

Sabinal ISD Agriculture Science & FFA Program Handbook 2022-2023

Sabinal High School

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OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE FOR AGRICULTURE SCIENCE STUDENTS AND FFA MEMBERS

As a student enrolled in the Sabinal Agriculture Science Program, your child has the opportunity to become a member of the FFA chapter. This is a group of young people who use agriculture to learn leadership, speaking and communication skills, teamwork, responsibility, and technical skills. While the FFA is based in agriculture, there are many activities to become a part of that do not require working with animals or agriculture.

In the fall, FFA members compete in FFA Leadership Development Events (LDEs) such as skills demonstrations, agricultural issues forums, parliamentary procedure, public relations, job interviews, and many other speaking and leadership type events. Most animal projects are also started in the fall months and are called FFA Supervised Agricultural Experiences (SAE's).

During the spring, FFA members start to prepare for Career Development Events (CDEs). These include: livestock evaluation, equine evaluation, wildlife management, poultry evaluation, dairy products identification, dairy cattle evaluation, sales and service, and several more speaking events such as prepared public and extemporaneous speaking. The speaking competitions take place in late spring and are called Speaking Development Events (SDEs). During the spring FFA members travel to many locations including universities throughout the state for competitions. January through March also brings several livestock shows for animal project competition.

Through the years, agricultural education has changed from training young men for a career in farming to a dynamic, progressive way to teach all students the value of leadership and teamwork to achieve success. Agriculture is the most important industry in the world – without the ability to feed people, the United States would not be the world power it is. The FFA also offers many large scholarships for highly active members.

It is our sincere hope that your student will take full advantage of the unbelievable activities available through these courses and the FFA organization. There is an opportunity for every type of student in the FFA. We are looking forward to a great year!

Thank you,

Warm Bend

Warren Beard

GENERAL RULES

Each student enrolled in an agriculture science class is encouraged to join the Local, District, Area and National FFA Organization (FFA). Dues for High School FFA Members are paid by Sabinal ISD as part of the Texas FFA Chapter Affiliation Program. Thus, all high school students enrolled in Agriculture Science classes with Mr. Beard are automatically Sabinal FFA Members and are eligible to participate in any FFA activity, judging contest, livestock show or for scholarship consideration. All members are encouraged to attend all FFA meetings and activities. Parents are also encouraged to join and participate in booster club activities.

Any student with frequent discipline issues can be removed from the program and/or lose their FFA Officer title if they are involved with vaping/smoking, inappropriate behavior while on the ag campus or on an FFA/ag trip, ISS or DAEP. Students must be University Interscholastic League eligible to compete in any component of the Sabinal FFA (<u>AKA- NO PASS NO PLAY- EVEN IF YOUR STUDENT HAS ALREADY</u> <u>PRE-PAID FOR THE EVENT</u>).

LIVESTOCK PROJECTS

Students enrolled in the Agriculture Science Program are eligible to participate in the livestock project program. Students may purchase animal projects to care for during the school year and exhibit those animals at stock shows. Students may keep the projects at our school project center on campus or in most cases the animal can be kept at home. These projects allow students to take on responsibility while having the opportunity to practice the skills learned in class and maybe earn a little money.

The Texas FFA Validation and Compliance Board requires that ANY animal being shown under Sabinal FFA, MUST notify in writing to the Ag teacher where this animal will be held on a daily basis. If the animal is moved, the Ag teacher MUST be made aware BEFORE the animal departs its location. The Ag teacher MUST also know the extent of the trip.

Animal projects are not mandatory so the following questions should be considered when determining if a student will participate in the animal project part of the program:

- Can the student or parent afford the project?
 - Examples include, but are not limited to: purchase price, feed, vet care, show supplies, etc.
- Where will the project be kept?
 - If keeping at the school project center, refer to the school project center handbook and contract
- Will the student have transportation to and from the animal for care?
 - If keeping the animal at the school project center, the animals **MUST** be fed twice a day 7 days per week - including holidays
- Does the student have means of transporting the animal(s) to and from events?

- The ag department teacher will provide transportation to the following 2022-2023 shows:
 - Uvalde County Junior Livestock Show
 - San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo
- Is the student able to care for the animal the entire length of the project? Holidays? Weekends?
 - Refer to the school project center handbook for expectations of animal care.

Please keep in mind animal projects are a gamble and can become a total monetary loss. Animals can be hurt, killed or become sick and not recover. The risk can be reduced by hard work and desire to learn and apply knowledge.

