

California Agricultural Teachers' Association

Outstanding Ag Program Award

Application Scoring Rubric

Applicant _____

Scoring Instructions: For each evaluation criteria category, please circle the point value you feel is appropriate for the applicant. After evaluation of each criteria category, please total the point values and rank all applicants.

Evaluation Criteria	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
Overview -brief description of your agricultural education program and the community in which your program exists. Include a comparison of the demographics of your school to the demographics of your ag program. (15)	15 14 13	12 11 10 9	8 7 6 5	4 3 2 1 0
Overview of Program Curriculum - examples of your effective classroom and laboratory instruction including description of classes offered, teaching methods used, how courses are aligned to standards, etc. (20%)	20 19 18 17 16	15 14 13 12 11	10 9 8 7 6 5	4 3 2 1 0
Experiential Learning - examples of your program's accomplishments in getting students involved in work-based learning such as supervised agricultural experience programs, cooperative education, and internships. (15%)	15 14 13	12 11 10 9	8 7 6 5	4 3 2 1 0
Leadership Development - examples of your program's successes in developing leadership skills of students within the program. Program's participation in student organization activities, including FFA, PAS, and NYFEA and other student organizations may also be included. (15%)	15 14 13	12 11 10 9	8 7 6 5	4 3 2 1 0
Partnerships - examples of your program's relationships with partners such as volunteers, school and community leaders, industry leaders, and others who have the capacity to support your agricultural education program including FFA Alumni chapters and advisory boards. (15%)	15 14 13	12 11 10 9	8 7 6 5	4 3 2 1 0
Professional Growth -examples of how teachers within your program stay professionally prepared and up-to-date in teaching techniques and technical content including information regarding each teachers' participation in professional organizations such as NAAE and programs sponsored by NAAE including Communities of Practice (15)	15 14 13	12 11 10 9	8 7 6 5	4 3 2 1 0
Letters of Reference -three letters of reference should be included. Sources of the letters should be as follows: one letter from an administrator; one letter from an agricultural educator; and one letter from a member of the community (5)	5	4	3 2	1 0
	Total Points		Rank	

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