



2022-2023 Hamlin Collegiate Agriculture Handbook

Dear Parents,

Hello! I am Hannah Fariss and I am so excited to be part of Hamlin ISD and the Hamlin Community. I would like to introduce myself to those of you who I haven't had the pleasure of meeting yet. My name is Hannah Fariss, and I teach the animal science classes. My husband is the shop teacher here at Hamlin High School. I am from a small town in Northeastern Colorado. My family raises show goats full time, thus, I grew up in the showring where I exhibited all four species of livestock. I attended Northeastern Junior College where I competed on the Livestock Judging Team. I then transferred to Oklahoma Panhandle State University where I competed on the Livestock Judging team again. I managed a show cattle and hog barn during my time in Oklahoma, where we traveled the Texas show circuit and were pretty successful in terms of banners. I am very ecstatic to be in Hamlin, and I cannot wait to meet the students and mentor your kids to the best of my ability.

I was called to be a teacher. I strive to live a life of service, and my way of giving back is to serve and teach tomorrow's leaders. My main goal as the Animal Science teacher is to explain the whys and hows of the livestock industry. My main goal as the FFA Advisor is to compete and be good at any and all leadership events. This sets the kids up for scholarships and tons of opportunities that are unique to agriculture. I plan to achieve these goals by living by the FFA Moto: Learning to Do, Doing to Learn, Earning to Live, and Living to Serve. This being said, I hold myself to very high standards. I will also hold very high standards in the classroom, shop, and from students.

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We will be traveling inside and outside of school hours. We believe there is no better feeling than having hard work pay off. This can include show animals, FFA contests, and even activities done within the classroom. I have attached a release form for you to sign so that your student may travel with us. Please read my rules extra carefully. If your student travels with me and at any time breaks these rules, or threatens the safety of themselves, or the others in the group they will no longer travel with us. I will not jeopardize the safety of the group, or the integrity of this program for anyone not displaying proper behavior on a trip.

I am looking forward to getting to know you and working with your kids. If you have any questions or concerns about anything please don't hesitate to give me a call.

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Dear parents,

I would like to introduce myself to those of you who I haven't had the pleasure of meeting yet. My name is Dakota Fariss, my wife is the animal science teacher here at Hamlin High School. A little about me. I grew up in the agriculture industry mostly showing sheep and goats. While working toward my degree at West Texas A&M University I worked as a barn manager for a very successful show calf operation. I am very excited to be here in Hamlin, and meeting your kids.

Many of your kids will want to be welders. Many of your kids will never use their welding certificate they are expected to achieve in my class. In my mind, that is beside the point. I am passionate about building generations of EMPLOYABLE adults. I feel like this welding program will be the perfect gateway to achieve that goal. I told my classes this afternoon that I was going to make them famous. That is exactly the plan of attack. Every employer will want to hire a student that has been through this welding program. Every college will want these students because of their work ethic. I expect a great deal out of them, and I'm sending you this letter because I want you to expect a great deal out of me as well.

We will be working on jobs outside of school. There is no better teachable moment than the stress of working for someone else. Especially, on a major project that will be seen by everyone they know. I have attached a release form for you to sign so that they may travel to different job sites with me. Please read my rules extra carefully. If your student travels with me and at any time breaks these rules, or threatens the safety

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of themselves, or the others in the group they will no longer travel with us. I will not jeopardize the safety of the group, or the integrity of this program for anyone not displaying proper behavior on a job site.

I am looking forward to getting to know you and working with your kids. If you have any questions or concerns about anything please don't hesitate to give me a call.

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Classroom Rules

In this class:

- You will listen.
- You will have respect.
- You will keep objects to yourself.
- You will give effort.
- You will be prepared.
- You will not be on your phone.

Shop Rules

- You will follow safety rules and instructions at all times.
- You will wear proper PPE. (Personal protective equipment)
- You will not deface school property.
- You will not have your cell phones.
- You will not have any food or drink in the shop.

Trip Rules

Remember, on jobs or any other school trips you represent Hamlin Collegiate, Mr. and Mrs. Fariss, and YOURSELVES. You will be held to the utmost accountability. Failure to meet these rules will not be tolerated and you will no longer go on trips.

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***In order to travel with Hamlin FFA, kids must be competing in an event. There will be no managers or “extra” help allowed to go on trips.

