

State FFA Agricultural Skills Contests Clarifications

Contest	Jr. High Allowed	Team Limit per State Level	Teams Per Chapter *	Welcome Individuals**	# of Team Member Scores Counted in Final Score	Official Dress Required at State	# of Team Members on a State Level Team †	# of Team Members on a National Level Team
Ag. Comm.	No	No limit	2	Yes	Three	Yes	Three + Alt	4 compete/4 count
Ag Mechanics	No	No limit	2	Yes	2 Electrical + 2 Power = 4	No	Four	4 compete/4 count
Ag Sales	No	24 teams	2	Yes	Four	Yes	Four	4 compete/4 count
Agronomy	Yes	No limit	2	Yes	Top three	No	Three to five	4 compete/4 count
Dairy Showmanship	No	No limit	2	N/A	N/A	No	N/A	N/A
Dairy Cattle	Yes	No limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to four	4 compete/4 count
Environmental	Yes	No limit	2	No	Team Score	No	Three to five	4 compete/4 count
Farm Business Mgt.	No	No limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to five	4 compete/4 count
Floriculture	Yes	No Limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to four	4 compete/4 count
Food Science	No	24 Teams	1	No	Top Three	No	Three to four	4 compete/4 count
Forestry	Yes	No limit	2	Yes	Team Score	No	Three to five	4 compete/4 count
Greenhouse Crops	No	No limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to five	N/A
Horse Selection	Yes	No limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to four	4 compete/4 count
Land Conservation	Yes	No limit	4	No	Team Score	No	Three to five	N/A
Livestock	Yes	No limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to four	4 compete/4 count
Marketing	No	15 Teams	2	Yes	Three	Yes	Three	Three/Team Score
Meats	Yes	No limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to four	3 compete/3 count
Milk Quality	Yes	50 Teams	2	Yes	Four	No	Four	4 compete/4 count
Nursery/Landscape	No	No limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to five	4 compete/4 count
Poultry	Yes	No limit	2	Yes	Top Three	No	Three to five	4 compete/4 count
Jr. High Quiz Bowl	Yes	32 teams	2	No	N/A	Yes	Three to five	N/A
Tractor Driving	Yes	2 per class	No limit	Yes	Individual	No	N/A	N/A
Veterinary Science	No	No limit	2	Yes	Four	No	Four	4 compete/4 count

* Chapters with more than 75 members can have 3 teams per contest, except Vet Science, Food Science, Milk Quality, Land Conservation, Marketing and Tractor Driving

** Individuals must be registered as a team and within the chapters team limit

† Teams with fewer than the minimum number of members will not be eligible for awards.

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