

OKLAHOMA FFA ASSOCIATION EXHIBITS AND CONTESTS

ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY

1. Youth who have been declared ineligible to participate in extracurricular activities by their local school administration will be declared ineligible to participate in this show.
2. Youth who are eligible on the first day of the show will be considered eligible through the duration of the show. Similarly, youth who are ineligible on the first day of the show will be considered ineligible through the duration of the show.
3. If an exhibitor is ineligible to participate in the show for any reason, including rules of the Oklahoma Secondary Schools Activity Association, the animals and other exhibits owned by the exhibitor are also ineligible for the show.
4. Ineligible youth who participate in the show will forfeit all show and/or sale premiums and awards; and will be subject to disciplinary action as provided by the local school policies.
5. It will be the responsibility of the local school administration to notify the show management if a particular student is ineligible to participate.

SECTION 400 - FFA EDUCATIONAL BOOTHS

CLASSES

1. Mechanical
2. Non-Mechanical
3. Overall Champion Educational Booth
4. Overall Reserve Champion Educational Booth

1. Purpose: To promote the benefits of enrolling in Agricultural Education and joining FFA. Booth will be of the type that could be used in a variety of settings, such as FFAWeek booths, shopping center displays, local fairs, etc.
2. Booth will consist of a 6' table top display. The table must be a standard height (approximately 32" inches) and 28" to 34" wide. The display board will be constructed of a 4' x 8' sheet of 1/2" or 5/8" plywood. The board is to be cut and hinged to consist of two 2' wings and a 4' center back. The table will **NOT** be provided and must be 6' in length. **Absolutely no part of the display is to extend past the left, right or front sides of the six-foot table. Tabletop displays that are more than 6' tall above the table and are "top heavy" may be discounted in the scoring process or disqualified.**
3. All tables **must** be **skirted to the floor**. It is recommended that the back side of the display board be dark in color.
4. Tables will NOT be provided by the Fair. The chapter is responsible for bringing their own table and covering the top of the table and skirting the table on three sides from table top to floor. Electrical outlets will be provided, pending availability, an extension cord may be required and will NOT be provided. Due to space limitations, only a standard 6' folding table will be allowed to be used.
5. The current National FFA theme must be utilized. The Local Chapter name must be displayed.
6. Booth space will be assigned by the Superintendent upon arrival. Booths not meeting requirements nor following guidelines (size, theme, division, etc.) may be disqualified from the competition and/or removed from display area.
7. Booths will be divided into two divisions. The **Mechanical Division** will include booths with a moving display involving powered devices. Examples may include water wheels, fans, rotating devices, talking booths and electronic devices. The **Non-Mechanical Division** includes booths with no powered displays. Non-mechanical booths may include lights that do not flash, move, or rotate. Chapters can enter in one division only.
8. Scorecard for Educational Booths:

PROMOTES BENEFITS OF AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AND FFA (50 PTS)

- a. Promotes one of the three components: Classroom, SAE, Leadership 30pts.
- b. Central Theme: Current National FFA Theme 20pts.

APPEARANCE (50 PTS)

- a. Attention 10pts.
- b. Interest 10pts.
- c. Creativity 10pts.
- d. Neatness 10pts.
- e. Organization 10pts.

TOTAL POINTS

100pts.

SECTIONS 402 - 417 FFA CROP EXHIBITS

Superintendent: TBD

• Exhibitors are limited to one exhibit in each class. Only 5 entries per school per class in the following sections: •

SECTION 402 – FFA HAY SHOW

• SECTION 403 - FFA CORN EXHIBIT

• SECTION 404 - FFA GRAIN SORGHUM & SUNFLOWER HEAD EXHIBIT

• SECTION 405 - FFA COTTON EXHIBIT

• SECTION 406 - FFA THRESHED WHEAT EXHIBIT

• SECTION 407 - FFA OTHER THRESHED GRAIN EXHIBIT

• SECTION 408 - FFA LEGUME SEED EXHIBIT

• Any exhibits not displayed will be released at the completion of judging.

• Exhibitor's name and chapter must be on entry tag. All entries must be listed in entry book and exhibit tagged.

• Exhibitors are responsible for providing their own grain boxes. A recommended size is 8" x 14" with a glass cover.

Any crop exhibit not in a grain box will not be displayed after judging. Information for constructing a grain box can be found at www.okffa.org under the "Fairs and Shows" link.

• **Entries are for individual FFA members only and must be a product of their own Supervised Agricultural Experience program and should be a product of their own production; not purchased, borrowed, leased or received through gift.**

SECTION 402 - FFA HAY SHOW

1. Classes of hay will include legume and non-legume. One bale will constitute an entry. The bale may be broken by the judge for evaluation purposes. Bales must be rectangular or small round bales. No large round bales.

2. Bales may be displayed outside for the duration of fair, or sprayed with fire retardant.

3. Protein analysis will not be used as criteria for judging.

4. Factors considered by the judge will include maturity, texture, leafiness, freedom from foreign material, color, size and shape of bales, odor and freedom from mold.

CLASSES

1. Legume
2. Non-Legume
3. **Grand Champion Hay Exhibit**
4. **Reserve Champion Hay Exhibit**

SECTION 403 - FFA CORN EXHIBIT

(Ten Ears per Entry)

Will be judged on freedom from disease and damage; maturity and plumpness of kernels; normal filling of tips and butts of ears; and uniformity within the entry with regard to size, shape, kernel, type, and color of cob.

