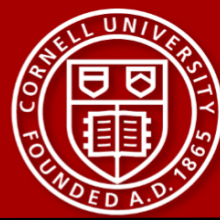


Dairy Prospects Program



Explore the exciting world of dairy!

Who should apply?

High school students (starting grades 9 through 12 in Sept 2025) in Jefferson, Lewis or St. Lawrence Counties who are interested in discovering exciting opportunities in the dairy industry.

What will you do?

Dairy Prospects is a one-year adventure with hands-on learning where you will:

- * Meet leaders in the dairy industry
- * Visit various dairy farm businesses
- * Tour and meet with local agribusinesses
- * See modern and unique management systems in action
- * Get to know other students who share your interests
- * Tour a local agriculture college or university

What is the time commitment?

The 8 or 9 meetings will take place from Fall 2025 through Spring 2026. Most trips will take place during school hours, with absences pre-approved by teachers through the program. Activities will take place once every month or 2 over the course of the program.

How to apply:

Return completed application materials (see link below) to Abbey Birchenough, Cornell Cooperative Extension of Jefferson County, 203 N Hamilton Street, Watertown, NY, 13601, by June 15, 2025.

<https://ccejefferson.org/events/2025/06/15/dairy-prospects-program-application-deadline>

Cost: \$50. Successful applicants will be asked to pay a one-time \$50 program fee. The rest of the program funding is provided by generous industry sponsors.

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