## Danbury Independent School District Brazoria County Fair Guidelines

With Danbury ISD classes in session during the Brazoria County Fair, we have been asked to clarify attendance rules concerning excused absences, perfect attendance, and assignment makeup procedures.

- A. The following activities will be considered an extra-curricular activity and, as such, the student will be excused and the absence will not affect perfect attendance:
  - \*\*\* If section "A" pertains to your student please fill out Form A on the back of this sheet.
    - Moving in your own livestock project (only for students with multiple projects and extenuating circumstances who receive prior approval by also submitting Form A)
    - Showing your own livestock project (day of show only)
    - Auction Day (½ day for those who made the auction)
    - Working with a student organization/group (day of event)
    - Representing school as the Fair Queen Candidate (as requested by BCFA Fair Queen Committee)
- B. The following activities will be considered as <u>unexcused</u> absences and will require a parent note upon returning to school:
  - Taking care of livestock projects (other than day of show)
  - Tour Guiding other than with school group/organization

Students should ask teachers for assignments to be given to them prior to the absence if they are available. Assignments received prior to the absence will be due the first day the student returns to school unless other arrangements are made with the individual teacher.

Assignments received after the absence will follow DISD Grading Guidelines for makeup work. The guidelines state that the student will work with the teacher to establish a deadline for completion of work, but general practice is that "days to complete makeup work will be equal to the number of days absent."

To comply with TEA attendance guidelines, in order for a student's absence to count as an extracurricular (excused) absence, DISD will verify absences against a list from the student's FFA/4-H representative stating dates and times of absences requested and supervision during the event. Students may only receive extra-curricular (excused) absences if they are sponsored through FFA/4-H and under supervision of the designated sponsor.

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## Form A

## **Brazoria County Fair Exhibitor's Verification Form**

Student's Name:	Grade:
Type of Exhibit:	
Date Exhibit is Shown:	
Member of Student Organization/Group ☐ YES ☐ NO G	Group
Event Volunteering at:	
Date and Time of Event Volunteering at :	
Advisor/Sponsor's Printed Name:	
Advisor/Sponsor's Signature:	Date:
I realize that it is impossible to replace the instruction missed during	g the absence and that my student will be
responsible for making up any work missed while absent. Making t	up missed assignments may require my student
to come before school, stay after school, or make alternate arrange	ements with teachers to complete assignments,
tests, or to receive additional help.	
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Dato
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:
Student Signature:	Date:

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