

OpenSciEd Program Overview

Date:	May 26th, 2026
Time:	9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Location:	ESU 5 900 W Court St. Beatrice NE, 68310 Thayer Conference Room, Nebraska Conference Room with Kitchen Room, Kitchen Room
Registration Information & Fees:	Register with ESU #5 (www.esu5.org) Go to Events Registration Deadline: 5/4/2026 Cost: \$20 per participant will be taken from the school's service credit until funds are depleted, then schools will be billed. Food: Morning Refreshments and lunch will be provided.
Stipend Eligibility	Title IIA
Target Audience:	K-6th-grade teachers of Science who are using or thinking about using the OpenSciEd Materials
Description:	This training is giving districts who are using or considering using the OpenSciEd materials a 10,000-foot overview of the program and how it is organized. This includes, but is not limited to: program structure, how to make it fit into your schedule, opportunities to shorten lessons and where you should not make cuts, experiencing investigations to learn why the program is structured the way it is and how ESU 5 can support you in your implementation, including what we have already built to add to or make the program run more smoothly in your classroom. This is not a training on your specific unit you will be teaching. That training is occurring during the August dates listed.
Materials Required:	Computer
Presenters:	Annette, Patrick, and Matt
Questions for ESU Organizer:	Annette Weise - awaise@esu5.org

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