

**Certified Crop Adviser (CCA) Basic Training**  
2023 Northeast Region CCA Conference

In-person BASIC Program			Virtual ADVANCED Program			Virtual BASIC Program		
Time	Nov. 28th Tuesday	Nov. 29th Wednesday	Time	Dec. 12th Tuesday	Dec. 13th Wednesday	January 2024		
7-7.30			7-7.30			<p><b>VIRTUAL Q&amp;A Sessions</b> 9-11 am each day</p> <p>Tuesday, January 9, 2023    Soil &amp; Water Conservation Q&amp;A</p> <p>Thursday, January 11, 2023    Nutrient Management Q&amp;A</p> <p>Tuesday, January 16, 2023    Crop Management Q&amp;A</p> <p>Thursday, January 18, 2023    Pest Management Q&amp;A</p> <p>Thursday, January 25, 2023    <b>Wrap-up session, Final Q&amp;A, Exam Strategies</b></p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>The CCA Basic Training Virtual Q&amp;A Sessions are designed to allow participants to meeting virtually with subject matter experts and ask follow-up questions related to the training material presented in the training videos provided to participants.</p> </div>		
7.30-8	Registration Coffee	Coffee	7.30-8					
8:00 AM 8-8.30		<b>Cornell Field Crop Dealer Meeting</b> 8:00 - 12:30	8:00 AM 8-8.30	CCA Advanced Sessions	CCA Advanced Sessions			
8:30 AM 8.30-9	8:30 AM 8.30-9		CCA Advanced Sessions	CCA Advanced Sessions				
9:00 AM 9-9.30	<b>Opening Session</b> <i>Advanced &amp; Basic Attendees</i>		9:00 AM 9-9.30	CCA Advanced Sessions	CCA Advanced Sessions			
9:30 AM 9.30-10			9:30 AM 9.30-10	CCA Advanced Sessions	CCA Advanced Sessions			
10:00 AM 10-10.30	<b>Basic Training Introduction</b> What to expect from training Resources available		10:00 AM 10-10.30	Break	Break			
10:30 AM 10.30-11			10:30 AM 10.30-11	CCA Advanced Sessions	CCA Advanced Sessions			
11:00 AM 11-11.30	Fertility Guidelines, Environmental Programs and Utilizing your Resources		11:00 AM 11-11.30	CCA Advanced Sessions	CCA Advanced Sessions			
11:30 AM 11.30-12			11:30 AM 11.30-12	CCA Advanced Sessions	CCA Advanced Sessions			
12:00 PM 12-12.30	Lunch			12:00 PM 12-12.30	CCA Advanced Sessions			CCA Advanced Sessions
12:30 PM 12.30-1			Lunch NYSABA Awards Ceremony    12:30 - 1:50	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>The Basic Training registration includes access to the VIRTUAL <b>Cornell Field Crop Dealer Meeting</b> and <b>CCA Advanced Training Sessions</b>.</p> </div>				
1:00 PM 1-1.30	Field Bloopers							
1:30 PM 1.30-2	An Effective Farm Visit		<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>The Basic Training registration includes access to <b>Cornell Field Crop Dealer Meeting</b> and <b>CCA Advanced Training Sessions</b>. This is an important opportunity for networking &amp; professional development that you are strongly encouraged to take advantage of.</p> </div>					
2:00 PM 2-2.30	Field Trial Data - Do's & Don'ts							
2:30 PM 2.30-3	Strategies for obtaining a representative sample when scouting	<b>CCA Advanced Training Concurrent Sessions</b> 2:00 - 5:00						
3:00 PM 3-3.30	Break							
3:30 PM 3.30-4	<b>Sample Practices Questions</b> Understand the type of questions and what you need to focus on when reviewing the training materials							
4:00 PM 4-4.30								
4:30 PM 4.30-5	<b>Wrap-up, Adjourn</b>							
5:00 PM 5-5.30								
5:30 PM 5.30-6	Social Hour							