OTHER PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

1. Animals kept at the school project center are raised for market purposes – this means all animals will eventually be removed and sold for food. The Sabinal FFA facilities are not a permanent home for animals.

• Refer to the school project center for more information

2. Family domestic animals do not meet the required project criteria.

- 3. Only sheep, goats, & swine can be housed at the Sabinal FFA school project center.
 - Steers, Heifers, Rabbits and poultry may be exhibited through the Sabinal FFA, but must be kept at home.

PURCHASING OF LIVESTOCK PROJECTS

1. The selection and purchase of an animal project is a cooperative effort involving the student, parent, and teacher. The agriculture teacher's role is to help you find the best animal possible in the price range set. The teacher will not dictate what to buy, how much to spend, or where to purchase from.

2. The purchase of projects should be coordinated with the teacher before projects are selected and purchased.

• Refer to the school project center handbook for more information

3. The student and parent are responsible for the cost of the animal as well as all costs associated with showing and the well being of the animal.

• Refer to the school project center handbook for more information

4. Projects purchased must meet the requirements of the show intended. The teacher will assist in providing the necessary information regarding the care and grooming of projects for each show.

• Refer to the school project center handbook for more information

5. The student is responsible for payment for validations and entries at all shows. There are fees involved with validation and the entering of each show. They are not part of the feed or animal purchase cost.

• Refer to the school project center handbook for more information

6. The student and/or student parent will be present when choosing and paying for all animal projects. The agricultural educator will **NOT** take payment and pick up animals.

The student and parent is responsible for: ***Refer to the school project center for more information***

- 1. The daily care of their project.
- 2. Informing the teacher regarding any problems and/or progress of the project.
- 3. The entry fees needed for all stock shows.
- 4. The payment of feed and animal costs.
- 5. Attendance at all mandatory barn clean ups from start to finish.
- 6. Cleanliness of individual pen and barn.
- 7. Any veterinary bills the animal may require.

The agriculture science teacher is available to assist with:

1. Any problems that may occur with the animal project during normal working hours Monday through Friday (8AM - 4PM). This does not include school holidays. The teacher is not required to make emergency calls after hours for the purpose of treating sick or injured animals. However, the teacher will make every effort to assist when needed with those problems.

2. The teacher will visit all projects in accordance with Texas Education Agency guidelines. This includes projects housed at student homes.

3. Recommending feeding programs for each animal project area.

4. State livestock show participation is not a requirement of the program, therefore it cannot be guaranteed that teacher supervision will be available at every show.

- The ag department teacher will provide transportation to the following 2022-2023 shows:
 - Uvalde County Livestock Show
 - San Antonio Livestock Show

5. The teacher will oversee the student owner of the project in giving medications. The teacher will not be held liable for injury to livestock while overseeing the student with their project. This includes giving medication, castration, dehorning, docking, worming, trimming or any other activity directly involving the teacher. Students are encouraged to seek professional veterinary assistance with any livestock injury or surgical procedure.

Chain of Command: All questions and concerns regarding animals and the FFA should first be addressed with the supervising advisor. If that does not satisfy the

issue then a meeting may be scheduled with the teacher and an administrator. Please communicate with your agriculture science teacher.

LIVESTOCK SHOW PARTICIPATION

1. To show an animal project a student must be a paid member for the current school year of the Sabinal FFA. Payment is **DUE** October 14th by the end of the school day.

2. In order to participate in a county or state livestock show, students must be passing all courses as determined by Sabinal ISD.

- Grade checks will be determined by the eligibility procedure outlined by Sabinal ISD.
 - Uvalde County Grade Check- January 15th, 2023
 - All State Livestock Show Grade Check- February 5th, 2023
 - Students who are not passing ALL classes with at least a 70% will not be transported to the show by the ag teacher OR will have the ag teacher sign off on their entry to the livestock show.

3. Students whose projects are not ready or are not of sufficient quality to participate in a show will not be allowed to show. This decision will be made by the ag teacher.

• Refer to the school project center handbook for more information

4. A list of eligible students will be prepared by the teacher to authorize attendance at the show. Any student that attends on an unassigned day will be reported as truant.

5. The parents and students will make arrangements with the teacher for supervision at major shows.

• The Ag teacher will only be attending the approved stockshows

6. Students and parents are responsible for transportation, supervision, lodging, and costs at ALL major stock shows (With Exceptions at the San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo).

7. School policies will be enforced and discipline will be according to school policies at all livestock and FFA events.

8. Students who fail to follow rules at shows, FFA events, or contests will be removed from the eligibility list and barred from future participation.

