

**Virginia State University and
Fort Valley State University
Online FAMACHA© Certification Training
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Requirements for receiving FAMACHA© cards and certificate

1. Watch the FAMACHA©/Sustainable Integrated Parasite Management video at:
<https://youtu.be/Q8QKeC64-hE>
2. Email a short video of yourself conducting FAMACHA© eye score on a sheep, goat, llama or alpaca using the correct technique *COVER, PUSH, PULL POP* to
famachavideo@gmail.com. Please ensure that your video does not exceed 30 seconds.

A demonstration video can be found at: <https://youtu.be/I5rcuvVG56Q?t=1661>.

3. Complete the FAMACHA© training quiz at the link below. You will need to get a minimum of 70 points to pass. After completing your quiz, there will be a report showing which questions you answered correctly or not. If you do not make a 70, you will have to go back to the quiz link above and repeat it until you make a 70.

To take the quiz [click here](#) or cut and paste the following link into your browser:
http://vsu.az1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1U2IU6d6F14Akwl

4. Once your submitted video and quiz have been approved, your FAMACHA© card and certificate will be placed in the mail. Please send an email to famachavideo@gmail.com, whitleyn@fvsu.edu or dobrien@vsu.edu if you have not received your packet in 10 - 14 days after submission.

Additional resources that may be helpful for you:

- Video on how and why to do fecal egg counting: <https://youtu.be/I5rcuvVG56Q> and associated publication on how to do fecal egg counting:
https://web.uri.edu/sheepngoat/files/McMaster-Test_Final3.pdf
- Website with videos, fact sheets/best management practices, links, etc. on parasite management/control: www.wormx.info
- Website with many resources related to goat and sheep production:
www.sheepandgoat.com