- Be respectful.
- Wear appropriate PPE dress at all times.
- Participate.
- WORK HARD.
- Be prepared.

*Alcohol, tobacco, vapes, or illegal drug use will not be permitted in the class, shop, ag barn, or any other school trips. Our trips, conventions, jobs and livestock shows are an extension of your agricultural education and should be treated as such. Any student that breaks these rules will be asked to leave, and the trip back will be at the parent, or students expense.

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Lets get specific-

Class Expectations

Below are a few policies and philosophies that we would like to share with you, so that this year in agriculture is as successful as possible.

1. This is a ag class. With this statement in mind, you should plan to spend your time in this class on ag. Do not bring other homework to class; write letters, read books, etc. Do not ask to go to another class or work on assignments unless you are completely finished with all assignments and in good academic standing.
2. Daily question. Most class sessions will begin with a daily question comprised of the material from the previous day. These questions serve to prepare you for the day's lesson by reviewing and focusing your mind on science. If you are absent, then you may use the textbook or a friend's notes to answer the question.
3. Electronic Devices. **All cell phones, iPad, etc are to be used for educational purposes only, and under the supervision of the instructor.** All electronic devices should be left in the lockers. If brought to class, they will be placed in the teachers procession until the end of the day. If cell phones or other electronic devices are used at inappropriate times, they will be confiscated. On the first offense the device may be picked up at the end of the day. Repeat offenses will be handled according to district policy.
4. Tests. You should always be well aware of major test dates. If you are absent on the day a test is given, you will be expected to take the test upon your return to school (this may mean the same day!!!). If you are absent on the day of review, you are still required to take the exam on the scheduled day. Exceptions will be made if you were not informed of the test (i.e. multiple day absences).
5. Labs and workshops. Lab work is an important aspect of all ag science classes. Labs are also very difficult to make up. You will be notified in advance as to when lab activities are scheduled. Try to avoid being absent on lab days. If you are absent during a lab, it is your responsibility to make up the lab within two (2) school days. This must be done on your time, not during class.
6. Late Work. In an effort to keep your grades/learning on schedule, turning work in on time is strongly encouraged. However, when work is turned in late, it will be graded according to the following scale.
 - 1 day late = 90% of earned score
 - 2 days late = 75% of earned score
 - 3 days late = 50% of earned score
 - 4 or more days late = no credit earned

Cheating. The work that you present must be your own. **This includes homework assignments, tests, labs, projects,** etc. On some occasions, you may work together with other

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students on homework, but **copying another student's work will be considered cheating**. Obtaining answers from the internet or other unauthorized sources is considered cheating. **When caught cheating, all students involved will receive a zero for that assignment**, and disciplined according to district policy.

7. Safety First. Remember to follow all safety guidelines. The shop can be a fun and exciting place to learn, provided that everyone upholds the safety guidelines. When inappropriate behavior is observed, whether by the instructor or another student, that student will be instructed to leave the lab area, will not be allowed to complete the lab and will not receive credit for the lab. Labs are a privilege, not a right. If the privilege is abused, it can and will be suspended. It is **everyone's** responsibility to ensure that the lab is a safe and productive classroom.
8. Classroom access. Do not try to gain access to any drawer, cabinet or closet, nor handle any equipment without permission. Please treat any objects in the room with respect and care.
9. Extra Credit. Extra credit will be given in the form of bonus questions and challenges. Large extra-credit projects will not be accepted. It is wise to be aware of your grade throughout the year. If it falls below an acceptable level, spend the extra time on studying the course material.

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Tardy Policy

- **Students who are not in their seats and prepared to begin the lesson when the tardy bell rings, will be counted as tardy.**
- **Students who are tardy will not receive credit for that day's daily question.**
- Students who are tardy will be held responsible for getting any and all work/ assignments missed. This must be done on the student's time, and cannot cause a class disruption and/or cause the student to miss additional material.
- If a student is tardy due to a late dismissal from the previous class, the student must have a pass from that teacher with the date and time left.
- If a student needs to use the restroom during passing period, he/she must first report to class, ask and then get a pass to go to the bathroom.
- Three or more tardies per semester will result in an unexcused absence.