9. School dress code will be enforced at all times at shows, FFA events, or contests.

10. All exhibitors at the Uvalde County Junior Livestock Show and Sale must attend a minimum of 3 respective FFA meetings, prior to the show/sale to be eligible to participate. (Refer to the Uvalde County Junior Livestock Show Rule book for questions). In order to get credit for a meeting attendance, the student **MUST** sign the sign-in sheet at the meeting.

CODE OF ETHICS

Agriculture science students will honor the FFA Code of Ethics. Failure to comply with the code of ethics will result in removal from the FFA chapter. Students will conduct themselves at all times in a manner befitting their organization, chapter, school and community by:

1. Dressing neatly and appropriately for the occasion.

2. Showing respect for the rights of others and being courteous.

3. Being honest and not taking unfair advantage of others.

4. Respecting the property of others.

5. Refraining from loud, boisterous talk, swearing, and other unbecoming conduct including social media slander.

6. Demonstrating sportsmanship in the show ring, judging contests, and meetings.

7. Attending meetings promptly and respecting the opinion of others in discussions.

8. Taking pride in the Sabinal FFA, its members, and advisor.

GUIDELINES FOR THE SABINAL FFA AGRICULTURE SCIENCE FACILITIES * Refer to the school project center contract for more information*

1. All policies of Sabinal ISD governing students' conduct apply to all students. Policies governing smoking illegal weapons, and alcohol for any person on school property will also apply at all times. Violation forms will be issued for students failing to comply with project center rules. Guests of students who violate rules will also result in the student receiving a violation notice. Three violation notices, verbal or written, will result in the removal of the project from the Sabinal FFA facilities.

• All parents and visitors MUST check in at the front office for a visitor pass.

2. Students and parents are responsible for transportation to and from the facilities. Unless prior arrangements have been made with the teacher. Arrangements are up to the student to make prior to leaving or being unable to care for their animal. It is NOT the ag teacher responsibility to feed projects over the weekends, holidays or other feeding times without any prior notice.

3. The primary responsibility for discipline and supervision rests with the student or parents when the instructor is not present after hours.

4. Students will be held financially accountable for willful acts of vandalism.

5. Use of tobacco or alcohol by students or parents on the premises will result in immediate removal of the student and project.

6. Each student is responsible for keeping his/her pen and the surrounding area clean. Pens must be cleaned on a daily basis.

7. Each student is responsible for feeding and general care of his/her project. Students may not feed animals that do not belong to them unless prior arrangements have been made with the owner or agriculture science teacher.

8. Any student failing to properly care for their animal may be turned in to the campus police for animal cruelty and criminal charges.

9. Each and every student who uses Sabinal facilities is expected to attend 4 hours at the designated work days; in which 1 of these hours **MUST** be done at the final work day. Failure to do so will result in the lack of privilege to keep the animal at the school project center the following school year.

• To earn back privileges the student **MUST** attend every clean up day the following school year for the entirety of the clean up day.

10. A student should not be in another student's pen unless permission is given by the teacher, owner, or parent.

11. Firearms are prohibited.

12. Pets and dogs are prohibited.

13. Projects are considered complete within 14 days of the student's last show and must be removed from the facilities.

• See the contract for pen clean up once the animal is removed.

14. Only students currently enrolled in the Sabinal FFA or the Sabinal High School Agriculture Science Program are eligible to use the Sabinal FFA facilities. Students not enrolled in the program should not loiter or be inside of the facilities.

15. Visitors with any member must have approval with the agriscience teacher and visit the front office for a visitors pass prior to visit. Any unapproved visitor can be cited for trespassing by the Uvalde County Sheriff's Department. Agriculture science teacher have the right to remove and ban any visitors from the facilities. This includes parents and family members. All family members are considered guests and MUST see the front office for a visitors pass before entering the facilities.

16. Animal pens must be cleaned within 14 days after the project is completed. All students using the facilities must complete all workday hours as determined by the teacher. Failure to attend all workdays or clean pens could result in checks being held and/or being denied the privilege of using the facilities in the future.

• To earn back privileges the student MUST attend every clean up day the following school year.

17. No mechanical, wooden, electrical or metal structures may be placed in pens without the teacher's approval.

18. Loitering at the facilities will not be allowed. Students who are present must be working with their animal or cleaning pens. Students should NOT be with their projects during school hours unless they have a written permission note from either the ag teacher or Sabinal administration. Failure to comply with this rule will result in the student being written up.

