

AgLead XVI Schedule

AgLead XVI Program Schedule:

Participants are traveling across Texas and the nation to meet face-to-face with key political leaders, decision-makers and industry representatives.

Participants get an inside look at new production techniques that are transforming agriculture and talk with farmers and ranchers across the state, nation and globe through the following sessions.

Session 1 – Waco

February 2024 (4 days)

Orientation, Texas Farm Bureau, communication, leadership, technology

Session 2 – South Texas/Rio Grande Valley

May 2024 (4 days)

Water, border, immigration, Texas political process, communication, leadership, local issues, South Texas/Rio Grande Valley agriculture, international trade

Session 3 – Emerging Issues

August 2024 (5 days)

The group will research and identify agricultural issues happening across the county. They will then travel to the location to learn more and understand how these issues can and will affect Texas agriculture.

Session 4 – Southeast Texas

February 2025 (4 days)

Local agriculture, trade, service project, leadership, presentation skills

Session 5 – Washington, D.C.

April 2025 (4 days)

National government, priority issues, advocacy, political awareness, leadership, communication, foreign embassy

Session 6 – Capstone – Peru

August 10-17, 2025 (6 days)

This international experience is designed to bring together everything our participants have learned over the past two years—through immersive leadership development, global agricultural insights and real-world application.

Peru is a rising agricultural hub, known for its innovation, sustainability and export leadership in crops like coffee, avocados, and quinoa. The country offers a unique blend of traditional and modern farming practices, making it an ideal setting for global learning.

Graduation

December 2025 - TFB Annual Meeting