



Future Business Leaders of America
Pinellas County
2024 District Fall Rally

Future Business Leaders of America District XII

September 20, 2024

Dear FBLA Member:

In the fall of each school year, Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) District XII Chapters participate in their annual District Rally.

As you know, FBLA is a student vocational organization whose mission is to provide opportunities for students enrolled in business education classes or who have an interest in business to develop leadership skills and an understanding of the business world.

This year's program will be held on Thursday, November 14, 2024, at St. Pete Coliseum, 535 4th Avenue North in St. Petersburg. We hope you will be able to attend as one of our members.

The program will include the introduction of the District XII officers for 2024-2025, and of local chapter presidents, the installation of District XII members, and the Induction of new chapters. There will be a keynote speaker to improve your knowledge and skills in a range of areas. The program will start promptly at 8:30 a.m. and should conclude by 12:30 p.m. Lunch will be provided.

We look forward to hearing from you and hope you will be able to attend this event. Please RSVP to your school's FBLA Advisor by Friday, October 18, 2024.

Sincerely,

Chris Borg, Amy Eggimann & Kevin Schachter
FBLA District Co-Directors

Itinerary – FBLA Fall Rally 2024

St. Pete Coliseum

Buses Depart Schools	Varies by School
Buses Arrive at Rally	8:30
Opening Session	8:45 to 9:30
Keynote Speaker	9:30 to 10:30
Icebreaker Activity	10:30 to 11:00
Lunch	11:00 to 11:45
Networking activities	11:45 to 12:00
Wrap up	12:00 to 12:15
Buses Depart Rally	12:30
Buses Arrive at Schools	Varies by School

PINELLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS
FIELD TRIP/ACTIVITIES PERMISSION FORM



School _____

I (We) hereby grant permission for _____ to participate
Student Name

in a field trip/activity to FBLA Fall Rally, St. Pete Coliseum on November 14, 2024
Location Date

and to make authorized or emergency stops as necessary.

Students will be traveling in the following manner:

- Walking School Bus Commercial Carrier Bus Rental Vehicle (Auto, Mini Van)
 Private Passenger Vehicle with District Employee Driver Volunteer Driver Student Driver*

Time of Departure (Approximate) _____ Time of Return (Approximate) _____

- 1) I authorize school representatives to obtain medical treatment for my child, which includes required emergency transportation, in case of serious illness or injury and agree to pay for such treatment.
- 2) I understand that the trained school employee who usually dispenses medications may or may not be present during this trip. Medications will be dispensed by a responsible staff member.
- 3) I have documented below all precautions/instructions regarding my child's medication. I have noted any special health-related conditions or allergies regarding my child.

- 4) All provisions of the student code of conduct apply to field trips and activities. To ensure student safety and compliance with the student code, I agree that my child's luggage, belongings, and rooms (where applicable) may be randomly searched for contraband.

If the Field Trip is to a District or non-District site where students will have the opportunity to touch and hold animals, please complete the following:

Your child will have the opportunity to touch and hold captive animals during this field trip. Please check one space below to indicate your approval or denial

YES, my child may touch and hold the animals. **NO**, my child may NOT touch and hold the animals.

* From time to time students may be allowed to drive other students to and from field trips or activities on a case-by-case basis, and only with administrative approval.

I agree / **I do not agree** (check one) to allow my child to ride with another student.

Signature of Parent/Guardian	Phone (Home)	Phone (Work)	Phone (Cell)
Alternate Emergency Contact	Phone (Home)	Phone (Work)	Phone (Cell)
Date			

Palm Harbor University High School

Field Trip EXPECTATIONS of Students

Date: 9/20/24

Dear Parents,

We are looking forward to our upcoming trip with your students. We want to be sure that you and the students are aware of our expectations for appropriate behavior while on our trip. Students are expected to conduct themselves in a way that will, at all times, be a positive reflection on their family, PHUHS and the group they are representing on this trip. Please review the information below and return this letter, signed, to the sponsor. If this letter is not returned completed, the student will not be permitted to participate in the event.

Date of Trip: 11/14/24 Departure time: 7:30 am (Itinerary is attached)

Where the students are going: Coliseum St. Pete - FBLA Fall Rally

Return to PHUHS date and time: 11/14/24 1:30 pm

Students need to bring Professional Dress

Chaperones: Kevin Schachter

Expectations for Behavior: Students will be supervised by the faculty sponsor and the other adult chaperones. Students are expected to follow the Pinellas County Schools Code of Student Conduct at all times. Any violation of the Code of Student conduct will result in a call to the parents/guardian, disciplinary action upon student's return and possible expulsion from the activity/trip. Students who are sent home for serious misconduct may be sent at their family's expense after parent contact is made.

The following General Guidelines for Field Trips will be enforced:

- 1. Amusement rides are not approved on a school day during school hours except as approved by the Superintendent (designee).
2. Students may not take recreation trips to beaches or other bodies of water (including pools).
3. Students are responsible for making up any classwork missed during the trip
4. Students must inform their chaperones of their whereabouts at all times.
5. Students are expected to attend all scheduled sessions and activities, arriving promptly for each.
6. Students who are responsible for theft or vandalism will be expected to pay restitution for any and all damages
7. Students are not permitted to purchase, consume, or be under the influence of tobacco, drugs, or alcohol at any time. Violators will be subject to serious disciplinary consequences.
8. Students are expected to follow any additional rules communicated by the sponsor.

I have read the above information and agree to abide by these expectations. Date;
Print Student's Name Signature of Student
I have read the above information and agree that my child will abide by these expectations. Date
Print Parent/Guardian Name Signature of Parent/Guardian

Palm Harbor University High School

Teacher Notification Form For Field Trips

Student's Name _____ Grade _____

Field trip EBLA Fall Rally _____ Sponsor _____

Dates Student will miss 11/14/24 _____

Periods student will miss All _____

Period	Subject	Teachers Signature	Comments

Per School Board Policy:

Students are responsible for making up any class work missed during a field trip.

Completed form due to sponsor by: _____