



## State FFA Degree Assessment/Interview

The purpose of the assessment/interview is to evaluate the State FFA Degree candidate's understanding of agriculture education and FFA from their involvement and experiences. The interview also should be a time to ask clarifying questions or get additional information as needed from their State Degree Application.

Use the questions below to assess State FFA Degree Candidates. Students who meet 14 "complete" responses out of 20 earn a 70% to meet minimum requirement for the State FFA Degree.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter \_\_\_\_\_

1. Why is it important to take agriculture classes? *Response notes:*

\_\_\_ Complete      \_\_\_ Not complete

2. Select 2 of the agriculture classes you took. For each one, tell us: what did you learn? What did you like/dislike about the class? *Response notes:*

Class 1 \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_ Complete      \_\_\_ Not complete

Class 2 \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_ Complete      \_\_\_ Not complete

3. Think about 2 laboratory activities you completed in agriculture classes. (*i.e. science based, welding, greenhouse, etc.*) Describe what they were and why they were important. *Response notes:*

Lab 1 \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_ Complete      \_\_\_ Not complete

Lab 2 \_\_\_\_\_      \_\_\_ Complete      \_\_\_ Not complete

4. In your own words, describe what being in FFA means to you. *Response notes:*

\_\_\_ Complete      \_\_\_ Not complete



5. Think about competitive events you have been in (LDEs, CDEs, ASF, proficiency award, etc). Describe 2 you have been involved in and explain what you learned. *Response notes:*

Competitive Event 1 \_\_\_\_\_  Complete  Not complete

Competitive Event 2 \_\_\_\_\_  Complete  Not complete

6. Think about Community Service activities you participated in. Pick 2 and describe what you did and what you learned. *Response notes:*

Community Service 1 \_\_\_\_\_  Complete  Not complete

Community Service 2 \_\_\_\_\_  Complete  Not complete

7. Select 2 FFA activities you participated in as a member. Describe each activity and why you enjoyed it. *Response notes:*

FFA Activity 1 \_\_\_\_\_  Complete  Not complete

FFA Activity 2 \_\_\_\_\_  Complete  Not complete

8. Explain your plans after high school graduation. *Response notes:*

Complete  Not complete

9. What are your career goals? *Response notes:*

Complete  Not complete

10. Describe your SAE(s) *Response notes:*

Complete  Not complete



11. Describe three skills you learned from your SAE(s). *Response notes:*

Skill 1 \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_ Complete                      \_\_\_ Not complete

Skill 2 \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_ Complete                      \_\_\_ Not complete

Skill 3 \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_ Complete                      \_\_\_ Not complete

12. What are two things you did (*marketing plan, diversification, purchase equipment etc*) to make your SAE be more successful. *Response notes:*

Item 1 \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_ Complete                      \_\_\_ Not complete

Item 2 \_\_\_\_\_                      \_\_\_ Complete                      \_\_\_ Not complete

Score:

\_\_\_\_\_ Complete out of 20      **Need to score 14/20 for 70%**

**End of Assessment**

Ask any follow up questions from application and/or address discrepancies from manual review.