Academic Honor & Integrity

Honor and integrity are two of the most valuable characteristics of a person, because they are completely in that person's control. How you conduct yourself, treat other people and keep your word are components of your integrity and honor. **It is assumed that all students will pursue their studies with integrity and honesty. This means that all work for which a student wants to receive a grade, credit or recognition will be the work of that individual student.** As you consider your education, I ask each of you (my students) to make a pledge to maintain your academic integrity. This means that YOU will take responsibility for and pride in your education. You will not participate in any form of academic dishonesty.

The two most common forms of academic dishonesty are plagiarism and cheating. Plagiarism is the act of presenting the work of someone else as that of your own, and not citing the source or giving credit to the original source. Any time a student turns in work for a grade, credit or recognition without properly citing the source or giving credit to the original author, then that student has plagiarized. Cheating is the act of not doing your own work, but instead, trying to use the work of others to obtain a grade, credit or recognition. It is also cheating when unauthorized resources are used to obtain answers.

Examples of Plagiarism

1. Using the ideas, works, sentences, paragraphs or parts of another's work or writing without giving appropriate credit. Using another's works as though it is your own is plagiarism. Any "borrowing" of someone else's work is plagiarism.
2. Using a paper or materials purchased from someone else for the sole purpose of obtaining a grade, credit or recognition for yourself is plagiarism.
3. Any undocumented sources used as your own are plagiarism.

Examples of Cheating

1. Copying or borrowing any part of another person's work on a quiz, test or assignment and representing it as your own work is cheating.
2. Turning in work that was completed as a group, but assigned as an independent assignment is cheating.
3. Turning in work that has been previously turned in for another class as though it is the work for the class you are turning it into for a grade, credit or recognition is cheating.
4. Using unauthorized devices or resources to obtain a grade is cheating.
5. Using any materials that misrepresent your own work is cheating.

*****Students caught cheating or plagiarizing will earn a grade of zero (0) on that assignment/test, and will be referred to the superintendent for disciplinary action.**

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By signing this agreement you, and your student, understand the rules of this Agriculture program. You also understand the consequences of not following these rules and expectations.

Parent _____

Student _____

Mr. Fariss _____

Mrs. Fariss _____

Hamlin Ag Farm Contract

The Hamlin ISD School Farm is structured to allow Hamlin FFA and students enrolled at Hamlin ISD, a place to keep a supervised animal project. The animal project is the responsibility of the student and will be supervised by the Hamlin FFA Advisors.

Hamlin ISD will provide some of the equipment needed in the barns to help all species in their care within the barns. It is ultimately the responsibility of the parent and student if they want any additional items for a specific animal or animals.

Listed below are rules and regulations to be followed by all students and/or parents using the Hamlin ISD School Farm. The school farm is an extension of the classroom and the Hamlin Agricultural Education Program; all policies of the Hamlin ISD Student/Parent FFA Policy and Procedures will be followed.

1. Each FFA Member will be responsible for the daily care of their animal project's at the Hamlin school farm. All livestock projects will be expected to be fed, watered and have their respective pen(s) cleaned on a daily basis.
2. The FFA Chapter will have workdays to assemble or disassemble livestock pens at the school farm. If you cannot meet on the designated day, you are responsible to contact the FFA Advisors and make arrangements, prior to the workday.
3. a. FFA Members using the facilities of the Hamlin ISD School Farm will be expected to cooperate with other students using the FFA School Farm. If there is any conflict or attempt to create conflict to will go through disciplinary process with the school administration and their projects may be asked to remove their projects from the school farm.
b. Members or parents caught vandalizing, abusing animals, and/or drinking alcoholic beverages will lose their right to use the Hamlin School Farm. Administrators and Jones County Police will be contacted.
4. The FFA Advisors will assign all pens at the Hamlin ISD School Farm. Using pens at the Hamlin ISD Farm is a privilege for students.
5. Students/ Parents will not build pens unless they have permission from the FFA Instructor. Students/Parents having livestock equipment at the Hamlin ISD School Farm will need to have their name on it and verified with the FFA Advisor(s). Before a livestock project leaves the school farm, the Advisor(s) must be notified.
6. Hamlin FFA students are expected to be in good standing with the Hamlin FFA Chapter in order to use facilities at the school farm.
7. Hamlin ISD trailers and /or other equipment owned by the FFA Chapter will not be used by students or parents independently. They must be accompanied by a Hamlin FFA Advisor(s).
8. FFA Members with projects at the Hamlin ISD School Farm may be asked to provide animals for the livestock judging class. Respective students will be notified before their the animal is used for judging classes or outside judging Activities.

