

# **Foundations of Agriculture**

## **Mrs. Sharpless**

### **2022-2023**

#### **Welcome!**

This year I am so excited that your child will be apart of my Foundations of Agriculture class. Foundations of Agriculture is a High School credit class so your child will leave with either a Science or Agriculture credit. This hand out will give you all the important information you need for this class.

#### **Expectations:**

Bok Academy is a school of excellences! Students are expected to work from bell to bell in each and every class. Students will have supplies with them every day. Supplies needed for my class are:

- Notebook with pockets or Section in their binder
- Pen or Pencil

When students enter the class room , they are expected to come in and get started on bell work. There will be a weekly and daily outline for their class so they know exactly what we are doing for that week and day.

Some days we will be outside working with animals, greenhouse or garden. Student will know in advance what day this will be so they can prepare and have proper shoes.

Students should arrive on time to class if they are tardy they need to have a pass either from office or teacher they are coming from.

#### **What your student will learn:**

In this class we will talk about animal science, plant science, biotechnology, history of agriculture, agriculture careers and Florida agriculture. Students will receive hands on experience working with animals, lab, planting, growing and harvesting of crops.

**Grades:**

Grades will be posted and updated in Schoology every 2 weeks. Parents you can contact the front office to obtain Schoology access.

Grades for my class will be broken down into 3 categories:

Prep-work 10% of class grade:

Bell work

Notes

Participation 60% of class grade:

ICEV assignments

Classwork

Outside work

Assessments 30% of class grade:

Quiz

Test

**How to contact Mrs. Sharpless:**

If you have any question or concerns please feel free to contact me through the following ways.

Remind- Text: @4cf8g3 to number 81010

Email: [emilyn.sharpless@lwcharterschools.com](mailto:emilyn.sharpless@lwcharterschools.com)

I look forward to working with your student and having them in my class. I am excited about the coming school year and everything we will be doing.

Thank you:

Mrs. Emilyn Sharpless

Bok Academy Agriculture

Please sign and return to Mrs. Sharpless by August 15, 2022

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Student Signature

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Parent Signature