



The Tractors for Agriculture in the Classroom project invites farmers from across Virginia to choose one piece of equipment to track hours driven from March –November (or a time period of the individual’s choosing) and pledge a gift to Agriculture in the Classroom for every hour driven. Individuals not actively engaged in farming who wish to support the project may make a pledge per mile driven in a truck or other vehicle. Each individual who pledges support will receive a t-shirt as a token of recognition and thanks from Agriculture in the Classroom.

Equipment and vehicle dealers may elect to match pledges to a certain level, multiplying the impact of each farmer’s gift and ultimately having a huge impact on educating Virginia’s children about our largest and most important industry: agriculture!

Here’s how it works:

Farmer Ben has a tractor, purchased from a local equipment dealer. He registers for the program and pledges \$1/hour driven over the course of the nine months. The dealer pledges \$1 / hour driven by their customers, with a maximum gift of \$10,000.

Farmer Ben drives for 150 hours between March 1—November 30.

Farmer Ben’s gift: \$1.00/hour x 150 hours =	\$150.00
The dealer pledges \$1.00/hour x 150 hours =	<u>\$150.00</u>
Total impact to Agriculture in the Classroom:	\$300.00

I pledge \$_____ for every hour I spend in my _____.

Deadline: Nov. 30, 2017

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To participate, detach along dotted line and submit to dealer or mail to address on back.

Registration for Tractors for Agriculture in the Classroom

Name: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Tractor/Vehicle make and model: _____

Equipment Dealer: _____ Location: _____

T-Shirt Size:
(mark one)

M L XL

XXL XXXL

I do not wish to receive a shirt

Pledge/Donation (check all that apply):

_____ I pledge \$_____ per hour/mile (circle one) driven.
We will send a pledge reminder at the end of the year.

_____ I would prefer to make a direct donation of \$_____.

_____ This donation is enclosed.

_____ I would like to donate by credit card. Please contact me.

_____ Please contact me in December 2017 about making this donation.



More About Virginia Agriculture in the Classroom

The mission of Agriculture in the Classroom (AITC) is to educate Virginia's children about the importance of agriculture.

AITC does this through:

- **Professional development** and resources for educators
- School **grants** for agriculturally themed projects
- **Awards** for teachers who successfully integrate agriculture into their classrooms
- An annual **Agriculture Literacy Project** reading program with industry volunteers
- Support for **volunteer initiatives**
- Connecting children to agriculture through **direct outreach** programs/events

Thank you for participating in the 2017 Tractors for Agriculture in the Classroom!

Checks can be made out to: Virginia Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom

Questions about our programming or how to become more involved?

Contact our staff: aitc@vafb.com or 804-290-1034

Visit our website for additional information: agintheclass.org

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Tractors for AITC

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