

**2026 CENTRAL SECTION
FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA**

California



**OFFICERS & ADVISERS
TRAINING (OAT) DAY**

REGISTRATION GUIDE

**Madera High School
200 S L St.
Madera, CA 93637**

September 26, 2026

2026 CENTRAL SECTION OFFICERS & ADVISERS TRAINING (OAT) DAY

- Who's invited?** Open to **chapter officers, prospective officers, any active members**, and **chapter advisers** from the Central Section and to prospective FBLA chapters
- When?** This training will take place on Saturday, September 26, at Madera High School. Conference check-in will start at 8:30AM with Opening Session starting at 9:15AM. The conference will conclude at approximately 2:00PM.
- Why?** This conference will help your chapter prepare for the FBLA year. Each person attending from the Central Section will also receive a certificate of achievement and the new California FBLA pin from the 2026 National Leadership Conference in San Antonio, TX.

What's going to be covered?

- Officer Duties and Responsibilities
- Business Achievement Awards—Individual & Chapter Recognition
- California State Projects and Initiatives
- Round Tables (bring and share your chapter success stories)
Fundraising, Membership Recruitment, School and Community Service, Competition, Running for Office, and Chapter Communication
- Website: cafbla.org and fbla.org

How to Attend?

Registration: Process ONLINE FORM (see info on next page) and send payment for attendees (includes meals & materials)

- Mail the Registration check (once invoice is received) as soon as possible – notify Jacob Avila if check will be sent after September 26
- **PAYMENT THIS YEAR - Mail Checks to – NEW ADDRESS**
California FBLA Finance
180 N. University Avenue Suite 270
Provo, Utah 84601

Please complete the Registration form by September 19 at 4PM

- Please contact Jacob Avila if you need to register after Sept. 20
- Please **DO NOT BRING CHECKS TO THE EVENT** – all checks need to be mailed to above address.

*****NEW*** Make check payable to *California FBLA*
*please include invoice with the check when you mail it.***

Dress Code—Business Casual- polo shirts – khakis - dress shoes **OR** School themed T-Shirts and appropriate school attire.

- Any Questions?** Feel free to contact Jacob Avila, Central Section FBLA Director
(559) 730-7736—before or after school
javila@cafbla.org — email me anytime you have questions

CENTRAL SECTION OFFICERS/ADVISERS TRAINING - REGISTRATION FORM

*****SAME PROCESS AS PREVIOUS YEARS*****

REGISTRATION PROCESS:

1. Copy the Google Sheet below and send completed sheet to Jacob Avila – javila@cafbla.org
2. Receive the final invoice via email from Jacob Avila once sheet is received
3. Process invoice with your school's finance office
4. Mail the registration check to the address listed below

REGISTRATION SUBMISSION:

This year the Registration for the 2026 Central Section OAT Day will take place utilizing an online form. Advisers will fill out this form to indicate attendance.

ONLINE REGISTRATION FORM:

[GOOGLE SHEET – Online Registration Form \(Click Here\)](#)

PAYMENT:

Once your Google Sheet registration is submitted, you (chapter adviser) will receive an invoice to use for processing payment. Once the invoice is received, please process payment in a timely manner so payment is mailed by **September 23**.

If any problems arise, please contact Jacob Avila to discuss other payment timeline.

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\$15 each –officers, members, and advisers

Email: javila@cafbla.org

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE - CS Officers'/Advisers' Training Day

Saturday, September 26, 2026 • Hosted by Madera High School FBLA

TIME	TOPIC / ACTIVITY	WHO'S PRESENTING	LOCATION
8:30-9:15am	Breakfast and Registration	All Officers and Advisers	Madera High School
9:15-9:30am (15 minutes)	OPENING SESSION Welcome (5 minutes) Icebreaker (10 minutes)	All Section Officers	TBD
9:35-9:55am (20 minutes)	OFFICER ROUND TABLES President Vice President Secretary & Treasurer Public Relations Historian / Parliamentarian Advisers (meet & greet in Cafeteria)	All Section Officers	TBD
10:00-10:10am (10 minutes)	BREAK		
10:10-11:10am (60 minutes)	GROUP WORKSHOPS	TBD	TBD
2 rotations (30 min. each)			
11:10-11:20am (10 minutes)	ICEBREAKER	All Section Officers	TBD
11:20-12:00pm (40 minutes)	LUNCH	All Officers	TBD
12:00-1:00pm (60 minutes)	ROUND TABLE TOPICS	TBD	TBD
3 rotations (20 min. each)			
1:00-1:40pm (40 minutes)	CHAPTER WORKING SESSION Champion Chapter / POW Goals (Service, Progress, Education) —On laptops/Chromebooks—	All Officers and Advisers	TBD
1:40-2:00pm (20 minutes)	CLOSING SESSION Graduation from OAT Day	All Officers and Advisers	TBD

2026-2027 CENTRAL SECTION LEADERSHIP TEAM

Sehrish Hirani, President
Jaquelin Mendoza, Vice President
Makayla Andrade, Secretary

Aidan Deniz, Treasurer
Patrick Bixler, Public Relations
Ricardo Alvarez-Hernandez, Historian/Parliamentarian

Mr. Jacob Avila, Director
Mr. Juan Del Toro, Adviser
Mr. Sam Vidal, Adviser
Mrs. Leticia Torres, Adviser
Mrs. Shannon Sill, Adviser