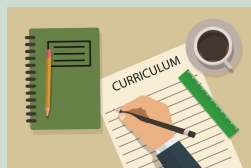




# A Comprehensive Curriculum Resource for Agriculture Teachers in Michigan

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## Vision



Support *teacher enactment*, defined as teachers creating the curriculum used in their classroom (Shawer, 2010).



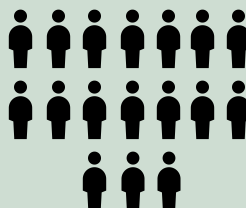
Reduce the work responsibilities of teachers, increasing the opportunity for work-life balance (Sorensen et al. 2017).



Create a curriculum resource relevant to the standards and context of Michigan AFNR systems.



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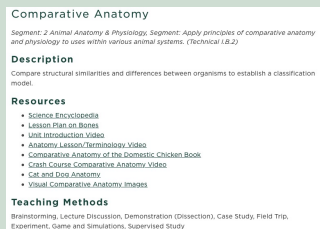
17 agriculture teachers from Michigan participated in a three-day *participatory* professional development workshop.



Core ideas identified, descriptions written, online resources identified, and teaching methods suggested.

## Development

## Resource



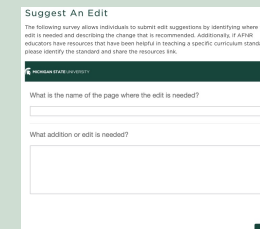
259 pages that include a core idea, written description, online resources, and teaching methods.

**Amount of Core Ideas Per Grouping:**

Core ideas may appear in multiple categories as they apply to that particular topical category. Each category contains the following amount of digital documents to explore and aid in lesson planning.

Animal Science	74
Safety	19
Agri-Business	79
Environmental Science	52
Plant Science	80
Leadership Development	44

Teachers can navigate to core idea pages via standard clusters (i.e., segments) or potential course subjects.



Resource includes a “suggest an edit” feature where teachers can provide ongoing feedback.