CLASSES

1. Corn (10ears)
2. **Champion Corn Exhibit**
3. **Reserve Champion Corn Exhibit**

SECTION 404 - FFA GRAIN SORGHUM & SUNFLOWER HEAD EXHIBIT

Will be judged on maturity and dryness; freedom from disease, damage and weather effects; uniformity within the entry of type, size, shape and color; and care in preparation for showing.

CLASSES

1. Yellow & White colored variety or hybrid (10 Sorghum heads per entry)
2. Reddish colored variety or hybrid (10 Sorghum heads per entry)
3. Sunflower (2 Sunflower heads per entry)
4. **Champion Grain Sorghum or Sunflower Exhibit**
5. **Reserve Champion Grain Sorghum or Sunflower Exhibit**

SECTION 405 - FFA COTTON EXHIBIT

(Twenty Open Bolls per Entry)

Will be judged on amount and quality of lint; freedom from disease, insect damage, and foreign material; uniformity, number of locks and length of stem; and care in preparation for showing (removal of bracts, lint condition, and suitable box or tray.)

CLASSES

1. Any variety (one inch or longer)
2. **Champion Cotton Exhibit**
3. **Reserve Champion Cotton Exhibit**

SECTION 406 - FFA THRESHED WHEAT EXHIBIT

(One Peck — 15 Pounds)

Will be judged on freedom from disease, damage, trash, other crops, and weed seeds; and grain quality (plumpness, color and texture, kernel uniformity). Entries must be sieved, cleaned and hand-picked to score high.

Entries less than one peck, and entries in different classes by the same exhibitor which are found to be divisions of an identical lot, will be disqualified. Note – Name of wheat variety must accompany each entry. See fact sheet to determine the proper entry class.

<http://pods.dasnr.okstate.edu/docushare/dsweb/Get/Document-9972/PSS-2168.pdf>

CLASSES

1. Very early and early maturity varieties
2. Medium maturity varieties
3. Late and very late maturity varieties
4. Other varieties (not listed such as white wheat)
5. **Champion Wheat Exhibit**
6. **Reserve Champion Wheat Exhibit**

SECTION 407 - FFA OTHER THRESHED GRAIN EXHIBIT

(One Peck — 15 Pounds)

Will be judged on same basis as threshed wheat. Entries less than one peck, and entries by two or more exhibitors in the same class which are found to be divisions of an identical lot will be disqualified.

CLASSES

1. Oats
2. Barley
3. Rye
4. Grain Sorghum
5. Corn
6. Canola
7. Any Other Threshed Grain
8. **Champion, Other Threshed Grain**
9. **Reserve Champion, Other Threshed Grain**
10. **Grand Champion, Threshed Grain (selected from Sections 406 & 407)**
11. **Res. Grand Champion, Threshed Grain (selected from Sections 406 & 407)**

SECTION 408 - FFA LEGUME SEED EXHIBIT

(One Peck — 15 Pounds)

Will be judged on color and brightness and on freedom from disease, damage, trash, other crops, and weed seed. Entries less than one peck will be disqualified.

SMALL SEEDED LEGUMES

CLASSES

1. Alfalfa
2. Other Small Seeded Legumes
3. **Champion Small Seeded Legume Exhibit**
4. **Reserve Champion Small Seeded Legume Exhibit**

LARGE SEEDED LEGUMES

CLASSES

5. Soybeans
6. Cowpeas
7. Mungbeans
8. Peanuts (in shell)
9. Other Large Seeded Legumes
- 10. Champion Large Seeded legumes Exhibit**
- 11. Reserve Champion Large Seeded Legumes Exhibit**
- 12. Grand Champion Legume Seed**
- 13. Reserve Grand Champion Legume Seed**

SECTION 410 - FFA TAME FORAGE GRASS EXHIBIT

Bundle must be not less than 3 inches but no more than 5 inches at center band when cut near the ground. Should be cured (dry) before forming bundle. Will be judged on feeding value (green color, leafiness, fineness of stem, and best stage of maturity for each kind) and preparation of bundle, including neatness, cleanliness, uniformity and overall appearance. Undersized bundles, and wet or moldy bundles, will be disqualified. If Superintendent or judge deems that any bundle is old, from previous years, or is masked (New leaves over old) the Supt. has the right to disqualify the bundle.

CLASSES

1. Short Fine-stemmed Tame Forage Grass Bundle (Bermuda grass, Crabgrass, etc)
2. Tall Fine-stemmed Tame Forage Grass Bundle (OldWorld Bluestem, Weeping Lovegrass, Tall Fescue, Ryegrass, German Millet, etc.)
3. Coarse-stemmed Tame Forage Grass Bundle (Forage Sorghum, Sudangrass, or Sudangrass, X Sorghum Hybrids or Pearl Millets)
- 4. Champion Tame Grass Forage Exhibit**
- 5. Reserve Champion Tame Grass Forage Exhibit**

SECTION 411 - FFA LEGUME FORAGE EXHIBIT

(One Bundle)

Bundle must be not less than 3 inches but no more than 5 inches at center band when cut near the ground. Should be cured (dry) before forming bundle. Will be judged on feeding value (green color, leafiness, fineness of stem, and best stage of maturity for each kind) and preparation of bundle, including neatness, cleanliness, uniformity and overall appearance. Undersized bundles, and wet or moldy bundles, will be disqualified. If Superintendent or judge deems that any bundle is old, from previous years, or is masked (New leaves over old) the Supt. has the right to disqualify the bundle.

