



Joel White

GREAT BEND CO-OP INTERN
SUMMER 2019

EDUCATION

Joel will be a Junior at Fort Hays State University this Fall. Joel is Majoring in Ag Business with a Minor in Agronomy.

CAREER GOALS

Joel plans to graduate from Fort Hays State University and obtain a career somewhere in the agriculture industry. He would like to eventually move into full time farming.

BACKGROUND INFO

Joel grew up near Nickerson, Kansas on a family farm. He has always enjoyed the farming lifestyle that he grew up with.

ACTIVITIES

Joel is currently serving on the Student Advisory Board for Amercian Farm Credit.

WOULD YOU RECOMMEND GREAT BEND CO-OP'S INTERNSHIP TO OTHER STUDENTS?

Yes, Definitely

INTERNSHIP INFO

WHY DID YOU CHOOSE GREAT BEND CO-OP FOR YOUR INTERNSHIP?

"Great Bend Co-op seemed like a great fit for the internship I was seeking. They also were the first to offer the internship to me."

WHAT ARE YOUR JOB DUTIES?

Warehouse - organizing and helping with seed distribution
Test Plot - helping with planting, spraying, evaluating, and putting out signs

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE THING YOU DID OR LEARNED DURING YOUR INTERNSHIP WITH GREAT BEND CO-OP?

"Learning the seed business and looking at things from the perspective of the cooperative as opposed to looking at it from the farmer's point of view."

HOW DO YOU FEEL GREAT BEND CO-OP IS HELPING YOU ADVANCE TOWARD YOUR CAREER GOALS?

"Great Bend Co-op has given me great experience working for a successful company that is helping agriculture through extensive research and test plots."

