## 2025 TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT SAFETY TRAINING

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR! COST: \$60

Federal law restricts youth under 16 from using certain farm equipment unless their parents or guardians own the farm. However, 14- and 15-year-olds can earn an exemption by completing a two-day certification course, which includes a written test and a driving exam. Successful completion grants NSTMOP certification, allowing them to operate tractors and certain mechanized equipment on farms and ranches, and obtain a husbandry permit.

Youth under 14 years of age can attend Day 1 **if accompanied by an adult** but cannot drive equipment, attend Day 2, or become certified. Students under 14 must register but won't be charged a fee.



SUMMER 2025 SCHEDULE		
Date(s)	Event(s)	Location
May 21 May 22	Day 1 Day 2	West Point, NE
May 27	Day 2*	Weeping Water, NE
May 28 May 29	Day 1 Day 2	North Platte, NE
June 3 June 4	Day 1 Day 2	Gering, NE
June 5	Day 2*	Chadron, NE
June 9 June 10	Day 1 Day 2	Grand Island, NE
June 11 June 12	Day 1 Day 2	O'Neill, NE
June 17 June 18	Day 1 Day 2	York, NE

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<sup>\*</sup>Those attending a location that only offers Day 2 must complete Day 1 at another location, OR complete the virtual module. Those attending a location that offers both days, but live 50 miles or more from the location, may complete the online module for Day 1. Day 1 (or online module) MUST be completed, with written exam, before attending Day 2.

## QUESTIONS? CONTACT KELSEY IRVINE @ KEPALM@UNMC.EDU

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