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9. If the student is out of town and someone is feeding for you, the Hamlin FFA Advisor(s) must be notified prior to the day(s) you will miss.
10. FFA members and parents are only allowed to feed their OWN animal projects, unless the Hamlin FFA Advisor(s) is notified. If caught feeding someone else's projects without prior notification to the Advisor(s), you will be asked to remove your projects from the school farm.
11. FFA Members will be held responsible for livestock pens and equipment they are using. Equipment that is vandalized, abused or stolen will be charged to the student and must reimburse the Hamlin FFA Chapter.
12. Hamlin ISD and facilities are drug free. Students who break the drug free policy will be asked to remove all livestock projects within 48 hours.
*Parents of students who break the drug free policy of the Hamlin ISD School System will lose their privilege to come on the Hamlin ISD Farm. This includes vaping.
13. FFA members requesting transportation for their animal projects to school approved livestock shows will be required to notify the Advisor(s) within two weeks before the show. If the Advisor(s) are not notified about transportation. It will be the students and parents responsibility to provide transportation for their project. A FFA member must notify the Advisor(s) if that project(s) will not be transported back to the school farm.
14. FFA members will be responsible to monitor the health of their livestock project. If an animal becomes sick, it is the student or parents' responsibility to notify the Advisor(s), their parents, or their family veterinarian. Veterinarian calls are the financial responsibility of the student and or parents.
15. FFA Members giving medication to livestock projects at the school farm are to keep the Advisor(s) informed on the medications being used. The Hamlin FFA Advisor(s) or Hamlin ISD will not be held financially responsible if a livestock project(s) dies at the school farm or at a livestock show. If the livestock project dies on the Hamlin FFA Facility, the student/parent has 12 hours to remove the dead animal from the facility.
16. Any animal sold to a 2nd party, as a butcher or breeding animal, will need to be removed from the school farm as soon as possession takes place by the new owner.
17. Once all of the student's projects have been shown, they will have 15 days to remove all equipment (feeders, boxes, pans, rakes, etc.) from the school farm unless prior arrangements have been made with the FFA Advisor(s).
18. Upon completion of your projects, FFA students will have 15 days to clean and sanitize the pens to the Advisor(s)'s liking. If the student's animal has been sold at a competition, your pen must be cleaned before you receive your premium check. If the animal is sold to a secondhand party, the student will be fined \$100 for each pen not cleaned and sanitized.
19. a. If an animal(s) are not being cared for in the proper manner, the student will be given a verbal warning by the Advisor(s) to correct the problem(s).
b. If there is a second infraction the student will be asked to move their

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project(s) from the Hamlin ISD Farm. c. If an animal is neglected, starved, or without water for more than 24 hours, the student will be notified. If no courses of action are taken, the animal(s) will be taken to the sale barn and sold: the check will go to the student, however the student is still expected to clean and sanitize the pen(s) to the advisor's liking. The student will not be allowed to return to the school farm for the remainder of the year.

20. Any and all decisions made by the Hamlin Administration and/or the Hamlin FFA Advisor(s) about the Hamlin ISD Farm will be FINAL.
21. It is not the responsibility of Hamlin FFA to purchase, loan or provide all equipment needed (fans, pans, feeders, blowers, stands, heat lamps, etc.). These expenses will be up to the student.
22. FFA Members will be expected to follow all rules listed in this contract. Members who fail to follow the rules and regulations will need to remove their project(s) from the school farm. Students will have 48 hours to remove their project(s) after the FFA Advisor(s) has notified them.
23. If animals remain at the Hamlin ISD farm longer than the required amount of days, the Advisor(s) will take the animals to the sale and the check will be sent to the exhibitor.
24. The State Validation committee has passed a rule that exhibitors must notify Advisors when the animal is leaving the barn for any reason. Ex. a trip to the vet, hoof trimming, and any other reason.

Hamlin ISD School Farm Contract

All students using the Hamlin ISD School Farm will be expected to follow the above contract. Two copies must be signed by the student, parent, and FFA Advisor(s). One copy of the contract will be kept on file with Hamlin ISD.

FFA Member _____ have reviewed the contract and agree to abide by the rules set forth within it. I understand my responsibility to use the facilities of the Hamlin ID School Farm.

