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A note about loading times:

The first time you sign in, the game will load on your computer. Depending on your internet speed, this could take less than a minute or quite a bit longer. Don't fret! Once your game has loaded, subsequent logins should be much faster unless you delete your cookies.

Before the Workshop

□ Create your account

Visit play.fooddetectives.org to create your account.

□ Create classroom profiles

For each classroom you plan on teaching, click on the "Create New Classroom" button. Assign a name and number of students to each classroom.

□ Preview the workshop

If you want to take the workshop for a spin, use the Sandbox icon in the bottom right of the game screen. No data will be recorded. Please do not utilize a real classroom to test the program.

□ Print worksheet PDFs

Click "Print your workshop materials" on the home screen and follow the prompts. If you have access to color printing we recommend it, but black and white will do the trick too!

□ Administer Pre-Surveys

Please have your students complete the pre-survey on individual tablets or laptops before they begin the workshop. The link, which can be accessed from the homescreen, is: bit.ly/fdpre

□ Divide Your class into groups

Divide students into five groups. Let them know they will be collecting points and competing during the game. The group names are Dragons, Unicorns, Sharks, Dinosaurs, and Eagles.



After the Workshop

□ Administer post surveys

Please have your students complete the post-survey on individual tablets or laptops after they end the workshop. The link is: bit.ly/fdpost

□ Complete a teacher evaluation

We want to hear from you! Please check your email and complete the short teacher evaluation we sent you as soon as your classroom finished the program.

□ Access additional resources

Your students are now Food Detectives, but the journey is just beginning! Visit our online resource page for more fun any time you want it. www.fooddetectives.org/teacher-resources

□ Refer a friend

Who doesn't love fun engaging and impactful free programming? If you liked the program, use our referral page to help spread the word! www.fooddetectives.org/spread-the-word