

# FFA- Horticulture Club

Horticulture club provides the opportunity for students to work with plants by learning to care for and grow plants, harvest the products of plants and the role of plants in agriculture.

## Typical Duties

- Students raise and care for the plants in our greenhouse and outside garden area
- Students will meet on Wednesdays from 2:05-3:15
- Some work may include: planting, harvesting, cleaning and maintaining the greenhouse, pulling weeds, designing outside landscaping areas

## Expectations

It is expected that all students entering Horticulture Club will:

- Participate on all days (previous scheduled appointments and emergencies are obviously excused)
- Handle all plants and school property with care, while adhering to all rules established in the behavior contract.
- Have respect for each other and the plants and materials used.

## How to Sign Up

Any student interested in joining the Horticulture Club should complete the permission slip below. All permission slips AND behavior contracts should be returned to Mrs. Cales in room E-13. Students accepted into the Horticulture Club will be notified by Mrs. Cales.

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I \_\_\_\_\_ (printed parent name) give my child \_\_\_\_\_ permission to join the Horticulture Club. We understand the above times and expectations and will contact Mrs. Cales should we have any questions.

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Parent Signature

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Student's Homeroom Teacher



# 2019-2020 **FFA Club**- Responsibility & Behavior Contract

## Hereford Middle School

Welcome to FFA! Whether you are signed up for Small Animal, Horticulture or Poultry club, I'm happy to have you! This club is unique in the fact that it offers students experiences that are often much different than those of other clubs/classes.

This is a contract whereby, the student and parent/guardian acknowledge expectations and rules that the student must adhere by to remain an active member in FFA. Because we meet only once a week, all meetings are incredibly important.

My main priority is that all students are always safe and engaged in club activities. To ensure that both students and parents understand what all this entails, I have listed expectations that ALL students must adhere to at ALL times. Failure to abide by these expectations will result in dismissal from the club.

- Students will **always** show proper respect to not only Mrs. Cales, but also each other. Name calling, inappropriate language, and other bad behavior will **not** be tolerated.
- Students will always treat both animals and school property with respect.
- Students may only be in the designated Ag areas assigned to them by Mrs. Cales. **\*\*This is incredibly important, because I MUST know where all students are at all times!**
- Students will adhere to ALL school rules along with club rules.

All students are expected to behave as a **respectful** and **responsible** member of the organization. Each member is also expected to be ready for each meeting by dressing properly (ie, appropriate footwear and outerwear for when we are outside) as well as being on time and ready to go. The only way this club can flourish and accomplish its goals is by making sure that each and every student shows up and participates to their full ability. Parent/ Guardian, please note that students must be picked up after weekly meetings at **3:15 PM**.

Please have this form signed and returned to Mrs. Cales along with your permission slip and availability form. I'm looking forward to an awesome year with an awesome group of students!

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Parent Signature

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Student Signature