

Arizona Agriculture Skills and Competencies Certificate

Please complete the following sections in full prior to submitting your application. Please direct any questions to the Arizona Farm Bureau Director of Education at aitc@azfb.org or 480-635-3608.

AGRICULTURE EDUCATION COURSES

Please list the agriculture education courses you have completed. To receive the certification, you must have completed at least three (3) courses. Students currently enrolled in their third (3rd) course with a passing grade are eligible.

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Please list any agriculture education courses you are currently enrolled in and anticipate completing prior to graduation.

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FFA MEMBERSHIP

Please list the academic years in which you were an active FFA member. A minimum of twenty-four (24) months of active membership is required.

Year One: Click or tap here to enter text.

Year Two: Click or tap here to enter text.

Year Three: Click or tap here to enter text.

Year Four: Click or tap here to enter text.

SUPERVISED AGRICULTURE EXPERIENCE (SAE) DOCUMENTATION

To receive the certificate, your SAE must meet one of the following requirements:

1. Submitted State Proficiency Award application
2. Submitted/Earned State FFA Degree

State Proficiency Option

The submission of this application to the district level will be verified by AZFB on behalf of the Arizona FFA Association who will obtain a list of students who have submitted a State Proficiency Award application following district selections each spring.

State Degree Option

Attach to this application packet a copy of the State FFA Degree cover page, signed by your FFA Advisor. The earning of your State FFA Degree will be verified by AZFB on behalf of the Arizona State FFA Association who will submit a list of students who have earned their State Degree following State Convention.

Please indicate which requirement you have completed:

- Submitted State Proficiency Award application
- Earned State FFA Degree

In the space below, give a brief overview of your Supervised Agricultural Experience:

GPA DOCUMENTATION

In addition to noting your overall high school GPA in the space below, please attach a copy of your transcript to this application packet. A cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, in all course, is required to obtain the certificate. Official or unofficial transcripts will be accepted.

GPA [all classes, not just agriculture education classes] [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

Weighted GPA [if applicable]: [Click or tap here to enter text.](#)

CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENT (CDE) DOCUMENTATION

Please show documentation of one FFA leadership event and one FFA CDE or LDE above the chapter level and organized by FFA, in which you participated.

FFA Leadership Event above the Chapter Level

Event/Conference/activity: Click or tap here to enter text. Date: Click or tap here to enter text.

Location: Click or tap here to enter text.

FFA CDE/LDE above the Chapter Level

CDE: Click or tap here to enter text. Date: Click or tap here to enter text.

Location: Click or tap here to enter text.

ARIZONA SKILL STANDARDS ASSESSMENT

The Arizona Farm Bureau Director of Education, in consultation with the Arizona Department of Education, will verify that the Arizona Skill Standards Assessment has been completed satisfactorily. No further documentation is necessary.

SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES GAINED

In a brief essay, describe 5 major skills, competencies and knowledge (example: marketing, safety, personal skills development, etc) that best describe what you gained technically and personally from your agriculture education curriculum. Skills should be selected from the competency profiles for technical courses from your selected Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources Pathway(s).

SIGNATURE DOCUMENTATION

Agriculture Education Instructor and FFA Advisor

As the agriculture education instructor and FFA advisor to this Arizona Agriculture Skills & Competencies Certificate, I hereby verify that this student has completed a minimum of three (3) courses OR is currently enrolled in year 3 of agriculture education work, been an active FFA member for a minimum of two years, participated in FFA events/CDE's documented above and taken the Arizona Skill Standards Assessment.

Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____