



## National FFA Organization National Chapter Awards Chapter Quality Standards

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The National Chapter Award program recognizes chapter's development and the use of a written Program of Activities (POA) that addresses quality standards in three divisions.

### **Division I - Student Development**

Includes personal and group activities that improve life skills and address quality standards in:

- **Leadership** activities that help the individual develop technical, human relations and decision-making skills to enhance personal growth.
- **Healthy lifestyle** activities that promote the well-being of students, mentally or physically, in achieving the positive evolution of the whole person.
- **Career Success** activities that promote student involvement and growth through agriculture related experience and/or entrepreneurship.
- **Scholarship** activities that develop a positive attitude toward lifelong learning experience.
- **Personal growth** activities are conducted that improve the identity and self-awareness of FFA members. These activities should reflect FFA members' unique talents and potential by reinforcing their human and employability skills. The activities should strive to enhance the quality of life and contribute to FFA members' life goals and development.

### **Division II - Chapter Development**

Includes activities that encourage students to work together and address quality standards in:

- **Chapter recruitment** activities conducted to increase agricultural education enrollment and/or FFA membership and encourage greater participation.
- **Financial** activities conducted to encourage thrift and good financial management among members through earnings, savings and investments.
- **Public relations** activities conducted to promote a positive image and inform students, parents, school officials and community about chapter and member accomplishments.
- **Cooperation** activities conducted to develop teamwork and cooperative skills among chapter officers, committees and members.
- **Support group** activities conducted to develop and maintain positive relations among the FFA, parents, community leaders and industry.

### **Division III - Community Development**

Includes cooperative activities with other groups that make the community a better place to live and work and address quality standards in:

- **Economic development** activities conducted to improve the economic welfare of the community.
- **Environmental** activities conducted to preserve the natural resources and develop more environmentally responsible individuals.
- **Human resources** activities conducted to improve the welfare and well-being of members and citizens of the community.
- **Citizenship** activities conducted to encourage members to become active, involved citizens of their school, community and country.
- **Agricultural promotion** activities are conducted to promote agriculture and/or agriculture education to help the public become better informed and understand the importance of agriculture in their daily life.