19. Students and parents must observe opening and closing times for the facilities. Anyone entering the facilities before/after hours will be issued a violation notice unless approved by the teacher. The hours are 6:00 am to 10:00pm.

20. Fighting will not be tolerated. Both parties involved will be immediately removed from the facilities – no excuses!

• Students involved will be written up by the agricultural teacher. All student projects will be removed from the facility.

21. It is possible that projects will need to be penned two per pen to provide enough space for all livestock. The FFA advisors will use their best discretion to plan accordingly.

• Refer to the school project facilities contract for more information on pen choices.

ANIMAL PROJECTS AT HOMES

When the facilities are adequate, some students may decide to raise livestock projects at home. When making this decision, consider the following:

1. It is highly recommended that only experienced feeders keep their animals at home.

2. Students must be able to provide transportation for animals to shows, validations, and veterinary visits. Unless arrangements have been made with the agriculture teacher.

3. Selection is the most important part of your animal project. Please communicate with your agriculture science teacher.

4. As a part of the validation process, the project animal can be visited at any time by the State and/or County Validation Compliance team with or without notice. The ag teacher **MUST** be made aware if the animal is moved from the location before the animal moves location.

FFA OFFICER TEAM

The Sabinal FFA will host their officer elections during the months of April and May. As an officer, the student is expected to lead our chapter and its members in a positive and philanthropic direction. Below you will find the outlined requirements and important information when running for an officer position in the Sabinal FFA Chapter. Eligible students will be completing their freshman year through students completing their junior year.

Requirements: I will and/or am prepared to...

- Maintain a minimum of a 2.0 and/or be passing all classes.
- If I am not passing I will attend tutoring sessions and/or taking steps to correct and improve my grades. If measures are not made, the student will not be eligible to run for office the following year if the student fails 2 or more 6 week grading periods.

Be present at all FFA meetings in order to lead my chapter.

- I will have my part memorized by the November FFA meeting in 2022
- Excused absences need to be approved by the FFA advisor

Participate in ALL events within the FFA from the following below:

- Agriscience Fair, Leadership Development Event, Career Development Event, Speaking Development Event
- Have an SAE Project in any area
- Participate in Fundraising activities
- Participate in Community Service efforts

More information will be given to the interested students in April. The following positions will be filled for the 2022-2023 School Year:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Reporter
- Sentinel
- Parliamentarian
- Historian

Areas of Evaluation for the Officer Election:

- Membership Vote
- Interview
- Teacher Evaluation
- Previous Year Activity Points

New officer team will be installed at the end of the year banquet.

CAREER AND LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT EVENTS AND ATTENDANCE

- 1. All current officers are expected to compete in 2 of the following agriscience fair, career, speaking, or leadership development events as offered by the agricultural teacher.
- Each event costs the chapter money, if the student who has committed to the career or leadership development team or single student event does not show up to compete WITHOUT A MINIMUM OF 1 WEEK PRIOR NOTICE TO THE AGRICULTURE TEACHER OR EXCUSABLE EXCUSE, the student will

NOT be able to participate in any other event with the FFA (*this includes State Convention*) for the current school year.

- 3. Students who compete are expected to honor the FFA Code of Ethics. Failure to comply with the code of ethics will result in removal from the FFA chapter indefinitely and the program.
- 4. FFA Official Dress is REQUIRED for most FFA events. There are some official dress supplies that can be supplied as a first come (ask), first serve basis. Students are expected to have a complete official dress at least 1 month prior to competing.
 - a. Review the FFA official dress requirements for female and male students in the FFA manual or FFA official website.
 - b. If a student is interested in ordering their own FFA jacket, please visit with the agriculture teacher for information.

STATE CONVENTION ATTENDANCE- \$50 Fee to Attend DUE before the LAST DAY OF SCHOOL! Without the \$50 the student will NOT attend.

- 1. Student attendance to state convention may be limited to transportation space. Number of spaces is yet to be determined for the 2023 state convention. The following spaces will be filled in the following order:
 - a. Students competing at State Convention
 - b. FFA Officers
 - c. High Seller of the FALL Fundraising event
 - d. Other interested students (First Come, First Serve Basis).

