

AQUACULTURE STUDENT AND PARENT/ GUARDIAN AGREEMENT

I understand that Agricultural Science and Technology Education (ASTE) Centers utilize the Three Circle model of Education: Classroom/Laboratory Experiences, Supervised Agricultural Experience Program (SAE), and student leadership through the FFA. While enrolled in an ASTE Center, I must be on track to graduate with my class and I will obey all rules, requirements, and commitments of the high school and Agricultural Education Program

I understand that I will keep track of my activities and out-of-school experiences in a SAE record book or an online tracker. I understand that my SAE program is conducted outside-of-class time.

I understand that, because of the nature of the program, field trips are taken often and agricultural work is done in class to prepare the student for college and careers in agriculture. All students shall take part in and dress appropriately for these experiences.

I understand and agree to participate in this program as a member of the FFA. Class/lab work, supervised agricultural experience, and FFA participation are all essential and integral for success in my Agricultural Education program.

Student's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Legal Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Legal Guardian Printed Name: _____

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Legal Guardian Printed Name: _____

Applications will be evaluated based on the following criteria (The list is in order from highest to lowest in criterion).

1. Demonstrated interest in a career in an agricultural or agricultural related field.
2. Personal meeting and/or interview with ASTE staff and/or school personnel.
3. Counselor, teacher, personal recommendations.
4. Attendance record.
5. Academic records.
6. Behavioral records.
7. Standardized assessment scores.

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