

## **Farm Field Trip Information**

## Thanks for choosing Fiery Ginger Farm!

FGF is a fully operational production farm. We love to bring students onto the farm to connect them to this place where food is grown. This document was created to give you all the information you will need for your farm field trip.

<u>ACTIVITIES</u>: This is a hands-on experience. We can accommodate up to 60 students. Students will be placed into small teams and work alongside farmers to complete tasks such as planting, harvesting, taste testing, washing, and packing vegetables. They will also learn about pollinators and other beneficial insects as well as farm animals that may include goats, chickens, and pigs.

<u>TIME</u>: Field trips are generally held from 9:00-11:00 am. If you would like to adjust that time frame, please let us know when you book your field trip.

**LOCATION:** Our farm site is located behind Mid-Cal Motorcycles at 1551 Merkley Ave, West Sacramento CA 95691. We do have a sign on the street.

<u>PARKING</u>: Students can be dropped off in front of the Colling's Teen Center but vehicles must be parked on the street or in the nearby Raley's parking lot. Please do not park in the lot for either the Post Office or Mid-Cal Motorcycles. These lots are very small and must be left open for their customers. Please relay this information to parents who may be driving separately as well. Walk in through the Mid-Cal Motorcycles gates and you will see the farm behind.

<u>DRESS</u>: Your group will be on a farm participating in farm activities. Please wear closed-toe shoes and clothing appropriate for being outside. Hats and sunblock are a good idea. FIELD TRIPS ARE HELD RAIN OR SHINE!

**LUNCH:** While lunch is not provided, we do have a picnic area where your group can eat if you would like to bring lunch. It is always a good idea to bring water.

**BATHROOMS**: There are no bathrooms on the farm but the adjacent motorcycle shop is happy to let your students use theirs. Please walk younger students there with an adult as it is a working repair shop and help us keep things clean. There are also bathrooms at Raley's Grocery Store across the street.

<u>CHAPERONES</u>: Please bring at least four adults with your group to help look after your students during the field trip.

## **CONTACT INFO:**

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