TENTATIVE DATES FOR 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR

- Meetings: 8/31, 9/21, 10/19, 11/30, 12/14, 1/18, 3/22, 4/26, 5/1
- Christmas Party/December Meeting: 12/14
- Banquet: 5/01/2023
- Officer Speech/Member Vote Meeting: 4/26
- Major Livestock Show Registration: 11/01 4p-6p

Revaldina District LDE: 11/9 at Hondo Area VII LDE: 11/16 at Blanco

SABINAL AGRICULTURE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT FORMS

The following forms (if applicable) must be returned by the indicated deadlines with payment. Please attach payment to the form if applicable. Checks can be made payable to the Sabinal FFA. Money should be placed in an envelope with the student's name written on it and attached to its respective form.

SABINAL AGRICULTURE SCIENCE DEPARTMENT CONSENT FORM AND PERMISSION FORM

TRANSPORTATION CONSENT: It is often necessary for an agriculture science teacher to provide transportation for a student enrolled in ag classes for the purpose of participation in school sponsored activities, to check animal projects or for other reasons dealing with school business. Such transportation may be in the teacher's personal vehicle, school vehicles, rented vehicles or by public transportation. Activities may occur before, during, or after school hours. By agreeing to the statement below, you hereby release the teacher and the Sabinal ISD from any liability in case of accident while involved in such activities. New approval is required each school year.

PROJECT SELECTION AND PURCHASING CONSENT: The agricultural educator will NOT be purchasing any animals for any students without the student present. The Agricultural Science teacher will NOT accept any payment for animals. The purchasing of the animal MUST occur between the livestock seller and the student/parent. The Agricultural Science teacher is more than willing, when available, to assist in the purchase of any livestock species. They can in no way be responsible for the animals' health after leaving the livestock sellers facility or animal performance and placing at any of the shows. The agricultural science teacher does NOT guarantee any animals performance at any show

AGRICULTURE SCIENCE POLICY HANDBOOK AGREEMENT: Every student and parent is responsible for reading and adhering to all policies and procedures outlined in the Sabinal Agriculture Science Program FFA Handbook which is provided to each student at the beginning of each year. By signing below you are indicating that you have read and understand the rules and regulations in the handbook. You agree to abide by the rules and policies set forth in the handbook.

THIS FORM WILL BE USED FOR ALL ACTIVITIES IN 2022-2023 FOR FFA.

STUDENT'S NAME	PHONE #		
PARENT'S NAME	PHONE #		
PHYSICIAN'S NAME	PHONE #		
HOSPITALIZATION INSURANCE COVERAGE: YES ()	No ()		
NAME OF COMPANY	INSURANCE #		
REQUESTED HOSPITAL TO USE IF NECESSARY			
STUDENT'S MEDICAL CONDITION(S)			
ALLERGIC REACTION(S) TO	What happens?		
Does the student carry an Epi Pen or require Benadryl for reactions?			
CURRENT MEDICATIONS			
MEDICATIONS SENT FROM HOME (for overnight trips only (If sending medication, send the original container, clearly)		

We have given our permission for our son/daughter to participate in this school-related activity and all of its planned events. He/she will conduct himself/herself in such a way that credit will be reflected upon the school and our community. He/she has agreed to apply ALL SABINAL HIGH SCHOOL RULES to the area that will be visited. It is understood that the students will be chaperoned both en route and during the planned event; and that normal precautions will be taken in the interest of their safety and well-being. We agree that the school, its employees, and/or chaperones will not be held responsible for any accident(s) and /or misfortune which might occur in connection with this trip. The parent/guardian of each student grants the sponsor or school designated chaperones in charge permission to obtain medical help if necessary for any occurrences in relation to the trip and relative activities.

Parent/Guardian Signature Student Signature Date Date Agricultural Science Teacher Signature Administrator's Signature

FFA MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION - GRADES 9-12 ONLY

Student's Information Student's Name: ID#: Address: ID#: Address: City and Zip Code: Student's Phone Number: City and Zip Code: Student's Phone Number: Student's Phone Number: Student's Email Address: Gender: Grade: Date of Birth: Grade: Date of Birth: Grade: Gender: T Shirt Size: Current Agriculture Science Class: If you are planning to join the Sabinal FFA, please complete other necessary forms found in the handbook as well. If interested in exhibiting livestock, it is crucial that you notify your FFA advisor immediately. If you own a livestock project, please complete the form below: Number of livestock projects owned:

Address(es) of where ALL of the animals are housed:

List ALL livestock projects below including their species, gender, and shows that the animal will be attending:

JUNIOR FFA MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION - GRADES 3-8 ONLY

Student's Information

Student's Name:	ID#:
Address:	City and Zip Code:
Parents Name and Phone Number:	
Student's Email Address:	
Grade: Date of Birth:	Gender:
T Shirt Size:	

If you are planning to join the Sabinal Junior FFA, please complete other necessary forms found in the handbook and attach \$15 for your FFA dues. Your FFA dues and membership forms are due by November 1st by the end of the school day.

