

Coordinator's Report
Ag in the Classroom—St. Clair County
November 2007

1. The unit on corn continued this month. The kids go nuts when I dissolve a packing peanut in water—and they always ask if you could eat them. So, everyone gets to try one, but no one asks for seconds.
2. Forty-six classes got a visit this month. The third unit started the last week of November. This one is on soil and water. We'll be doing a different (and less expensive) activity than the usual soil sundae this year.
3. We will have a booth at the Teachers' Institute on April 4. Also, I'll be offering two breakout sessions on the Magic Kits.
4. I am submitting a proposal for a teacher tour in June. I'd like to go back to the Pet Dairy in O'Fallon. We had a blast last year. I'm trying to come up with another site, too.
5. This has been a difficult year to get scheduled in an efficient way. Everybody wants afternoon presentations! This makes it hard to fully use my time doing actual lessons.

Respectfully submitted,

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