## Ell-Saline FFA Middle School CDE Brawl Rules

1. There will be 11 contests offered at the middle school CDE day.
a. If facilities do not allow for livestock, there will instead be 10.
2. Each chapter can have any number of students entered in each contest.
3. Students should be in middle school, and cannot be Freshmen or older. The contests are aimed at 8th grade students.
4. Team Scores
a. The top 3 individuals from each chapter will have their scores combined into a team score for that event.
b. Each event will have 50 points possible for each contestant, with 150 possible for a team.
c. The Speech Competition and FFA Information Test will not count towards the team score.
d. Each chapter will 'drop' their lowest score, so their ultimate possible score would be 1200.
e. Ties will be broken in the following order:
i. The team with the most team first place finishes
ii. The team with the most individual first place finishes
iii. The team with the most team second place finishes
iv. The team with the most individual second place finishes
v. The team with the most team third place finishes
vi. The team with the most individual third place finishes
vii. If a tie is not broken at this point, both teams will be considered
f. The top three teams will receive trophies recognizing their achievement.
5. Individual Scores
a. Each contest will recognize the top 10 contestants.
i. Ties will be broken according to contest rules
b. Contestants placing 10 through 9 will receive certificates
c. First place contestants will receive

## 6. Contest Rules:

a. Entomology
i. $\quad 15 \mathrm{ID}$ (2 points each)
ii. 10 Question Test (2 points each)
iii. Ties are broken on test score
b. Food Science
i. 1 Triangulation (5 points)
ii. 5 Aromas (1 point each)
iii. 10 Question Test (2 points each)
iv. $\quad 10$ Math Problem Solving (2 point each)

1. Math will focus on weights and measures
v. Ties are broken on test score, then problem solving score
c. Milk Quality \& Products
i. 5 Cheese Identification (2 points each)
2. No cheese characteristics
ii. 5 Dairy/Non-Dairy Identification (2 points each)
3. No fat content
iii. 5 Milk Flavor Identification (2 points each)
4. No scoring
iv. 10 Question Test (2 points each)
v. Ties will be broken on test score, then cheese identification
d. Agribusiness Management
i. 25 Question test (2 points each)
5. Questions will focus on vocabulary and simple math.
e. Vet Science
i. 10 Breed Identification (2 points each)
ii. 10 Equipment Identification (2 points each)
iii. 5 Questions on animal anatomy (2 points each)
6. Possible Species include:
a. Horse
b. Chicken
c. Beef
d. Sheep
e. Goat
f. Hog
g. Dog
h. Cat
iv. Ties will be broken on anatomy, then equipment identification
f. Floriculture
i. 10 Plant Identification (1 point each)
ii. 10 Floral Design Tool Identification (1 point each)
iii. 10 Greenhouse Pest, Diseases and Disorders Identification (1 point each)
iv. 10 Question Test (2 points each)
v. Ties will be broken on test score, followed by plant identification
g. Landscape \& Nursery
i. 10 Plant Identification (1 point each)
ii. 10 Tool Identification (1 point each)
iii. 5 Math Practicum Questions (2 points each)
iv. Ties will be broken by math practicum score, followed by plant identification
h. Livestock Judging (Depending on Facility)
i. Possible Classes:
7. Beef
8. Sheep
9. Hog
10. Goat
ii. There will be 4 Classes
iii. There will be one questions class
iv. There will be no reasons classes.
v. For the purposes of the overall contest, judging scores for each class will be divided by 5 , for a contest total of 50 points.
vi. Ties will be broken based on questions score, following by classes in an order determined by the officials
i. Meats Judging
i. $\quad 15$ Retail ID Cuts from State List (2 points each)
ii. 2 Retail Cut Judging Classes (10 points each)
iii. Ties will be broken by the retail cut score
j. FFA Information Test (Based on the Greenhand Conference Test)
i. $\quad 25$ Questions from previous information tests (2 points each)
ii. Ties will not be broken.
k. Speech
i. 3-5 Minutes Speech on a subject related to Agriculture and/or FFA
ii. A single 3 " $\times 5$ " note card can be used
iii. A rubric will be used for a score out of 50 points.
iv. No questions will be asked
v. Ties will not be broken