If interested in exhibiting livestock, it is crucial that you notify your FFA advisor immediately.

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ASSUMPTION OF RISK/WAIVER OF LIABILITY/INDEMNIFICATION FOR COMMUNICABLE DISEASES INCLUDING COVID-19

Student Name:		
Grade:	Home Phone:	_
Address:		
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Names:		
Parent/ Guardian phone: Work: Other:	Home:	

The Novel Coronavirus ("COVID-19"), has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. Additionally, declarations of disaster and other orders regarding public health have been issued from our national, state and local governments and currently remain in effect. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. While rules, guidance, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist.

As a result, and in consideration for providing my child the opportunity to participate in FFA EVENTS/FUNCTIONS and any related transportation to and from FFA EVENTS/FUNCTIONS events, both my child and I knowingly and freely agree:

- 1. To assume such risks, known and unknown;
- 2. To waive and discharge any and all claims against District; and
- 3. To release the District from liability

From, or as a result of any exposure to or illness or injury from or in any way related to an infectious disease, including COVID-19. This waiver and release includes claims for any negligent actions of the District or its employees, volunteers, representatives or agents, to the fullest extent allowed by law, for myself, my child, our estates, our heirs, our administrators, our executors, our assignees, and our successors.

I ALSO VOLUNTARILY AGREE TO RELEASE, EXONERATE, DISCHARGE, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY THE DISTRICT, ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS, THE INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS THEREOF, AND ALL OFFICERS, AGENTS, EMPLOYEES, VOLUNTEERS AND REPRESENTATIVES, BOTH IN THEIR OFFICIAL AND INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, CAUSES OF ACTION, OR DEMANDS, INCLUDING ATTORNEY FEES, FINES, FEES OR OTHER COSTS (E.G. MEDICAL COSTS) ARISING OUT OF OR IN ANY WAY RELATED TO ANY EXPOSURE TO OR ILLNESS OR INJURY FROM AN INFECTIOUS DISEASE INCLUDING COVID-19, WHICH MAY RESULT FROM OR IN CONNECTION WITH MY CHILD'S PARTICIPATION IN FFA EVENTS/FUNCTIONS.

Nothing in this release and indemnification agreement shall be construed or interpreted to waive or diminish any privileges and/or immunities provided to the District under Federal and State law or judicial doctrine.

I further certify and represent that I have the legal authority to waive, discharge, release, and hold harmless and indemnify the released parties on behalf of myself and the above-named student.

<u>I certify that I have read this document in its entirety and fully understand its contents.</u> In exchange for the opportunity to participate in the FFA EVENTS/FUNCTIONS, the above-named student and I freely and voluntarily assume all risks of such hazards and, notwithstanding such, release and indemnify the District from all liability for any loss regardless of cause, and any claims arising from the student's participation in the [sport or activity].

Student Signature	Date
Student Printed Name	DOB
Parent/Legal Guardian Signature	Date

Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name

FFA JACKET ORDER FORM (FFA JACKETS ARE ONLY RECOMMENDED FOR LDES AND ARE OPTIONAL)

OFFICIAL DRESS FFA JACKETS (OPTIONAL): FFA jackets are utilized in FFA contests, district meetings, and banquets. FFA jackets are not required for livestock shows. Jackets are ordered once a year (September) and can only be ordered from the National FFA. Price of the jackets and tie or scarf is \$75. Sizes are based on the chest measurement and come in even sizes only. Sample jackets may be available at school for sizing purposes. It is advised to order big so that the jacket may be worn several years. Please see Mr. Beard for assistance with jacket sizing.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Student's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Grade:	

Class Period: _____

FFA JACKET ORDER

Please circle size to be ordered. Student's name will appear, as it does in the above section, on the front of the jacket. Male jackets are available in sizes 28–56. Female jackets are available in sizes 28–50. For further assistance in selecting a size...

Male - https://shopffa.org/docs/jacket_guide_male.pdf

Female - https://shopffa.org/docs/jacket_guide_female.pdf

Male or Female

28 30 32 34 36 38 40 42 44 46 48 50 52 54 56

PAYMENT INFORMATION

ITEM AMOUNT

FFA Jacket and Tie/Scarf \$75

Total _____

Please make checks payable to Sabinal FFA.