CLASSES

1. Fine-stemmed Forage Legume Bundle (Alfalfa, Sweet clover, Lespedeza, Vetch)
2. Coarse-stemmed Forage legume Bundle (Soybean, Cowpea, Peanut)
- 3. Champion Legume Forage Bundle Exhibit**
- 4. Reserve Champion legume Forage Bundle Exhibit**
- 5. Grand Champion Legume-Tame Forage Bundle (selected from sections 410 &411)**
- 6. Reserve Grand Champion Legume-Tame Forage Bundle (selected from sections 410 &411)**

SECTION 412 - FFA NATIVE GRASS EXHIBIT

(One Bundle)

Should be headed but not ripe enough to shatter, and shown full length (cut near the ground). Bundle should be not less than 3 inches or more than 5 inches at center band. Should be cured (dried) before forming bundle. Each bundle will be considered on basis of early stage of maturity, leafiness, and green color; and on preparation and appearance of bundle. Undersized and oversized bundles and wet or moldy bundles will be disqualified. If Superintendent or judge deems that any bundle is old, from previous years, or is masked (New leaves over old) the Supt. has the right to disqualify the bundle.

CLASSES

1. Little Bluestem
2. Sand Lovegrass
3. Sideoats Grama

4. Blue Grama or Hairy Grama
5. **Champion Medium or Short Native Grass Exhibit**
6. **Reserve Champion Medium or Short Native Grass Exhibit**

TALL NATIVE GRASS BUNDLE

7. Big Bluestern or Sandhill Bluestern
8. Indiangrass
9. Switchgrass
10. Purpletop
11. Any other Native Grass
12. **Champion Tall Native Grass Exhibit**
13. **Reserve Champion Tall Native Grass Exhibit**
14. **Grand Champion Native Grass Exhibit** (section 412)
15. **Reserve Grand Champion Native Grass Exhibit** (section 412)

SECTION 413 - PASTURE AND RANGE PLANT DISPLAY EXHIBIT

These displays consist of ten representative plants mounted on light boards 3 feet square, strong enough to stand upright. Any other size will result in disqualification. The plants should be cut to prevent any part of the plant from extending beyond the edge of the board. Grasses and other fine-stemmed plants may be shown as bundles not to exceed one inch in diameter, and single plants that are heavy-stemmed or bushy may be used. Plants should be headed and in bloom or seed stage but not ripe enough to shatter. Label with common name (see approved lists for FFA identification contests). **The exhibitor's name and address must be placed on the back of the board in addition to the entry tag.** Displays will be judged on choice of species; quality of samples (green, color, leafiness, dryness and stage maturity); neatness and arrangement of samples in general appearance of display; and correctness and readability of labels. Entries which are found to be identical as a result of group preparation will be disqualified. Chapters are limited to 5 boards per category. The top 5 in each division will be displayed.

CLASSES

1. Tame Pasture Grass and Legume Plant Display (Grades 8-9-10) — Consists of Ten Introduced Pasture Grasses and Legumes Commonly Planted for Grazing Purposes
2. Tame Pasture Grass and Legume Plant Display (Grades 11-12) — Consists of Ten Introduced Pasture Grasses and Legumes Commonly Planted for Grazing Purposes
3. Native Range Plants (Grades 8-9-10) — Consists of Ten Native Plants (Grasses, Legumes, and Forbs) Representative of Native Prairie Mixtures
4. Native Range Plants (Grades 11-12) — Consists of Ten Native Plants (Grasses, Legumes, and Forbs) Representative of Native Prairie Mixtures
5. **Champion Tame Pasture Grass and Legume Display**
6. **Reserve Champion Tame Pasture Grass and Legume Display**
7. **Champion Native Range Plant Display**
8. **Reserve Champion Native Range Plant Display**
9. **Grand Champion Pasture and Range Display**
10. **Reserve Grand Champion Pasture and Range Display**

SECTIONS 415 - 420 - FFA HORTICULTURE

Superintendent: Debby Golden

These exhibits must be Supervised Agricultural Experience program projects of the FFA members who exhibit in this department. All fruits and vegetables exhibited must be grown by the exhibitor must be a product of their own Supervised Agricultural Experience program; not purchased, borrowed, leased or received through gift. Pecans (large type in shell) exhibited in clear quart-size plastic bags only. Only one exhibit allowed in each class per individual. There are no chapter exhibits in this division, only individual exhibits. Exhibitor name and chapter must be on entry tag. All entries must be listed in entry book and exhibits tagged. **Any exhibit not properly identified will be automatically disqualified.** Exhibits of over-ripe and poor quality will not be judged. All measurements and sizes specified are approximate according to industry standards. All exhibits must not have been exhibited previously at the Tulsa State Fair. The Superintendent reserves the right to not display any exhibits. Exhibits which are showing signs of stress or damage may be removed with approval of the Superintendent. Exhibitors provide their own containers for exhibits. **All edible horticulture exhibits will be donated to an area food bank or other charitable group if possible, and may not be displayed based on the decision of the superintendent.** Ribbons will be placed on the top 10 in each class.

