

## Leadership Conferences

Leadership conferences are one of the many opportunities available to students enrolled in agriculture classes. Some conferences are only for a couple of hours after school, some on Saturdays and some are overnight trips. All leadership conferences give students the opportunity to participate in exciting workshops that will help them develop their goals for their future, time management skills as well as communication and leadership skills. The opportunities are definitely worth while for your student. All conferences are designed to help the students grow and develop as individuals and to teach them the skills that they will need to be successful in whatever they choose. The conferences are broken into levels starting with section conferences which provide a lower level of leadership training on up to state conferences which include much more in-depth training for your student. Listed below are the dates of the conferences, costs, clothing requirements & money deadlines. If your son/daughter would like to participate in one of these activities please ask them to pick up a permission slip. **Conferences help students complete the required CTE Leadership Standards that are 15% of their grade in ALL agriculture courses.**

### Greenhand Leadership Conference (Freshman Opportunity Only)

Date: September 10<sup>th</sup>

Time: 7:00am-5:00pm

Place: El Capitan HS

\*Lunch is provided

\*Cost: \$30 – Student pays \$20

**Deadline for Money & Permission slip: August 30, 2019**

### Greenhand Leadership Conference (Freshman Opportunity Only)

Date: September 25, 2019

Time: 7:00am-5:00pm

Place: Buena Park Community Center

\*Lunch is provided

\*Cost: \$20 – Student Pays \$10

**Deadline for Money & Permission slip: September 4th, 2019**

### Orange Section Leadership Conference

Date: October 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Overnight

Time: 4:30pm-4:30pm

Place: Buena Park High School

\*All meals are provided

\*Dress Uniform is required

\*Cost: \$40 – Student pays \$20

**Deadline for Money & Permission slip: September 13<sup>th</sup>**

### Socal Leadership Conference (Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors Only)

Date: October 19, 2019

Time: 7:00am-5:00pm

Place: Indio HS

\*Lunch is provided

\*Cost: \$20 – Student pays \$10

**Deadline for Money & Permission slip: September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

### **Made for Excellence / Advanced Leadership Academy**

Date: January 31- February 1, 2020

Time: Friday 31<sup>st</sup> @ 11:00 – Saturday February 1<sup>st</sup> @ 1pm

Place: Ontario Doubletree

\*All Meals are provided

\*Dress Uniform is required + Street Clothes

Cost: \$110 – Student pays \$50 chapter pays the rest

**Deadline for Money & Permission slip: November 1, 2019(\$25 deposit)**

**December 6, 2019(Final \$25 Payment)**

### **State FFA Leadership Conference (5pts)**

Date: April Thursday 23-26<sup>th</sup>

Time: Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 8:00am – Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> @ Noon

Place: Anaheim, CA

\*NO Meals are provided

\*Dress Uniform is required + Street Clothes

Cost: \$200 + spending money for other meals and souvenirs

**(Approximate based on 2019 costs, prices may change when new state docs are released)**

#### **1<sup>st</sup> Deadline**

**-Deposit to book your students spot \$50 & all permission slips**

**Due: January 3, 2020**

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> Deadline**

**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Payment due February 7, 2020 - \$50**

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> Deadline**

**- 3<sup>rd</sup> Payment due March 6, 2020 - \$50**

#### **4<sup>th</sup> Deadline**

**-4<sup>th</sup> Payment due April 3, 2020 - \$50**

**All payments can be made in check to Buena Park High School or Cash. Receipts will be given. Uniforms (are required) can be borrowed or purchased from the ag classroom, please contact Mrs. Fernandes or Mr. Worrell if you have any questions. If financial assistance is necessary please don't hesitate to ask. We will help students in any way that we can – we do not want any student unable to participate because of money alone. Students can work off costs on the farm or make payments throughout the year to cover the fees.**

**If you see an activity you would like your son/daughter to participate in please have them pick up a permission slip. All deadlines are non-negotiable, paperwork must be turned in on time or student will not be eligible to attend.**

**WE always need parent chaperones & drivers if you are available for any of these trips, your costs would be paid. Please contact Mrs. Fernandes or Mr. Worrell to sign up.**

### **Dress Uniform**

**Girls – White collared, button down shirt, black knee length skirt, neutral nylons, black dress shoes, FFA Jacket & Scarf**

**Boys - White collared, button down shirt, black slacks, black socks, black dress shoes, black belt FFA Jacket & Tie**