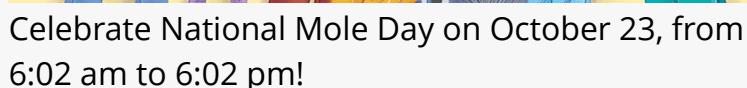


WASHINGTON, DC, UNITED STATES, September 28, 2023 / EINPresswire.com/ -- Looking for ways to celebrate [National Mole Day](#)? Get ready with a new book from [Science Naturally](#), called [Mole and Tell](#). It introduces kids to the important unit of measurement known as the mole, and is the first book in the Celebrate Science series. Mole and Tell explores the national holiday surrounding Avogadro's number with a unique take on show and tell.



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"This book introduces children to how chemists count things like atoms and molecules. What a fun way to learn about one of the core concepts of chemistry!" says Adam E. Cohen, Ph.D., Professor of Chemistry and Physics at Harvard University. "Mole and Tell is sure to spark curiosity and encourage kids into more scientific explorations."

Mole Day is celebrated every year on October 23rd from 6:02 a.m. to 6:02 p.m. The date was selected to reflect the unit itself,  $6.02 \times 10^{23}$ , also known as Avogadro's Number. Initially created by educator Margaret Cristoph in the 1980s, the holiday took off when Maurice Oehler, a high school chemistry teacher, founded the National Mole Day Foundation in 1991. Every year, the celebrations around the holiday take on a new theme selected by the foundation—the theme for 2023 is Sherlock Holmes! An integral part of the American Chemical Society's National Chemistry Week, Mole Day is a valuable holiday for science educators that helps expose students to the basics of chemistry and encourages a sense of scientific investigation.



Learn alongside Mr. Cantello's energetic fourth grade class as they discover Avogadro's number and celebrate Mole Day like never before.

Along with the book itself, a Teacher's Guide is provided to expand on the book's content. It includes new, fun ways for kids to engage with the material. The Guide can be downloaded at no charge from the publisher's website, and provides discussion questions, hands-on activities, and experiments. Parents, educators, and librarians will love these extensive resources!

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