CLASSES

1. Potatoes, White or Red, 4 specimens
2. Okra, 6 specimens
3. Onions, Yellow, White or Red, 4 specimens
4. Eggplant, 2 specimens
5. Pepper (Jalapeno or Hungarian Wax), 6 specimens
6. Pepper (Other Hot Peppers), 6 specimens
7. Pepper (Sweet Bell), 6 specimens
8. Pepper (Sweet Banana), 6 specimens
9. Pepper (Other Sweet), 6 specimens
10. Tomatoes (Large type), 4 specimens
11. Tomatoes (Cherry type), 6 specimens
12. **Champion (Classes 1-11)**
13. **Reserve Champion (Classes 1-11)**
14. Pumpkin, Field Type (Oblong), 1
15. Pumpkin, Jack-O-Lantern (Round and flat), 1
16. Pumpkin, Small (Less than 4" in diameter), 2
17. Cucumbers, Slicing or Pickling, 2 specimens
18. Squash, any variety, 2
19. Watermelon, Oblong Type 1
20. Watermelon, Round Type 1
21. Any Melon Other Than Watermelon, 1
22. Gourd, Ornamental, Large 1
23. Gourd, Ornamental, Small 2
24. **Champion (Classes 14-23)**
25. **Reserve Champion (Classes 14-23)**
26. Ornamental peppers, 6 specimens
27. Corn, Ornamental, 4 ears
28. Pecans (native or improved), 18 specimens in quart-size plastic bag
29. Apples, (Red, Yellow or Green) 4
30. Pears, 4
31. **Champion (Classes 26-30)**
32. **Reserve Champion (Classes 26-30)**

HOME GARDEN FOOD BASKET DISPLAY

This exhibit is a quality selection of from 4 to 10 different kinds and/or varieties of mature fruits and/or vegetables. Amounts of fruits and vegetables in this exhibit should be such that they can be arranged in a neat and orderly manner and have good eye appeal. There must be enough of each fruit or vegetable for the judge to determine quality. Only one exhibit allowed in each class per individual.

All fruits and vegetables exhibited must be grown by the exhibitor and must be a product of their own Supervised Agricultural Experience program. No specimens in this exhibit may be entered in another class. Any combination of fruits and vegetables may be used. Those not listed in the catalog may be included. The exhibit must be in a basket no larger than 18 inches. It may be covered with a clear plastic cover but judges must be able to handle produce to determine quality. One-third (1/3) of the judging will be on how well the exhibit is prepared and presented. Packing such as paper, straw or cloth may be used, but the fruits and vegetables should be the main attraction of the exhibit. All edible horticulture exhibits will be donated to an area food bank or other charitable group if possible, and may not be displayed based on the decision of the superintendent. Ribbons will be placed on top ten (10) in each class.

CLASSES

33. Home Garden Basket
34. **Grand Champion Vegetable or Fruit Exhibit (section 415)**
35. **Reserve Grand Champion Vegetable or Fruit Exhibit (section 415)**

SECTION 416 - FFA HORTICULTURE EDUCATIONAL DISPLAY EXHIBITS

FFA HERBARIUM CARDS

These exhibits shall consist of dried and pressed specimens of leaves and other specified parts of native or cultivated trees, vines and/or shrubs. Each complete leaf specimen should be mounted on a separate 8 1/2" x 11" herbarium card available through CIMC, or printed on card stock from www.okffa.org (under the "Participate" link.) All information areas should be enclosed in a notebook or binder. Each specimen should be covered with a transparent plastic or similar covering to protect it from damage. Quality of exhibit including spelling will be considered. **CARDS MUST BE DATED AND NUMBERED, WITH NAME, CHAPTER AND ADDRESS ON INSIDE BACK COVER. There must be a Table of Contents in the front of the book. Everything (cover, table of contents) can be computer**

generated **EXCEPT** the information on the herbarium cards. The information on the Herbarium Cards must be hand written in ink.

The top 5 books in each class will be displayed. Only one Herbarium Collection allowed per individual. Exhibit cards in a plain one-inch (1") size hardback notebook for classes 1 & 2 or a plain two-inch (2") size hardback notebook for classes 3 & 4 with one (1) FFA emblem and the lettering "FFA Herbarium Cards" on the front only. Ribbons will be placed on top ten (10) in each class.

CLASSES

1. Grades 8 and 9 — Collection of 20 Specimens with all information completed
2. Grade 10 — Collection of 25 Specimens with all information completed
3. Grade 11 — Collection of 30 Specimens with all information completed
4. Grade 12 — Collection of 35 Specimens with all information completed
5. **Champion Herbarium Card Display** (Classes 1-4)
6. **Reserve Champion Herbarium Card Display** (Classes 1-4)

FFA PLANT LIFE CYCLE DISPLAY EXHIBIT

This drawing should show all different stages of growth of a pepper plant (seed, seedling, vegetative, flowering and mature). Additional stages of growth may be displayed if it adds to the exhibit. Each stage of growth should be indicated. Colors should be as near as possible to natural colors. Special characteristics for identification should also be labeled. **Drawing must include the title "Life Cycle of the Pepper." Use a half sheet of white poster board (finished size approx. 22" x 14"), or half sheet of white foam or mat board (finished size approx. 20" x15") to be displayed for landscape view. The student's name, chapter and grade MUST be included on the backside of the poster.** Only one exhibit allowed in each class per individual. The top 3-5 drawings will be displayed.

CLASS

7. Plant Life Cycle Display Grade 8
8. Plant Life Cycle Display Grades 9-10
9. **Champion Plant Life Cycle Display Drawing** (Classes 7-8)
10. **Reserve Champion Plant Life Cycle Display Drawing** (Classes 7-8)

LANDSCAPE DRAWINGS

Landscape drawings must be full color and drawn horizontally. Download template from www.okffa.org and print on a sheet of legal sized (8 ½ " x 14") white paper. Finished drawing must be a half sheet of black poster board (finished size approx. 22" x 14"), or half sheet of black foam or mat board (finished size approx. 20" x15") to be displayed for landscape view. Only one exhibit allowed in each class per individual.

