



Making classrooms come to life

Labette County High School science teacher Jenny Gartner is always looking for new ways to engage her students. She found exactly what she was looking for through the Research Experiences for Teachers (RET) program at KU. Funded by the National Science Foundation, the RET program brings Kansas science teachers to Lawrence for six weeks to develop new lesson plans.

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[New English scholarship established](#)

A KU scholarship for English graduate students with an interest in social justice honors the late Jamie Crockett Otis, a KU alumna who earned a bachelor's degree in English in 1971.

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['Summer and Smoke' opens tonight](#)

The University of Kansas University Theatre is staging "Summer and Smoke" by Tennessee Williams at 7:30 p.m. March 2, 3, 9, and 10 and at 2:30 p.m. March 4 and 11, in the Crafton-Preyer Theatre in Murphy Hall.

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[15 Kansas schools visiting for Schuelerkongress](#)

Nearly 300 high school students of German from 15 Kansas schools will flock to the annual Schuelerkongress, a Germanic languages and literature competition, at 9 a.m. Saturday, March 3, at KU.

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[KU's Dancing with the Stars](#)

Friday, March 2, 2012

7 p.m.-10 p.m.

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Ballroom

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