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## Fruit & Companion Products Sale



### Tips for Your Fruit & Companion Products Sale

- 1 Get in Touch with Vendors Early**  
Call or email vendors directly to learn more about products and pricing. You can find the complete list of participating vendors on our website.
- 2 Collaborate with Other Teachers**  
Work with nearby chapters to establish fair pricing for your area and gain additional insight on how to organize your sale from beginning to end.
- 3 Simplify Your Sale Offerings**  
Are you new to the profession? Try limiting your number of vendors and offering a manageable amount of products. It's okay to work with one or two vendors whose products best meet your community's needs.

### Five Reasons Why the Fruit & Companion Products Sale is the Right Fundraiser for Your FFA Chapter

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#### **Your students will be directly engaged with your local community.**

Through the hands-on sales and delivery of Fruit & Companion Products, your FFA members will sharpen communication skills and build relationships with chapter supporters and community members.

#### **Your students will raise funds for your chapter.**

Fundraising is an important aspect of making sure FFA members in your chapter can afford to participate in and travel to FFA activities. Your chapter can decide to use the funds raised in whichever way you and your students decide.

#### **You will be continuing a long-standing tradition with customizable options.**

Did you know the first FFA citrus sales started in Ohio? Since the 1960s, members have sold citrus fruits and other companion products. You can easily cater your offerings to your community's interests.

#### **You are reducing the cost of participation for Ohio FFA members.**

For each case or unit sold, our approved vendors provide a rebate to the Ohio FFA Foundation. These funds help support statewide events and programs such as conferences, student awards and the Ohio FFA Convention.

#### **Your students will grow and develop as leaders.**

Whether you incorporate this fundraiser into an agribusiness class or let your officer team lead the chapter, this sale is a great way for students to take ownership of a project. A seemingly small decision to participate in this program can leave a large impact on students' lives and overall FFA member experience.

*Please use only Ohio FFA Foundation approved vendors. Suppliers not listed on our website have no obligation to support the Ohio FFA Foundation and assist in funding statewide programs and events.*