utilized to meet STEM standards while introducing new concepts, activities and resources that can be immediately implemented in your classroom. Participants will gain new understanding of soil science, sustainability and the importance of crop nutrients in our earth's ever-growing population.

This two day course will be an overview of the Nutrients For Life Foundation's free plant and soil science resources, science activities and discussion of how sustainability concepts can be taught in the classroom, as well as time to explore technology such as games and virtual field trips to make soil science fun for your students. Learn about more careers with our career panel discussion and activities for your students to explore potential careers for their future.

Teachers will leave with a bundle of free resources and knowledge that can be easily integrated into their science units next school year. Computer or Tablet device is recommended.

EDMA graduate credit is being offered for this course. Please check with your partnering institution of higher education to be certain it will be accepted towards a master's degree or endorsement. (Both types of credit will require 15 contact hours/per credit and 30 outside of class hours/per credit.) There will be extended learning opportunities provided outside of class meeting times.

NOTE: All participants requesting credit should plan to complete all of the work required (attendance, participation and assignments) to receive the full benefit of the training.

For registration information, interested educators should contact:

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Information will be available at class in regards to registering for the license renewal credits through Heartland AEA. Note: The ability to register below for the license renewal credit will be available the first day of the workshop. If interested in Iowa State graduate credit, information will be sent per request when registering.

