College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Ambassador Expectations

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College of Agriculture and Life Sciences Ambassador Expectations. As Iowa State University College of Agriculture and Life Sciences (CALS) Ambassadors, our mission is simple: to assist CALS in recruiting new undergraduate students to Iowa State University. Recruiting new students is also about providing a future for our university, college and the agricultural and life sciences industries. As a group, we shoulder the activities and events we plan and execute as a great responsibility. The title “Ambassador” also brings with it tremendous opportunity for personal growth, networking, improved communication skills and furthering our knowledge and appreciation of the many areas in the college, making us well rounded citizens in the world. The future growth and prosperity of our Ambassador programs is dependent upon active and enthusiastic participation from its membership. As leaders of this organization, you are in a position to serve as an example to others because of how others observe your actions and engagement. The following criteria have been established as guidelines necessary to maintain membership within the organization:

Per semester, each member must meet the following criteria:

1. The member’s cumulative grade point average must remain at or above 2.5/4.0

2. Ambassadors are required to attend main meetings to keep informed about upcoming events and ongoing training. Each ambassador is allowed two absences from our main meetings per semester. An absence total of three or greater, without valid excuse, per semester is grounds for dismissal from the organization.

3. Ambassadors must obtain a minimum of 15 points per semester by assisting with various events and visits. The point system may be adjusted depending on opportunities for credit but will never be adjusted up.