**2017 State FFA Convention**

**Participant Information**

*Application Due Date: January 20, 2017 by 3:15pm*

**Conference Information: April 22-25, 2017**

(You may be asked to leave with teams on Wednesday April 20th, or Friday April 22nd)

● State Conference is the premier FFA leadership conference offered in California to all grades annually.

● Students are selected based on their leadership resume, and FFA involvement in our chapter.

Limited to 21 members

● Two chapter members will be selected as voting delegates. All other chapter members will attend the conference as participants. Delegates will be selected at the February FFA meeting.

● For those who attend the state convention, their registration, transportation, and hotel are included in the $300 fee. There is also one breakfast, two lunches and one dinner included. We recommend bringing money ($25/day) for all other meals and souvenirs. Many students purchase FFA gear at the FFA store.

● Students will be rooming four to a room with other Willows High students with two double beds per room.

● **Payment of $300 will be due on February 10, 2017**. Failure to pay by this date will forfeit your acceptance to attend State FFA Conference.

**To be eligible to attend the State FFA Convention:**

● Must be academically eligible (2.0+ on your 3rd Quarter grades)

● Must complete Rules for Participants form

● Must complete Authorization to Consent to Medical Treatment form

● Signed FFA Code of Conduct

**These signature indicate understanding and acceptance of the above conditions for application.**

Printed Student Name:

Printed Parent Name:

Student Signature:

Parent Signature:

**State FFA Convention Application**

**Name**Click here to enter text. **Grade:**Click here to enter text. **Shirt Size:**Click here to enter text.

**FFA Degree Held:** Choose an item.

**Are you interested in serving as a delegate this year? (Circle one) Yes or No**

**(If yes, why do you want to be a delegate?)**

**Why do you want to attend the State FFA Convention?**

**How will you share the knowledge you learn with fellow chapter members after the conference?**

**Section 1: Local Activities**

List all local activities you have participated in. Include what responsibility you had and the year. DO NOT INCLUDE monthly meetings, specie meetings or informational meetings. (Add additional rows if needed)

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| **Local Activities** | **Responsibility** | **Year** |
| *Example: Freshmen Orientation* | *Group Leader/Presentation* | *2014* |
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**Section 2: Career Development Events**

List all FFA CDE events you have participated in. Include year and level reached (local, section, region, etc)

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| **Contests** | **Level Reached** |
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**Section 3: FFA Conferences**

List all FFA conferences you have attended and include the year.

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| **Conferences** | **Year** |
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**Section 4: Leadership Positions**

List all FFA leadership positions you have held (chapter office, committee chair, etc.) Include the year.

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| **Leadership Role** | **Year** |
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**Section 5: Conference Scholarship Request (optional)** The cost to attend this conference is approximately $300. Student scholarships are available for those with special circumstances who would otherwise be unable to attend the conference. Scholarships are sponsored by WHS Ag Boosters.

Please describe why you would be a good investment for us to send to this conference.

Describe your involvement in the Willows FFA and WHS Ag Boosters fundraising efforts.

Click here to enter text.