Home Landscape Drawing

Download template from www.okffa.org and print on a sheet of legal sized (8 ½ " x 14") white paper. Finished drawing must be mounted on a half sheet of black poster board (approximate finished size approx. 22" x 14"), or a half sheet of black foam or mat board (approximate finished size approx. 20" x15") to be displayed for landscape view. At the top, label the display "Home Landscape Drawing." On the right side of the foam board include a 2" x no more than 11" key/legend that must contain the following information: Scale, symbols of plants, numbers representing trees, shrubs, and plants (including the number of each used in the landscape). At the bottom of the key/legend include Name, Chapter and Date. Additionally, a narrative that further describes the drawing may be included on the back, but is limited to 1 page, typed double spaced in 12 point font.

CLASS

11. Grades 8-10
12. Grades 11-12
13. **Champion Home Landscape Drawing** (Classes 11-12)
14. **Reserve Champion Home Landscape Drawing** (Classes 11-12)

Water Feature Landscape Drawing

Download template from www.okffa.org and print on a sheet of legal sized (8 ½ " x 14") white paper. Finished drawing must be mounted on a half sheet of black poster board (approximate finished size approx. 22" x 14"), or a half sheet of black foam or mat board (approximate finished size approx. 20" x15") to be displayed for landscape view. At the top, label the display "Water Feature Landscape Drawing." On the right side of the foam board include a 2" x no more than 11" key/legend that must contain the following information: Scale, symbols of plants, numbers representing trees, shrubs, and plants (including the number of each used in the landscape). At the bottom of the key/legend include Name, Chapter and Date. Additionally, a narrative that further describes the drawing may be included on the back, but is limited to 1 page, typed double spaced in 12 point font.

CLASS

15. Grades 8-10
16. Grades 11-12
17. **Champion Water Feature Landscape Drawing** (Classes 15-16)
18. **Reserve Champion Water Feature Landscape Drawing** (Classes 15-16)

Gazebo Landscape Drawing

Download template from www.okffa.org and print on a sheet of legal sized (8 ½" x 14") white paper. Finished drawing must be mounted on a half sheet of black poster board (approximate finished size approx. 22" x 14"), or a half sheet of black foam or mat board (approximate finished size approx. 20" x 15") to be displayed for landscape view. At the top, label the display "Gazebo Landscape Drawing." On the right side of the foam board include a 2" x no more than 11" key/legend that must contain the following information: Scale, symbols of plants, numbers representing trees, shrubs, and plants (including the number of each used in the landscape). At the bottom of the key/legend include Name, Chapter and Date. Additionally, a narrative that further describes the drawing may be included on the back, but is limited to 1 page, typed double spaced in 12 point font.

CLASS

19. Grades 8-10
20. Grades 11-12
21. **Champion Gazebo Landscape Drawing** (Classes 19-20)
22. **Reserve Champion Gazebo landscape Drawing** (Classes 19-20)

Miniature Greenhouses

Size approx. 14" x 21", mounted on plywood 16" x 24" painted white; on a white card 2" x 2" neatly print name and chapter (3/8" to 1/2" letters) and attach to one side of greenhouse. It must be accompanied by a graphic design plan showing climate control system, irrigation system, placement of benches and tables, etc. Plan should be on 8 1/2" x 11" paper enclosed in a plastic cover. No mechanical or electrical moving parts will be allowed. An article can be shown only once at the Tulsa State Fair and must have been constructed during the previous two school years. The student's name, chapter and grade MUST be visible.

CLASS

23. Grades 8-10
24. Grades 11-12
25. **Champion** (Classes 23-24)
26. **Reserve Champion** (Classes 23-24)
27. **Grand Champion Educational Exhibits** (Section 416)
28. **Reserve Grand Champion Educational Exhibits** (Section 416)

SECTION 417 - FFA HOUSE PLANT EXHIBITS

1. All plants must have been in possession of exhibitor for at least 60 days. Limit of one entry per student per class.
2. **No more than 5 live plants per chapter per class.**
3. One container per entry.
4. Judging will be based on color, condition, container, foliage and/or flower, correct name, culture, quality, maturity, and shape.
5. Plants must be groomed for exhibition. Clean with water only. Insect free and not waxed or polished. No freshly repotted plants. Plants with insect/pest present may be disqualified and/or removed from exhibition.
6. Pots OVER approximately 12" in diameter or containers not intended for horticultural use WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
7. One entry per exhibitor for each class. Entries must be recorded official entry list and each entry must be tagged to be judged.
8. No plant over 4 feet tall not-including pot shall be entered. Hanging plants should not hang longer than 6 feet from top of container

