

**IMMEDIATE RELEASE****Case Farms Donates \$100,000 to the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics**

Donation will support the school's new campus in Morganton

Goldsboro, N.C. (November 12, 2019) –[Case Farms](http://www.casefarms.com), a local poultry farming and processing group, has made a \$100,000 donation to the North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics (NCSSM) to support the school's second campus in Morganton.

Case Farms' \$100,000 gift will help fund the development of the second campus that is set to open in 2021. The western campus will help provide a cutting-edge education for high schoolers across North Carolina.

"We are so grateful for Case Farms' investment in our new Morganton campus, which serves as another example of the incredible support we are receiving from the local community," said Kevin Baxter, Director of Western Campus Planning for NCSSM. "We are thrilled to build our new campus in Morganton, which will help bring more STEM opportunities to hundreds of students across the state and support economic development in the region."

Headquartered in Troutman, NC, Case Farms has a number of facilities around the Tar Heel State. "We are honored to help fund this new campus and support the school's vision of mentoring the next generation of leaders," said Charles Rigdon, senior vice president of operations at Case Farms. "Case Farms recognizes the importance of education and we hope our donation will help provide opportunities for students in this community and across North Carolina for years to come."

Founded in 1980 as the first of its kind, NCSSM is a two-year, public residential high school located in Durham, North Carolina. Their mission is to educate and inspire academically gifted students to become leaders in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) fields.

About Case Farms:

Founded in 1986, Case Farms is a fully integrated poultry farming and processing group of dedicated individuals that work together to produce consistent, quality poultry products. Its driving purpose is to deliver superior products and service to every customer, every time. Case Farms processes 3.3 million birds per week, has over 3,200 dedicated team members, and produces in excess of 1.0 billion pounds of fresh, partially cooked, and frozen-for-export poultry products per year. The company has operations or offices in Ohio and North Carolina. For more information on Case Farms, visit www.casefarms.com.

About NCSSM:

The North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics is a world-class public high school with statewide reach offering students the skills and knowledge to design their own future. Specializing in science, technology, engineering, and math, we challenge talented high school juniors and seniors from across North Carolina through a residential program on our historic campus in Durham — and beginning in 2021, on our second campus being built in Morganton. Our extensive online program and summer offerings extend our impact to every corner of the state and to younger students. We give back to our



communities through the time, talents, and resources of our world-class educators, dedicated staff, and students. Founded in 1980 as the first of its kind, NCSSM has become the model for 18 such specialized schools around the globe. Our 11,000-plus alumni include local and global leaders in medicine, technology, commerce, education, and the arts, a community of problem solvers who build a brighter future.

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