



### Equal Education Opportunity Statement

It shall be the policy of the Calhoun County Board of Education that all students, without regard to status (e.g., homeless, limited English proficient, migrant, etc.) will be provided a free and appropriate public education, including equal and appropriate educational opportunities and support services, to enable them to achieve state and local content and achievement standards. Pursuant to such policy, no student shall be improperly excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination in any program or activity on the basis of gender, race, religion, belief, national origin, ethnic group, disability, or other protected status.

### Floriculture Team

1st place District Level  
2nd place State Level  
2012-2013



Nathan Holtman –Highest Individual  
1st place District—Floriculture  
2nd place State

### WELLBORN AGRISCIENCE DEPARTMENT

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### WHS AGRISCIENCE DEPARTMENT

# Wellborn High School Agriscience Department



Learning to Do,  
Doing to Learn,  
Earning to Live,  
Living to Serve.

# Leadership, Personal Growth, and Career Success

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Agriculture is the largest employment sector in America and the basis for everyday life. There are many different job opportunities in today's market ranging from welding, building

construction, landscaping, forestry, floriculture, plumbing, electrical, aquaculture, cattle farming, gardening and the green industry. It is our goal to give each student as many tools as possible to gain the much needed employability skills that are required for entrance level positions.

The Program Goals of Agriscience Education at WHS is to:

1. Provide education in and about agriculture from the perspective of science and technology.
2. Prepare students for employment in an agriculture career.
3. Prepare students for entry into post-secondary programs in Agriscience fields.
4. Provide education about the role of Agriscience in the conservation of the earth's natural resources.
5. Develop life and employability skills essential for successful employment.
6. To develop skills needed to fulfill occupational skills, social, and civic responsibilities.

## The Program:

The Wellborn High Agriscience program was started in 2001 by donations from many local sources. Today it is one of the most popular electives on campus. Students like the use of a "hands-on" approach to learning and they are able to use power equipment in woodshop, welders, learn many techniques in growing plants in our on-site greenhouses. No matter what your interests are, there is a class for you.

## FFA:

The FFA is an integral part of the program. Every student is urged to join each year and there is a place for everyone. Students will be able to hone their skills learned in class by competing in many Career Development



Events such as Floriculture, Nursery Landscape, Forestry, Ag Mechanics, Building Construction and Public Speaking. In addition to this leadership is taught through the organization and officers will be selected to

represent our chapter across the state and nation and develop public speaking skills that will help them in their confidence and employability skills for later in life. Our chapter will also take many field trips and attend the state convention as well as the national convention that is held in Indiana each Fall. To be an FFA member you have to be in an Agriscience class and pay your annual dues of \$15.

## Tentative Course Schedule:

### 2013-2014

Ag Exploration (7-8th only)  
Horticulture Science  
Floral Design & Interiorscaping  
Nursery Production & Management

### 2014-2015

Ag Exploration (7-8th only)  
Horticulture Science  
Landscape Management  
Greenhouse Productions

### 2015-2016

Ag Exploration (7-8th only)  
Horticulture Science  
Landscape Design  
Building Construction

