

HERSTORY@WKU 2023 DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

LOCATION: Kentucky Museum 1st floor

	Department	Activity	Point of Contact
1	Art & Design I	Fidget dolls inspired by Guatemalan worry dolls.	Beth Reitmeyer
2	Biology I	Three Ring Story. Widths of tree ring disks will be measured and then converted into a necklace girl decorates.	Naomi Rowland
3	Biology II	Spiker Box where the girls can “hear” the sounds of action potentials (the nervous signals that control everything in our brains/bodies) through a phone app.	Hilary Katz
4	Center for Gifted Studies	Focus on Willa Brown from Aviation Heritage Park with paper airplanes/flight activity.	Elizabeth Joyce (“B”)
5	Center for Innovative Teaching & Learning	Make affirmation book marks.	Micah Meixner Logan
6	Chemistry	Making Amazing Polymers. <i>Need two tables and an electric outlet.</i>	Carnetta Skipworth
7	Counseling & Student Affairs	Create self-portrait postcards.	Jill Sauerheber & Cre Dye
8	English	“What Dialect Do You Speak?” Famous women linguists and what they discovered about language and languages. Mini coloring book for the younger students and a data collection book for older participants to continue researching variation in their communities.	Trini Stickle
9	Folk Studies & Anthropology	Older participants will learn how to distinguish between a female and male pelvis bone. Younger participants will learn the bones of the human body through a fun coloring activity.	Darlene Applegate & Lilly Bradford
10	Gatton Academy	Activity focused on Ora Porter, one of the first registered nurses in the community	Cheryl Kirby Stokes
11	Gender & Women’s Studies	Provide journals with writing prompts for the participants.	Dawn Winters
12	History	Make your own cuneiform tablet, and build a rag doll with information about dolls of the past.	Kathryn Reetzke
13	International Interior Design Association (IIDA)	DIY vision boards.	Kacey Eberhard

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14	Kentucky Archaeological Survey	An introduction to American Indian textiles, and a cordage-making activity.	Gwynn Henderson
15	Kentucky Museum	Carrie Taylor coloring books in the <i>Styles</i> exhibit/Museum careers.	Tiffany Isselhardt & Carrie Cox
16	Kinesiology, Recreation & Sport	Women in outdoor rec. history profiles, nature scavenger hunt bags with info on local trails inside, and a leaf rubbing activity.	Allie McCreary
17	Management	Fun management simulation with Mr. Potato Head! We will learn about how planning, organizing, leading, and controlling improves the effectiveness and efficiency of business. #girlboss	Dana Cosby
18	Modern Languages	Fun games and activities connected with languages (Spanish) and culture.	Yertty Vandermolen & Carolyn Brueggemann
19	Music	A Capella group perform, music education students lead circle games, bucket drumming, ukulele playing.	Lauren Whitham
20	Nursing	Glow light to demonstrate how handwashing cleans your hands. We will also have stethoscopes so participants can listen to their heartbeat and respirations	Dawn Wright & Liz Sturgeon
21	PCAL Dean's Council	Girl power buttons, a photo spot, coloring sheets, and face painting at our station.	Sophie Bitner
22	Physics & Astronomy		Ting Hui-Lee
23	Political Science	“The Disney Princess: A Portrait of Empowerment.” The presentation will focus on four Disney princesses (Mulan, Moana, Tiana, Elsa) and how they exemplify personal empowerment for both boys and girls. Each princess will have her own activity. <i>Need two tables.</i>	Scott Lasley & Saundra Ardrey, The Women and Politics Honors section
24	Psychology	Doing psychology experiments and learning about women pioneers in psychology.	Sarah Bonis
25	School of Teacher Education	Use educational materials of the past—slates, slate pencils, hornbooks and more. (<i>Gather up KY Museum materials for this station</i>).	Andi Paganelli

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26	SkyTeach	Activities highlighting different women who have played important roles including Mae Jemison and Christa McAuliffe. We will make simple rockets and have other activities related to these women and their impact on education and 'reaching for the stars.'	Melissa Rudloff
27	Sociology & Criminology	"Is it a boy thing or a girl thing?" Using everyday objects to understand gender roles.	Amy Krull & Donielle Lovell
28	South Central Area Health Education Center	Activity related to Elizabeth Blackwell and other women pioneers in medicine.	Emily Pride Sutton
29	Theatre & Dance	NDEO is prepared to work a booth with a dance activity highlighting some female dance pioneers. We'd also like to perform a piece from The Dance Project.	Chelby Woods, Anna Patsfall, Sophia Jones (David Young)
30	WISE & Crawford Hydrology Lab/Department of EEAS	Be a Geoscientist! "Crawl" through a cave, investigate Earth materials, and make scientific measurements.	Margaret Crowder, Women in Science, and Engineering Student Club
31	WKU Sisterhood	Focus on Philanthropy and how girls can make a difference by giving.	Aarika Gunn