



2022 Texas Major Show Swine Validation

Submission Materials Checklist

Submission Deadline: **December 7, 2021**

The County Swine Validation Committee Chairman will send the following materials postmarked **on or before the above submission deadline**:

1. White copy of validation form — please return forms filed in alphabetical order by student's last name and secured. **(Do Not Send Any Other Copies of the Form)**.
2. Hair sample envelopes—these must be filed in alphabetical order **by student's last name**. Please print and sign. The office must be able to read the name.
3. Complete and submit the tag assignment listing through the Swine Validation System (<http://validate.texasffa.org>). Please print the listing and include with your materials. All corrections must be updated by the county validation chair by time of submission. Corrections made after submission date must be submitted electronically via email to the State Swine Validation Coordinator (tammy@texasffa.org). All pigs with corrected ear notches and replaced tags are subject to DNA Fingerprinting Assay.
4. Signature page of the exhibitor ethics form --- Exhibitor names must be printed and signed, and filed in alphabetical order. Incomplete forms will not be accepted and must be corrected and resubmitted to complete validation.
5. Signed swine validation committee forms. Incomplete forms will not be accepted and must be corrected and resubmitted to complete validation.

Materials and payment should be sent via priority/certified mail, return receipt requested to:

Texas FFA Association
2022 Texas Major Show Swine Validation - (your county name)
614 East 12th Street
Austin, TX 78701-1908

REMINDERS:

1. The swine validation committee is responsible for cross checking swine validation forms and hair envelopes to verify all required signatures are present. Teachers/agents who serve as a committee chair/co-chair, parent, or guardian should not sign forms belonging to their immediate family, students, or members.
2. Verify that all ear notches have been drawn and that the litter number and pig number have been indicated on the lines below the ears.
3. The validation committee will keep the yellow copy of the validation forms until the show is completed. Exhibitor and/or Parent/Legal Guardian will be given the manila copy of the validation form for their records. White copy mail to the FFA office.
4. The Validation Data Entry system will close on December 7, 2021 Any and all corrections after this date must be submitted electronically on the swine validation website, using either an ear notch correction and/or ear tag replacement form. All changes must go through the county validation chair, who will submit any and all changes. Corrections and changes can be made up to the show check-in date.
5. All validation forms, ethics policies & hair envelopes must be filed alphabetically by the student's last name and secured.





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As the County Swine Validation Committee Chair, I acknowledge that the following documents are being submitted to Texas FFA.

(Please initial for each submitted item)

_____ **White Copy** of Validation Form.

_____ Hair Sample Envelopes filed in alphabetical order by last name.

_____ Printed off copy of the submitted tag assignment list from the Swine Validation System (<http://validate.texasffa.org>).

_____ Signature page of each exhibitor's ethics form filed in alphabetical order by last name.

_____ Signed swine validation committee form.

This checklist MUST be returned with all of the above materials.

Validation Chair Signature

Date