

May 14, 2026

Dr Theisinger,

This letter is a formal request to take a group of 8 students and 2 advisors to our annual FFA officer retreat. The purpose of this trip is to create a closer relationship with fellow officers and to have opportunities to enhance our teamwork and leadership skills, as well as planning all of this years FFA events. This year's trip is planned for Fox Lake, Wisconsin, in a cabin-like home that suits up to 13 people. It is about a 3-hour drive from Putnam County. We will be staying there for a total of three days, July 26th, 27th, and returning the 28th. While on this trip, we will be required, as a team, to create all of our meals, plan our activities on our own, and wake up and get ready each day, all with minimal assistance from our advisors. This gives us officers the unique opportunity to have a chance at adulthood and independence which creates bonds, leadership, and team building. In years past, this retreat has helped tremendously with the functionality of the officer team and we know it will this year as well. We would like to be able to take a minibus, which would be the only expense to this district.

Thank you for considering allowing the Putnam County FFA to take this trip. If you have any questions, please email: harrisk@pcschoools535.org

Sincerely,



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