

# GRAFTON EDUCATION DAY

## THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2026



### Marketplace for Kids

**Celebrating over 30 Program Years  
13 Years of Innovation at – GRAFTON**



Dear Parents:

[Marketplace for Kids](#) is a unique education program that introduces your student to many different career options presented by those in the actual field. These classes are designed to help your student learn more about a career they are interested in pursuing or one they may not even know existed. It allows for a true experiential Day of Learning!

[Marketplace for Kids](#) challenges your student to go outside the box and develop their own invention while introducing them to entrepreneurship. This is an innovative way to utilize skills needed for the 21<sup>st</sup> century and shows them how to organize their ideas for development and growth.

[Marketplace for Kids](#) demonstrates how everyone can improve the economic future of our communities no matter your age.

### Marketplace for Kids Education Day

- Classes/Activities  
(See Class List at [marketplaceforkids.com](http://marketplaceforkids.com))
- Hall of Great Ideas  
(Students Showcasing their own Innovation)
  - Business Ideas
  - Inventions
  - Agriculture
  - Technology
  - Other Great Ideas
- Open to students in grades 3 – 8

### SOME CLASSES OFFERED LAST YEAR:

Border Protection  
Breaking Through Traditional Roles  
Building Windows with Marvin  
Business Ed & IT  
Electric Motors & Circuits  
Experiments with Electricity  
Land Surveying & Mapping  
ND FSA Talks Agriculture  
Pharmacy Technician  
Power UP! Exploring Energy  
Rain to Drain  
Vet Care Basics

### **ADDITIONAL PROGRAM INFORMATION:**

- [Transportation](#) – Your student's teacher/advisor will provide details on the travel arrangements.
- [Classes/Activities](#) – Dress for the weather; we will be traveling between buildings.
- [Photo/Video](#) – Footage of your student may be taken and may be used for the Tribute Video, which will be shown at the closing rally and placed on the Marketplace for Kids website. If you **DO NOT** want your student photographed, please notify their teacher/advisor immediately.
- [Project Displays](#) – We will have plenty of room for your student to display their projects. Please let us know if your student will need electricity, extra space and/or other needs.

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### ORDER PRESENTAION BOARDS FROM FAVORITE VENDOR!

#### Size Suggested by Teachers

- Small Board (48" x 18")
- Large Board (48" x 36")
- Optional Large Board Display Header (36" x 10")

#### Suppliers Suggested by Teachers

- **Dollar Tree**  
[www.dollartree.com](http://www.dollartree.com)
- **Amazon**  
[www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com)
- **School Specialty**  
[www.schoolspecialty.com](http://www.schoolspecialty.com)

### PROJECTS



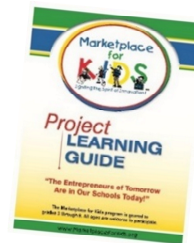
*The innovators of tomorrow  
are in our classrooms and  
homes today!*

### ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

Are you helping your child develop their projects for the "Hall of Great Ideas"? The Marketplace for Kids website has many resources to help you work with your child including how to design their display boards.

Under "Resources," you will find ideas on:

- Inventions, Innovations & Crazy Contraptions (How to develop an invention)
- Entrepreneurship (How to develop a business idea)
- Adventures in Agriculture
- Building your Community through Volunteerism
- Innovation in Art and Literature
- Innovation in Technology



*We are always available to help you and your students!*

Outreach and technical assistance are provided to teachers and students, school districts, consortium of schools, youth organizations and associations interested in Youth Entrepreneurship.

These sessions are **FREE** and can be scheduled in person or virtually through our office.

**THANK YOU FOR HELPING YOUR CHILD  
PREPARE FOR THEIR MARKETPLACE FOR KIDS  
EDUCATION DAY EXPERIENCE!**

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[www.marketplaceforkids.org](http://www.marketplaceforkids.org)