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Picture caption: Chester County Commissioner Kathi Cozzone reads to kindergarteners at the West Chester Area Daycare, as part of National Ag Literacy Week.

Commissioner Cozzone celebrates Ag Literacy Week at West Chester School

WEST CHESTER, PA – As part of National Ag Literacy Week, March 12th to 23rd, Chester County Commissioner Kathi Cozzone visited West Chester Area Daycare Center today to talk to kindergarteners about the important role farms play in our daily lives.

“Agriculture provides almost everything we eat, use and wear,” said Cozzone. “It’s Chester County’s number one industry and I’m delighted to have the opportunity to help children in our community learn more about where our food comes from. My fellow Commissioners and I appreciate all of the farmers and agriculture professionals in Chester County who work hard to provide it for us.”

Cozzone read “Tyler Makes Pancakes,” a book by TV celebrity chef, Tyler Florence that explores how common ingredients begin on the farm and end up on our plate. The book was chosen by Pennsylvania Farm Bureau’s Friends of Agriculture Foundation and distributed to volunteer classroom readers all over the state to increase student knowledge about the importance of agriculture.

For information about Ag Literacy Week: www.pfb.com/the-foundation/ag-literacy-week

The [Chester County Ag Council](http://www.chesco.org/agdev) raises awareness of the economic impact of the local farming industry and promotes excellence in farming. This outreach assists county farmers market their businesses, helps create an environment to attract new farmers, and informs residents and municipal officials about the importance of local agriculture. We also partner with other organizations to address agricultural issues. For more information, visit us at chesco.org/agdev, as well as our Facebook and Instagram pages.

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