FFA Member Signature _____

Parent Signature _____

FFA Advisor(s) _____

Exhibitors Address & Phone Number

Date: _____

Hamlin FFA Officer Contract

It is a privilege to serve as a chapter FFA officer. All officers must be held to high standards as they are representing the Hamlin FFA Chapter and are looked upon for guidance and leadership for the membership. Officers may be suspended temporarily or removed permanently (**these offences will be noted**) from their position by violating any of the following rules and guidelines:

1. Officers must memorize their parts in opening and closing ceremonies.
2. Must attend all required functions of the Hamlin FFA.
3. Ability to set an example for other members through positive actions both inside and outside of the classroom.
 - a. ISS or other major school offense (**will result in immediate removal of office**)
 - b. Severe legal issue with the law (**will result in immediate removal of office**)
4. Cooperate with other officers and maintain a friendly attitude with them, always working as a team.
5. Accept and carry out all responsibilities of your elected office.
6. Must maintain a passing average of a 70 or higher in all on level classes and must maintain an average of a 60 or higher in advanced classes (AP, Pre AP, or Dual Credit)
7. Maintain an average of 80 or higher in all Hamlin Agriculture Science classes.
8. Abide by the National FFA Code of Ethics and School Policies outlined in the Student Handbook.
9. Students may not use, possession, conceal, transmit, buy, and/or sell alcoholic beverages, narcotic drugs or other controlled substance, tobacco products, or vapes. (**will result in immediate removal of office**)
10. Disruption of school or FFA activity due to improper behavior or persistent discipline problems. (**will result in immediate removal of office**)
11. Use of profane, indecent, or obscene language in school or on FFA trips.
12. All officers must attend all of the scheduled end of the year banquet practices, or they will not be allowed to participate in the FFA banquet.
13.
 - a. Officers must participate every fundraiser each year.
 - b. Officers must abide by the ethics, guidelines and responsibilities identified above on this signed officer contracts. Failure to abide by these rules may lead to disciplinary action, which are identified at the bottom of this contract. In the case of severe situations such as problems with breaking the law or breaking school rules that may not be specifically outlined on the officer contract, officers will be required to appear before an FFA Officer Review Board. This FFA Officer Review Board will be made up of administration (if the offence is serious enough) and the FFA Advisors. This review board will determine the consequences for the officer's actions. In this situation, removal from office may be a possible end result. The officer will have an opportunity to plead his/her case to the board before the decision is made.
 - c. The following strikes will be taken to reinforce the established rules and guidelines for officers.

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1. **Strike One** - If an officer violates a rule (not a rule resulting in immediate dismissal) or does not meet the requirements listed above they will receive a written or verbal warning.
 2. **Strike Two** - If an officer violates another or the same rule (not a rule resulting in immediate dismissal) he/ or she will be required to have a meeting with the Ag teachers and their parents and discuss their commitment to the Hamlin FFA officer team.
 3. **Strike Three** - If an officer violated another or the same rule for a third time they, their parents and their administrator will be called in for a meeting to inform the student of their removal of the officer team.
- D. Unexpected circumstances or other important commitments may keep officers from fulfilling the requirements listed above. In the event that an officer cannot fulfill a specific requirement he/she must provide the chapter Advisors with a written explanation from another party outlining the specific circumstances. The written notification must be provided within no more than 2 days before the event begins. A maximum of 3 written explanations will be accepted throughout the officer's term.
- E. In the case that an officer does get removed from office, no special election will be held for that office. In the event that an officer was to be removed from office we will shift officers up for opening and closing ceremonies at meetings and banquets only.
- F. In all cases of officer removal, the advisors will conference with the principal of the school or their designee before dismissing an officer from the officer team. (Decisions will be made by the advisors and principal, and they will be based upon the severity of behavior and/or persistent behavior) .

