



**January 22, 2010**

**2009 – 2010 “KANSAS SOYBEANS AS A FOOD” FACS SCHOOL PROGRAM  
First Semester Opportunity**

The Kansas Soybean Commission and the Kansas Soybean Association invite you to participate in the Kansas Soybeans as a Food educational program in Kansas middle and high school Family and Consumer Science (FACS) departments.

The purpose of this program is to acquaint students with the nutritional qualities and use (taste) of soybean food, food additives, and the importance of the livestock industry to soybean farmers. A list of possible soy products you may use is included with this mailing.

Teachers will receive reimbursement for the cost of soybean products used in food preparation (i.e., soy flour, tofu, etc.), or soy products available in stores (i.e., soy milk, soy oil, crackers, chocolate, margarine, mayonnaise) and meat products used in your classroom by following these steps:

1. Submit the application form
2. Conduct an educational unit in the classroom using nutritional information and actual products
3. Return receipts for reimbursement, along with the Reimbursement Form

Keep your curriculum up-to-date with these materials available for classroom use:

1. Soy Foods: A Healthy Profile
2. Soy is Heart Healthy
3. 2009 Soyfoods Guide (excellent)
4. Say “Yes” to Soy!
5. Soy Education DVD & Worksheet Kit is available upon request

These, and other informational pieces, including soy recipes on our website at [www.kansassoybeans.org](http://www.kansassoybeans.org), beef at [www.kansasbeef.org](http://www.kansasbeef.org), and pork at [www.kspork.org](http://www.kspork.org), are available to teachers who apply for the Kansas Soybeans as a Food program. When we receive your application, we will send the **Reimbursement Form**, along with the requested materials.

Please send in your application form for the 2009 – 2010 program by **February 26, 2010**. Following completion of the educational unit, send in the **Reimbursement Form**, along with receipts for products purchased, by **April 30, 2010**.

If you have questions, or need additional information, contact the Kansas Soybean Commission office at 800-328-7390, or write to us at 2930 SW Wanamaker Drive, Topeka, KS 66614.

**KANSAS SOYBEANS AS A FOOD PROGRAM IS A CHECK-OFF FUNDED PROGRAM OF THE KANSAS SOYBEAN COMMISSION.**



**Kansas Soybeans as a Foods Program  
Second Semester Opportunity**

**2009 - 2010**

**GUIDELINES**

1. **Reimbursement will be for soybean and meat products.** We are enclosing a sheet containing some of the possible soy products you could use. For example: soy flour, soy milk, tofu, textured soy protein, mature soybeans, green soybeans, soy oil, soy nuts, tempeh, or miso. Prepared foods that contain soy products as a replacement ingredient also qualify. This year we are adding new products to the list of reimbursable items. Since 98% of the soybean meal produced in Kansas is consumed by the livestock industry, we are adding beef, pork, and poultry items to the list of reimbursable items. This means one-half of the amount you can be reimbursed can be for meat products.
2. One reimbursement per teacher, per semester, per school year, will be approved. If more than one teacher is involved, please coordinate so there are no duplications. Applications must be made each semester.
3. Schools will be allowed up to \$2.00 per student. The minimum amount for which a school can qualify is \$25.00, with a maximum of \$200.00. (Example: 50 students x \$2.00 = \$100.00.) Reimbursement for actual foods purchased, up to the amount approved for your school, will be made when receipts have been submitted to our office. Please highlight items to be reimbursed. If you were approved for \$50.00, but spent only \$32.50, you would receive \$32.50.
4. Applications must be returned and approved prior to the starting of the program. Please include nutrition and other soy health issues in the educational unit.
5. Products purchased are for classrooms only; no outside activities will be reimbursed.
6. Deadline for applying for funds is **February 26, 2010.**
7. Following the food unit, please return your **Reimbursement Form**, along with the receipts for food purchases to:

Kansas Soybean Commission  
2930 SW Wanamaker Drive  
Topeka, KS 66614-4116

Payment will be sent to the school.

**To obtain many of Charlene Patton's recipes, please visit our websites  
at [www.kansassoybeans.org](http://www.kansassoybeans.org) or [www.soybean.org](http://www.soybean.org).**



**SECOND SEMESTER  
APPLICATION FORM**

Kansas Soybeans as a Food Program

2009 - 2010

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Total No. of Students: \_\_\_\_\_ Total No. of Classes: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Requested: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Teacher's Signature

**Please Apply by February 26, 2010**

Return to: Kansas Soybean Commission  
2930 SW Wanamaker Drive  
Topeka, KS 66614-4116  
or Fax: 785-271-1302

**For Office Use Only**

Amount Approved: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Approved / KSC, FACS Program Director



*The Soybean Checkoff...  
It Works For Everyone!*

## **REIMBURSEMENT FORM**

**Kansas Soybeans as a Food Program**

**2009 - 2010**

School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Teacher's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of course taught: \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of students in class: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount of reimbursement requested: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

How did you incorporate soy in this unit (you may add one additional page if necessary)?

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Do you have any suggestions on improving the FACS program? If so, please let us know by writing them in the space provided below:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Teacher's Signature

### **For Office Use Only**

Amount Approved: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
KSC, FACS Program Director

**Please Return by April 30, 2010**

### **Please note new address!**

Return with all receipts to:

**Kansas Soybean Commission**  
**1000 SW Red Oaks Place**  
**Topeka, KS 66615-1241, or Fax: 785.271.1302**