CLASSES

1. Croton
2. Dumbcane
3. Dracaena
4. Rubber Plant
5. Philodendron
6. Pothos

7. Nephthytis (arrowhead vine)
 8. Schefflera
 9. Weeping Fig
 10. Any Other Foliage Plant, under 24"
 11. Any Other Foliage Plant 24" to 48"
 - 12. Champion Foliage Plant (Classes 1-11)**
 - 13. Reserve Champion Foliage Plant (Classes 1-11)**
- POTTED FLOWERING PLANT**
14. Chrysanthemum
 15. African Violet
 16. Begonia
 17. Geranium
 18. Peace Lily
 19. Any other blooming plant
 20. Multiple varieties (2 or more flowering plants)
 - 21. Champion Potted Flowering Plant (Classes 14-20)**
 - 22. Reserve Potted Flowering Plant (Classes 14-20)**
- CACTI AND SUCCULENTS**
23. Cacti under 10" tall
 24. Cacti over 10" tall
 25. Succulents under 10" tall (not cactus)
 26. Succulents over 10" tall (not cactus)
 27. Multiple varieties (2 or more cactus and/or succulents)
 28. Aloe Vera
 29. Snake Plant
 30. Bromeliad
 - 31. Champion Cacti/Succulent (Classes 23-30)**
 - 32. Reserve Champion Cacti/Succulent (Classes 23-30)**
- HANGING BASKETS**
33. Asparagus Fern
 34. Boston Fern
 35. Airplane Plant (spider)
 36. Swedish Ivy
 37. Jews Small Leaf (one variety)
 38. Jews Large Leaf (one variety)
 39. Philodendrons or Pothos
 40. Nephthytis
 41. Any Other Fern
 42. Any Other Hanging Basket
 43. Multiple varieties combine (2 or more)
 - 44. Champion Hanging Basket (Classes 33-43)**
 - 45. Reserve Champion Hanging Basket (Classes 33-43)**
- POTTED PLANTS**
46. Ornamental Pepper (with peppers)
 47. Unique Potted Plant (any rare or unusual plant, specify variety)
 48. Any Other Potted Plant (under 18")
 49. Any Other Potted Plant (over 18")
 50. **Champion Potted Plant (Classes 46-51)**
 51. **Reserve Champion Potted Plant (Classes 46-51)**
 52. **Grand Champion House Plant (Section 417)**
 53. **Reserve Grand Champion House Plant (Section 417)**

SECTION 418 - FLORAL OR PLANT DESIGN PLANT DESIGN

ENCLOSED TERRARIUMS

Small Enclosed Terrariums should be approximately one (1) gallon in size. Large Enclosed Terrariums should be approximately two to five gallons in size. **No succulents or cacti should be in enclosed terrariums!**

1. Small Enclosed - Grades 8-10

2. Small Enclosed - Grades 11-12
3. Large Enclosed – Grades 8 -12
4. **Champion Enclosed Terrariums (Classes 1-3)**
5. **Reserve Champion Enclosed Terrariums (Classes 1-3)**

OPEN TERRARIUMS

Small Open Terrariums should be approximately one (1) gallon in size. Large Enclosed Terrariums should be approximately two to five gallons in size.

6. Small Enclosed - Grades 8-10
7. Small Enclosed - Grades 11-12
8. Large Enclosed – Grades 8 -12
9. **Champion Open Terrariums (Classes 1-3)**
10. **Reserve Champion Open Terrariums (Classes 1-3)**

DISH GARDEN OR CREATIVE PLANT DISPLAY

11. Foliage or blooming dish garden (3 specimens or more)
12. Cacti or/and Succulent dish garden (3 specimens or more)
13. Other Creative Plant Display
14. **Champion Plant Display (Classes 11-13)**
15. **Reserve Champion Plant Display (Classes 11-13)**

FLORAL DESIGN

All materials used in exhibits must contain dried or artificial materials only. Any arrangement with any artificial material will be classified artificial.

DECORATED PUMPKINS

1 and only 1 decorated (not carved) pumpkin. No gourds. No other pumpkins or gourds can be attached. Pumpkin cannot have attachments that break the skin. No artificial pumpkins.

16. Grade 8 (decorated not carved)
17. Grade 9 (decorated not carved)
18. Grade 10 (decorated not carved)
19. Grades 11-12 (decorated not carved)
20. **Champion Pumpkin (Classes 16-19)**
21. **Reserve Champion Terrarium/Pumpkin (Classes 16-19)**

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (DRIED, NATURAL - Up to approximately 24" in size)

22. Dried/Natural Grades 8-10
23. Dried/Natural Grades 11-12

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (ARTIFICIAL - Up to approximately 24" in size)

24. Artificial, Grades 8 and 9
25. Artificial, Grade 10 and 11
26. Artificial, Grade 12

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (SEASONAL OR OCCASIONAL - Up to approximately 24" in size)

27. Seasonal or occasional, Grades 8 and 9
28. Seasonal or occasional, Grade 10 and 11
29. Seasonal or occasional, Grade 12

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (NOVELTY - Up to approximately 24" in size) Accessory in the arrangement must tie to the container to be considered novelty

30. Novelty Arrangement, Grades 8, 9 and 10
31. Novelty Arrangement, Grades 11 and 12
32. Wedding Bouquet
33. Wedding Arrangement (table size only)
34. **Champion Floral Arrangement (Classes 22-33).**
35. **Reserve Champion Floral Arrangement (Classes 22-33)**

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (CORSAGE)

36. Shoulder (dried)
37. Wristlet

38. Shoulder (Artificial) Grades 8, 9 & 10
39. Shoulder (Artificial) Grades 11 & 12
40. FFA Week
41. Homecoming (artificial) Grades 8, 9 & 10
42. Homecoming (artificial) Grades 11 & 12

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (BOUTONNIERE)

43. Artificial Grades 8, 9 & 10
44. Artificial Grades 11 & 12
45. **Champion Corsage/Boutonniere (Classes 36-44)**
46. **Reserve Champion Corsage/Boutonniere (Classes 36-44)**