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The following requirements must be met in order for a member to run for an officer position:

1. Must hold the FFA Greenhand Degree.
2. Must have never been removed from the Hamlin FFA officer team.
3. All officer candidates are to know and agree to abide by the FFA Code of Ethics.
4. All officer candidates are to have commendable citizenship and conduct records. A candidate must have not been retained in the school guidance system during his or her high school term for drug use or handling.
5. Officer candidates shall meet the following respective scholastic requirements:
6. Chapter officer candidates must have an average of "B" or better in past Agricultural Science courses and have an overall average of "C" or better in courses taken the six weeks immediately preceding officer elections.
7. Membership dues for the Hamlin FFA are paid for the school year they are running and when they hold office.
8. FFA members running for an office must complete the Hamlin FFA Officer Application and submit it to the Ag Science Teachers/FFA Advisors on or before the due date that will be posted in the Hamlin Ag department. **NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED!!!**
9. FFA members running for an office must go through a panel interview on a date to be determined and posted in the Ag department. All officer candidates must be in official dress. If they are not they will not be interviewed. Officers must be on time for the test and interview (unless prior permission has been granted by the Ag teachers) or otherwise will be disqualified from running for a Hamlin FFA officer position.

By signing this application; “I hereby agree to follow the chapter, district, and national constitutions accordingly. I will also follow and abide by the rules of the chapters POA (Program of Activities). I will fulfill my duties and expectations that are required by me as a chapter officer and at any time that these duties are not fulfilled, I will be asked, by the chapter advisor, to resign from my respective office.”

“It is truly, in the best interest of the Hamlin FFA Chapter and myself, to help the chapter become more successful, and it is my intent to put forth my best efforts in reaching this objective.”

Signature of Student

Date

Signature of Parent

Date

Signature of Advisors

FFA DEMERIT SYSTEM

To establish repercussions for problems such as poor attendance, talking out of turn in meetings, detentions, tardiness, etc., Hamlin FFA has a demerit system. Any Hamlin FFA member that accumulates 5 demerits over the course of the school year, **or who partakes in a dismissible act, will be removed from officer and competitive teams and travel within the FFA.**

Although the demerit system allows 5 absences for Hamlin FFA meetings/events, **NO MORE THAN 2 ABSENCES PER SEMESTER WILL BE PERMITTED.** If a scheduling conflict arises, such as practices and other UIL events, the President or Sponsor should be notified A WEEK IN ADVANCE so affected members can be allowed early dismissal without penalty. Those who fail to comply will receive demerits for their absence. If anyone has an excused absence (absent from school due to: illnesses, emergencies, funerals, appointments, etc.), the Sponsor should be contacted so proper steps can be taken. If a member has an unexcused absence from school, he/she will receive one demerit per unexcused absence.

The Sponsor reserves the right to dismiss any representative or officer, if it is reported that a member is not fulfilling their duties and responsibilities as a member of Hamlin FFA or he/she is not representing the Hamlin FFA in a positive and appropriate manner.

Unexcused Absence at Meeting OR Function	2 demerits
Failure to sell minimum amount for fundraisers	1 demerit
Unexcused absence from school	1 demerit
Out of Dress Code at FFA Event	1 demerit
Report of Disrespect via teacher, staff, bus driver, etc.	dismissal
Accumulation of 6 unexcused tardies	3 demerits
Suspension, DAEP & ISS for inappropriate behavior and/or actions	Dismissal
Excessive Dress Code & Behavior Violations & Detentions, VAPING	dismissal
Academic Probation	suspension for length of probation period

FFA Travel Guidelines

As any other school organization, Hamlin FFA holds pride in our students that represent us both at home and on the road. Unlike other programs, Hamlin FFA travels to contests, livestock shows, and conventions that can become multiple night trips quickly. We have outlined some guidelines to ensure that Hamlin FFA Members are representing the Hamlin FFA Chapter and Hamlin Collegiate ISD in a respectable manner.

As a traveling FFA member, you must follow all the following rules while on trips with Hamlin FFA.

1. Follow dress code
2. Pay any entry fees in advance (livestock shows)
3. No tobacco, alcohol, vapes, or any other products not allowed at school will be allowed on trips.
4. Curfews and lights out will be enforced- you must remain in your hotel room from curfew until morning wake ups
5. Males and Females may not be in the same room.
6. Must be passing all classes—no pass, no play- applies to FFA contests as well

Following the FFA Demerit System, students can be suspended from travel with FFA. Any infractions of the above rules can result in a demerit.

FFA Travel dress code:

1. General School Dress Code Applies
2. Jeans will not have holes when competing in contest (this includes walking in the show ring with your animal)
3. Official Dress must be followed when event requires it
 - a. Skirts must be within two inches of the knee or longer
4. No mullets, colored hair, nose piercing, etc.