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**“AG DAY LA” TEACHES CITY KIDS ABOUT ORIGINS OF  
FOOD, FABRIC, AND CLOTHING**

<http://www.AGDAYLA.com>

- WHO:** Third and fourth grade students from Los Angeles, Orange, and San Bernardino counties, the County of Los Angeles Department of Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures, the Los Angeles County Farm Bureau, California Women for Agriculture, and the 48th District Agricultural Association
- WHAT:** AG DAY LA at the 48th District Agricultural Association’s Schools’ Agriculture and Nutrition Fair. For the eighth year, third and fourth grade students and their teachers have been invited to discover how water, plants, bees, fiber, food, and dairy contribute to what we find in our stores and restaurants.
- WHERE:** Fairplex Pomona - Big Red Barn and 48th DAA Fair - Building #10
- WHEN:** 9:30 AM to 1:00 PM – Wednesday, April 22 and Thursday, April 23
- WHY:** Getting hands-on with interactive activities, seeing a mobile dairy, meeting farm animals up close, and visiting with agriculture professionals will leave a lasting impression on the students, who mostly live a life disconnected from the source of the agricultural elements in their lives. This is their chance to learn about farming and the preservation of a healthy food supply by discovering the connections between what we eat, drink, and wear, the environment, and how various professions contribute to producing our goods while preserving the environment.

The County Board of Supervisors has approved a motion by Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich proclaiming Wednesday, April 22 and Thursday, April 23 as “AG DAY LA.”

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