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (WREATHS -DRIED, NATURAL - Up to approximately 24" in size)

47. Dried Natural

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (WREATHS- ARTIFICIAL - Up to approximately 24" in size)

48. Artificial, Grades 8 and 9
49. Artificial, Grade 10 and 11
50. Artificial, Grade 12

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (WREATHS - SEASONAL - Up to approximately 24" in size)

51. Seasonal or occasional, Grades 8, 9 and 10
52. Seasonal or occasional, Grades 11 and 12

FLORAL ARRANGEMENT (WALL OR DOOR SWAGS)

53. Dried/Natural
54. Artificial

DECORATIVE NON-FLORAL

55. Decorative Non-Floral Wreath/Swag
56. **Champion Wreath/Swag (Classes 47-55)**
57. **Reserve Champion Wreath/Swag (Classes 47-55)**
58. **Grand Champion Floral or Plant Design (Section 418)**
59. **Reserve Grand Champion Floral or Plant Design (Section 418)**

SECTION 419 - OKLAHOMA LANDSCAPE PLANTS

Flowering shrubs and foliage shrubs. A member may enter only one (1) exhibit per class. Shrubs in 4" to 6" pots, trees in one (1) gallon nursery container or smaller. No freshly re-potted plants. **Propagated in 2017 after January 1st.** All must be hardy for zones 5-8. Due to space limitations, no more than 5 plants per chapter per class will be allowed to be entered.

CLASSES

FLOWERING SHRUBS

1. Crepe myrtle
2. Forsythia
3. Glossy Abelia
4. Hydrangea (hardy)
5. Rose of Sharon
6. Any Other
7. Champion Flowering Shrub (Classes 1-6)
8. Reserve Champion (Classes 1-6)

FOLIAGE SHRUBS

9. Euonymus (green or variegated)
10. Photinia
11. Privet (green or golden)
12. Any Other
13. Champion Foliage Shrub (Classes 9-12)
14. Reserve Champion Foliage Shrub (Classes 9-12)

TREES

15. Deciduous Tree
16. Evergreen Tree
17. **Champion Tree (Classes 15-16)**
18. **Reserve Champion Tree (Classes 15-16)**

GROUND COVERS and SEASONAL PLANTS

19. Herbaceous Plants (Hosta, Peony, Daylily, etc.)
20. Vining Plants (Winter Creeper, English Ivy, Honeysuckle, etc.)
21. Ornamental Grasses
22. Any Other Ground Cover
23. **Champion Ground Cover (Classes 22-26)**
24. **Reserve Champion (Classes 22-26)**
25. **Grand Champion (Section 419)**
26. **Reserve Grand Champion Landscape Plant (Section 419)**

SECTION 420 - FFA CHAPTER HORTICULTURE SWEEPSTAKES

FFA Chapter Horticulture Sweepstakes take the highest number of points accumulated in the horticulture department.

Placing: **1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 6th 7th 8th 9th 10th**

Points: 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

Placing	Points
Champion	3
Reserve Champion	2
Grand Champion	6
Reserve Grand Champion	4

With upper limit on total number of exhibits in that class: Example: Four (4) entries in class points awarded 4-3-2-1.
Example: Ten or more entries in class points awarded 10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1.

CLASS

1. **Grand Champion Chapter Horticultural Sweepstakes**
2. **Reserve Grand Champion Chapter Horticultural Sweepstakes**

SECTION 421 - FFA CHAPTER AGRICULTURAL MECHANICS EXHIBIT

Superintendent: Wayne Stricklin

1. **Articles exhibited must have been constructed by FFA members in the Agriculture Education school shop.**
2. Entries may be individually or chapter constructed.
3. An article can be shown only once at the Tulsa State Fair, and must have been constructed during the previous two school years.
4. All articles must be clean and in a presentable condition even though they may have been used during the year.
5. Pictures showing operation of the project may be displayed with the exhibit.
6. Each exhibit shall have a sign showing chapter, ownership, a detailed bill of materials with cost, and a suggested retail price. (These signs will be provided by State Office.)
7. Entries will be judged on the basis of workmanship, structure and design, practicability, safety, and materials used.
8. Exhibits in Class 7, "Reconditioned Machinery & Equipment," must be factory manufactured equipment that has been reconditioned in the Ag Shop. (It is recommended 1 to 3 photographs of the project before start of restoration is included with the material's list.)
9. Exhibits in Class 13 and 14 "Small Projects," should be less than 2 ft. in length or less than 20 lbs. in weight.
10. Where an exhibit is entered in the wrong class the Superintendent will make the determination and transfer it to the proper class.
11. The judge will not award premiums or points for entries in any class that do not meet acceptable standards of quality.
12. All exhibits to be displayed in a safe manner.

