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**Cisco College Hosts Career Developmental Events Invitational**

*Cisco, Texas - March 18, 2019* - On Tuesday, March 19th, Cisco College will be hosting its 5th annual Invitational Career Developmental Events (CDE) Contest. The event is organized by Agriculture Professor and meat judging team director, Brandi Terry. The event will see approximately 1,850 students from 123 FFA Chapters across Texas on the Cisco College campus in Cisco, Texas.

Students will participate in 14 events including: Ag Technology & Mechanical Systems, Cotton, Entomology, Farm Business Management, Land, Home Site Evaluation, Milk Quality & Products, Range Plant Identification, Range, Horse, Poultry, Veterinary Science, Wildlife, and Wool. The events will take place at various locations in Cisco such as the Cisco College campus, the Cisco College Rodeo Arena, and the Cisco High School Agriculture Building.

Check in will be from 6:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. at the Student Life Building on the Cisco College campus. Events will begin at their respective locations at 9:30 a.m. with the exception of the cotton and veterinary science contests. Cotton will begin at 8:00 a.m. and veterinary science will begin at 8:30 a.m. The awards ceremony will begin at 2:30 p.m. in the Cisco College Auditorium. There will be prizes including scholarships and Cisco College items, as well as Cisco College Invitational CDE banners. All participating students will receive a complementary t-shirt and one lucky agriculture teacher will win a YETI cooler.

For more information about this event or the Cisco College Agriculture Department, contact Brandi Terry at 325-794-4455 or via email at [brandi.terry@cisco.edu](mailto:brandi.terry@cisco.edu)

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### ***About Cisco College***

Since first admitting students in 1940, Cisco College has offered programs and activities intended to encourage lifelong learning and enhance the quality of life in the communities it serves.

As a member of the Texas state system of publicly supported institutions of higher education, Cisco College maintains an open-door admissions policy and provides an array of learning, skill development and life experiences to motivate and challenge students. Classes are offered at two primary locations, Cisco and Abilene, in addition to several other off-campus sites. The College strives to maintain a student/faculty ratio which facilitates close interaction between faculty and students.

Cisco College is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award Associate level degrees.