

Chicken Embryology in the Classroom

The Chicken Embryology project is brought to you by the Hancock County office of Purdue Cooperative Extension Service. Through the observation and hatching of chicken eggs, students explore their understanding of life and the embryo. We provide the incubator, the eggs, a poster on chicken development, and all supplies necessary for the project. The incubator is fully automatic so it can be left at school on weekends. This is a continuous project for at least a 21-day period; our instructor will train the teachers on the proper use of the incubators and present two lessons to the class during the incubation.



Life skill development activities such as planning and organizing, record-keeping, and teamwork will be included in this curriculum. Science skills will also be included as we will be observing, comparing and measuring, and relating our observations

This is an “egg-citing” project and we would be happy to present it to your school in the appropriate grade level/curriculum. The complexity of the project can be varied with student interest and ability.

If you are interested in this program, please contact Becky Pfeifer at the Hancock County Extension Office, (317) 462-1113 or e-mail her at rapfeife@purdue.edu. **There is a \$20 fee for this program.**

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