October 2020

We want to see all of the great things you are doing this month! Feel free to share some of the activities you have completed and things you have learned on the UConn 4-H Facebook and Instagram pages. Please include #UConn4-HSTEM with your posts.

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| 4 World Animal Day  
Take a virtual field trip to the Smithsonian National Zoo. | 5 World Teachers' Day  
Share your appreciation for your teachers. | 6 National Mad Hatter Day  
Make a Mad Hatter Paper Hat. | 7 National Pumpkin Seed Day  
Make a geoboard using golf tees or push pins. | 8 World Sight Day  
Experiment with this pumpkin optical illusion. | 9 Curious Events Day  
Investigate curious events, including UFO sightings and the Bermuda Triangle. | 10 World Mental Health Day  
What are some ways to support your mental health? |
| 11 Observe water traveling through leaves. | 12 Farmers' Day  
Try to regrow a vegetable from scraps. | 13 National Fossil Day  
Research fossils in CT. | 14 National Dessert Day  
Use your engineering skills to stack apples, then cook them for dessert! | 15 Global Handwashing Day  
Investigate germs with this apple activity. | 16 World Food Day  
Try one of these MyPlate snack tips. | 17 National Pasta Day  
Construct a bridge using spaghetti. |
| 18 National Cupcake Day  
Use cupcake tins in this egg drop experiment. | 19 National New Friends Day  
What are some ways to reach out to new friends this week? | 20 National Day on Writing  
Write a Halloween story, then illustrate it. | 21 National Apple Day  
What is your favorite type of apple? | 22 National Color Day  
Glue layers of colored tissue paper together to experiment with color. | 23 National Mole Day  
Celebrate chemistry and Avogadro's number, which is 6.02x10^{23} | 24 United Nations Day  
Travel around the world by listening to different types of music. |
| 25 Complete an online coding project or puzzle. | 26 National Pumpkin Day  
Carve a pumpkin! | 27 National Black Cat Day  
What are some superstitions that you know of? | 28 National First Responders Day  
Thank a first responder. | 29 National Oatmeal Day  
Make clay using oatmeal and paint it. | 30 Candy Corn Day  
Build a candy corn catapult using pencils, rubber bands, and a spoon. | 31 Halloween  
What is your favorite Halloween costume? |