## TEACHING IN EXTENSION GRADUATE CERTIFICATE



## **CURRICULUM**

A bachelor's degree in any subject is required to register for the courses.

AGED 525 - Agricultural and Extension Teaching
3 Credits

AGRI 546 - Principles of Cooperative Extension
3 Credits

AGRI 547 - Delivery of
Cooperative Extension Programs
4 Credits

**Elective Course from AGED, EDAE or HDFS**3 Credits

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## **CERTIFICATE OVERVIEW**

Extension Agents function as a resource and content expert in the communities they serve. With areas of expertise ranging from agriculture to health topics, teaching these subjects in an effective and useful way requires a specialized skillset. Learn Extension teaching methods to relate your valuable knowledge and expertise in a certificate program designed for graduate students and Extension Agents already working in the field.

## BECOME A MORE EFFECTIVE EDUCATOR

Throughout this program, students will gain specific skills in content delivery methods for a variety of settings and audiences including:

- Youth and adults
- One-on-one
- Classroom-based
- Online
- Seminars
- Conferences

Additionally, students will gain foundational knowledge and understanding of how to organize and effectively deliver educational programs and events, such as county fairs, after-school programs for youth, or mitigating agricultural issues in their community.

More specifically, you will learn:

- How to construct outlines and agendas for educational programs.
- How to effectively market educational programs you are teaching.
- Strategies for working with volunteers.
- Techniques for developing surveys and evaluating data to measure program effectiveness.

THIS CERTIFICATE IS OFFERED ONLINE OR ON CAMPUS IN FORT COLLINS, CO

This Graduate Certificate in Teaching in Extension is a companion to the Master of Extension Education degree. All 13 credits can transfer into the program (with a grade of B or better) and can be applied toward the degree after formal admission per University transfer policies. However, successful completion of the courses or certificate does not guarantee admission to the degree program.



