

Tractor Safety Operator's Course

Saturday, May 1, 2021
Dodge City Community College

Sponsored By:

Clark, Comanche, Edwards, Ford, Gray,
Hodgeman, Meade, Pawnee County &
Walnut Creek District Extension Councils,
Dodge City Community College,
Pride Ag Resources & Farm Bureau

**Students must attend all
day on May 1st for the
training and final test.**

PURPOSE OF COURSE & TEST:

To provide teenagers with a fuller appreciation and awareness of needed safety practices around tractors and farm machinery. As well as provide 14 & 15 year old youth an opportunity to receive a tractor operator's permit, required by the Child Labor Regulations in regard to agricultural hazardous occupations before they can be employed to operate a tractor.

WHO MAY PARTICIPATE:

Any teenage youth, regardless of age. Those completing the course and test will receive an operator's certificate upon completion of when he/she turns 14. Those who are 16 or older do not need an operator's certificate, but are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

SCHEDULE:

Tractor & Farm Machinery Safety Instruction will be given from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 1st. Registration is from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. at the Little Theater on Dodge City Community College's campus.

COST:

\$20.00 (made payable to the Ford County Ag Activity Fund) for noon meal, handouts and handbook.

MEAL:

The noon meal, included in the registration fee, is hamburgers hot off the grill. Students are encouraged to eat the meal provided. Please contact the Ford County Extension Office, 620-227-4542 with any participant's dietary restrictions.

ENROLLMENT:

All participants will need to complete a registration form and a 4-H Participation form in order to participate.

KSRE COVID-19 PROTOCOL:

COVID-19 protocols will be followed. Masks will be required indoors. Virtual course options are available. Contact your local Extension Office for more information.

**PRE-REGISTRATION FOR TRACTOR
COURSE IS REQUIRED BY APRIL 23rd.
TO YOUR LOCAL EXTENSION OFFICE.**

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