AGRICULTURAL MECHANICS EXHIBIT SCORECARD

Workmanship

- a. General appearance (neatness and finish) 15 pts
- b. Skills (careful workmanship and number of skills) 20 pts

Structure and Design

- a. Strength and durability 20 pts

- b. Originality (mainly for addition of accessories to a standard design or original design, if practical) 5 pts

Practicability

- a. Labor saving on the farm 15 pts
 b. Convenience and usefulness 10 pts

Material

- a. Economic choice of material

Classes

1. Trailers & Wagons 16 ft. and over
2. Trailers & Wagons Under 16 ft (16 ft. is the cargo area)
3. Smokers, Grills & Cookers with hitches
4. Truck bed, Racks & Pickup Accessories
5. Livestock Production Products (squeeze chute, divider, panels, clipping chutes, lamb & goat stands)
6. Farmstead & Crop Improvement (gates, angel blade, box blade, mail boxes)
7. Reconditioned Machinery and Equipment
8. Shop Improvement (welding tables, saw horses, torch carts, anvils)
9. Hobby/Recreation (deer stand, clay target, thrower, weight benches)
10. Patio Cookers, Grills & Smokers
11. Outdoor Furniture (picnic tables, benches, swings, etc.)
12. Indoor Furniture (end tables, chairs, hall trees, bed frames, etc.)
13. Decorative Small Projects (paperweight, horseshoe cowboys, small metal art, piggybanks, etc.)
14. Functional Small Projects (lamp, hat rack, boot jack, towel racks, doorknockers, doorbells, etc.)
15. Decorative Large Projects (large metal art)
16. Farmstead Tools (post driver, Tee post puller, etc.)
17. **Grand Champion Agricultural Mechanics Exhibit**
18. **Reserve Grand Champion Agricultural Mechanics Exhibit**
19. **Grand Champion Chapter Agricultural Mechanics Sweepstakes**
20. **Reserve Grand Champion Chapter Agricultural Mechanics Sweepstakes**

FFA CHAPTER MECHANICS SWEEPSTAKES

FFA Chapter Mechanics Sweepstakes takes the highest number of points accumulated in the mechanics department.

Classes:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5TH	6TH	7th	8th	9th	10th
1-3	40	38	36	34	32	30	28	26	24	22
4-8	30	28	26	24	22	20	18	16	14	12
9-12	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2
13-16	10	8	6	4	2	2	2	2	2	2
17-18	6	4								

SECTION 422 - FFA PHOTOGRAPHY SERIES

1. Oklahoma FFA members are required to include photographs as a part of their State FFA Degree scrapbooks, State Proficiency Award applications, Reporter Contest scrapbooks, Agriscience Contest applications, etc., as well as assisting with many chapter award applications such as Gold Emblem, etc., which also require photographs. The purpose of the photography contest is to provide an opportunity for individual FFA members to showcase their talent in photography while preparing for these state award applications.
2. Entry must contain five, 5" x 7" or 4" x 6" color prints that were taken by the member.
3. The series must be mounted on half sheet poster board (approximate finished size 22" x 14"), or half sheet of foam or mat board (approximate finished size 20" x 15") to be displayed for landscape view.
4. Include on the back, the student's names, chapter, and relativity to which area (SAE or FFA).
5. Pictures on newsprint or those that have been mechanically altered will not be accepted.
6. **Subject must relate to the member's Supervised Agricultural Experience program (SAE) or to FFA activities within their local chapter.**
7. Captions may be used with each picture. Captions are to be in 12 point font and not exceed 50 words per caption.
8. Entries will be judged on subject matter, effectiveness, photo quality and composition. The top 5 placing may be displayed.
9. Only one entry per exhibitor.

CLASS

1. Photography Grades 8-9
2. Photography Grade 10
3. Photography Grade 11

4. Photography Grade 12
5. **Overall Champion Photography**
6. **Overall Reserve Champion Photography**

SECTION 423 - FFA NEWS REPORTING

1. FFA members are encouraged to submit newsworthy articles and pictures about outstanding accomplishments of individual FFA members and/or their local chapter to all forms of print and broadcast media. The purpose of the News Reporting contest is to recognize individual FFA members for their talent and accomplishment in this area.
2. The news story must be in manuscript form with not more than three double-spaced typewritten pages. One, and not more than one, 4" X 6" or 5" x 7" color or black and white photograph must accompany the story. Each page of the story and the photograph must be mounted on one full sheet (22" x 28") black poster or foam/matte board (22"x30"). Posters are to be displayed horizontally.
3. Subject must relate to Agricultural Education and/or FFA.
4. Entries will be judged on the basis of news value, readability and organization.

CLASS

1. FFA News Reporting Grades 8-9-10
2. FFA News Reporting Grade 11-12
3. **Overall Champion FFA News Reporting**
4. **Overall Reserve Champion FFA News Reporting**

SECTION 424 - AGRISCIENCE PROJECT DISPLAY

Add classes 1-3 (animal, plant, social)

1. The purpose of the Agriscience Project Display is to provide an opportunity for individual FFA members to compete in a science fair related to agriculture. Members who have developed a project based on the application of scientific principles and emerging technologies in agriculture are eligible. It is also designed to educate parents, school officials, and the public about career opportunities available for Agriscience students.
 2. Categories are Animal Systems, Environmental Services/Natural Resource Systems, Food Products and Processing Systems, Plant Systems, Agricultural Power, Structural and Technical Systems and Social Systems. Tulsa State Fair will not separate into divisions for ages or teams.
 3. The Agriscience Project Display must meet size requirements outlined for a display in the National FFA Agriscience Fair Guidelines and Procedures. Each student must provide their own table top and skirting. Electrical outlets are provided.
 4. Booth space will be assigned by the Superintendent upon arrival. Booths not meeting requirements nor following guidelines may be disqualified from the competition and/or removed from display area. Due to space limitations only the top 6 Agriscience Projects may be displayed.
 5. Judging criteria for the Agriscience Project Display:
A. Creative ability/originality: 25 points
B. Scientific thought/goal: 25 points
C. Supporting evidence: 25 points
D. Booth appearance: 25 points
- TOTAL: 100 points**