

Karly Larson

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EDUCATION

Kansas State University, Manhattan, KS
Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education
Minor: Agronomy

August 2020 - Expected Graduation May 2024

GPA: 4.0

CLASSROOM EXPERIENCE

Norwich High School, Norwich, KS
Student Teacher, 7th-12th Grade

Spring 2024

- Develop and execute lesson plans that meet standards in the Agriculture, Food, and Natural Resources Career Cluster, specifically in the Natural Resources Pathway
- Coach and prepare two FFA Career Development Event Teams for both district and state-level contests
- Monitor student progress and comprehension through formative and summative assessments, and adjust teaching methods when needed

Clay Center Community High School, Clay Center, KS
Practicum Experience, 9th-12th Grade

Fall 2023

- Incorporated a Curriculum for Agricultural Science Education (CASE) lab to connect the ethanol industry to the animal feed industry through the comparison of distiller grains and corn feed
- Developed activities that promoted critical thinking skills in current issues in the agriculture industry and having students be able to discuss such matters with the use of research and experimental data

Junction City High School, Junction City, KS
Practicum Experience, 9th-12th Grade

Fall 2023

- Instructed 25 students in Greenhand Contest preparation through a hands-on lesson utilizing FFA history and FFA and Agricultural Education goal-making
- Brainstormed with students about how they may find themselves involved in FFA and what would be ideal areas in the organization for them to explore further

Louisburg High School, Louisburg, KS
Early Field Experience, 9th-12th Grade

Spring 2022

- Reviewed material and discussed test questions regarding food science to help students prepare for the food science CDE held at the state level
- Discussed the inner workings of a successful FFA chapter and what practices would be appropriate to adopt for a first-year agriculture teacher

Hays High School, Hays, KS
Early Field Experience, 9th-12th Grade

Spring 2022

- Observed a chapter officer meeting where one of the topics was possible fundraiser ideas to put on in the community
- Talked over usage of Supervised Agricultural Experiences in the classroom and possible grading practices and engagement strategies that have been both successful and unsuccessful in the classroom

RELATED EXPERIENCE

Kansas State Research and Extension, Garden City, KS

May 2023 - August 2023

4-H Educator/Intern

- Actively led programs with youth about current topics and issues in agriculture using various curricula and evaluated programs through both pre and post-assessments to measure both the progress in participants' knowledge and in the programs' effectiveness
- Worked to provide feedback on modifications for statewide curriculum through the use of action research and strategic thinking on how to reach such diverse demographics and populations throughout Kansas
- Networked throughout the community via newspaper, social media, and community events and publicly reported on the successes within the district
- Communicated with a team of 3 other interns for scheduling, planning, and teaching purposes to put on 33 programming activities throughout the summer and reached 1,336 youth as a result

Manhattan-Ogden USD 383, Manhattan, KS

October 2022 - Present

Substitute Teacher

- Carry out lesson plans in the absence of the teacher and ensure students complete any necessary work for the day and assist students with any questions
- Build positive relationships with students to ease the stress of the absence of their teacher
- Utilize classroom management strategies to maintain an ideal and positive learning environment
- Remediate conflicts and/or emergencies if needed with the proper procedures put in place by the teacher, school, and district
- Communicate with the teacher about both positive interactions or concerns with students via physical reports or e-mail

LICENSURES, DEGREES & CERTIFICATIONS

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| • 6th - 12th Agriculture Certification , <i>Kansas Dept. of Education</i> | Spring 2024 |
| • AgXplore , <i>Curriculum for Agricultural Science Education (CASE)</i> | Fall 2023 |
| • Agribusiness Foundations , <i>Curriculum for Agricultural Science Education (CASE)</i> | Fall 2023 |
| • Youth Mental Health First Aid , <i>National Council for Mental Wellbeing</i> | Summer 2023 |
| • American Degree , <i>National FFA Organization</i> | Fall 2022 |
| • Emergency Substitute License , <i>Kansas State Board of Education</i> | Summer 2022 |
| • Adult and Pediatric First Aid / CPR / AED , <i>American Red Cross</i> | Fall 2021 |

CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT & PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

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| • National FFA Organization , <i>Volunteer & Alumna</i> | Fall 2022 - Present |
| • Agricultural Ambassadors , <i>Member</i> , Kansas State University | Spring 2021 - Present |
| • National Association of Agricultural Educators , <i>Member</i> | Fall 2020 - Present |
| • Agricultural Education Club , <i>Member</i> , Kansas State University | Fall 2020 - Present |
| • National FFA Organization , <i>Member</i> | Fall 2016 - Fall 2022 |

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

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| • Derby Dining Center , <i>Student Supervisor</i> , Manhattan, KS | August 2021 - Present |
| • Hard Rock Lanes , <i>Shift Leader</i> , Garden City, KS | May 2019 - January 2023 |
| • Larson Farms , <i>Farmhand</i> , Garden City, KS | June 2016 - October 2022 |

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