

National Invitational FFA Quiz Contest
Junior High
2023

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Please complete the following questions and place your answers on the Scantron that has been provided. PLEASE, double check your answers to make sure you bubbled in the correct one. If you have a question, please raise your hand and one of the room monitors will assist you. When finished, hand your test and Scantron to one of the room monitors.

1. Which of the following *IS NOT* part of the Three-Component Model of School-Based Agricultural Education
 - A. Classroom/Laboratory
 - B. SAE
 - C. FFA
 - D. CDE/LDE (page 2)

2. The National FFA organization is a student-led organization structured which three primary levels?
 - A. State, National and International
 - B. Local, Region and State
 - C. Local, District and Area
 - D. Local, State and National (page 10)

3. Which of the following *IS NOT* an SAE-Based Award?
 - A. H.O. Sargent Awards (page 13)
 - B. SAE Grants
 - C. Agricultural Proficiency Awards
 - D. Star Awards

4. Who was the first National FFA President?
 - A. Leslie Applegate from NJ (page 17)
 - B. David Simmons from AL
 - C. Adolphus Pinson from TX
 - D. Andrew Seibel from VA

5. When was the Future Farmers of America established?
 - A. 1917
 - B. 1928 (page 19)
 - C. 1930
 - D. 1935

6. What are the official FFA colors?
 - A. Royal Blue and Yellow
 - B. Black and Old Gold
 - C. National Blue and Corn Gold (page 19)
 - D. Red, White and Blue

7. Who wrote the Official FFA Creed?
 - A. David Simmons
 - B. H. O. Sargent
 - C. E. M. Tiffany (page 19)
 - D. Leslie Applegate

8. In 1953, the U.S. Post Office Department issued a special 3-cent postage stamp to celebrate what FFA anniversary?
 - A. 10th
 - B. 15th
 - C. 25th (page 20)
 - D. 50th

9. In 1939, 28.5 acres of land was purchased for the first FFA-owned national headquarters. This land was once part of whose estate?
 - A. Abraham Lincoln
 - B. George Washington (page 20)
 - C. Dwight D. Eisenhower
 - D. Franklin D. Roosevelt

10. In what year did FFA open membership to females?
 - A. 1952
 - B. 1965
 - C. 1969 (page 21)
 - D. 1971

11. The National FFA Alumni Association was established in what year?
 - A. 1971 (page 21)
 - B. 1976
 - C. 1981
 - D. 1988

12. Who was the first female national FFA president?
 - A. Julie Smiley from WA
 - B. Karlene Lindow from WI
 - C. Jan Eberly from CA (page 21)
 - D. Breanna Holbert from CA

13. What year did the National Future Farmer magazine change its name to FFA New Horizons?
 - A. 1933
 - B. 1969
 - C. 1989 (page 22)
 - D. 2001

14. What year did the delegates at the National FFA Convention approve the Discovery FFA Degree for middle school students?
 - A. 1989
 - B. 2000 (page 22)
 - C. 2011
 - D. 2021

15. In 2011, which group did FFA celebrate for being in FFA, agriculture and agricultural education?
 - A. Hispanics
 - B. African-Americans
 - C. Native Americans (page 23)
 - D. Females

16. Who was the first national FFA president to be elected from Puerto Rico?
 - A. Javier Moreno (page 23)
 - B. Paul Moya
 - C. Jose Santiago
 - D. Juan Hernandez

17. When was the first virtual National FFA Convention & Expo due to the COVID-19 pandemic?
 - A. 2019
 - B. 2020 (page 24)
 - C. 2021
 - D. 2022

18. Which state has the most FFA members in 2021-2022?
 - A. Texas (page 25)
 - B. California
 - C. Oklahoma
 - D. Georgia

19. Which symbol in the FFA emblem represents national scope of the organization?
 - A. Eagle (page 26)
 - B. Owl
 - C. Cross section of the ear of corn
 - D. Rising Sun

20. What is the first line of the FFA Motto?
 - A. Doing to Learn
 - B. Living to Serve
 - C. Earning to Live
 - D. Learning to Do (page 27)

21. Which of the following *IS NOT* part of the Official Dress?
 - A. Official FFA tie or official FFA scarf
 - B. White collared blouse or white collared shirt
 - C. Beige pantyhose/nylons (page 28)
 - D. Black dress shoes with closed heel and toe

22. Which program provides FFA jackets to members who may not otherwise be able to afford them?
 - A. Give the Gift of Blue (page 30)
 - B. Blue for You
 - C. Give the Gift of Hope
 - D. Jackets for Hope

23. State associations may consider “secondary agricultural education programs to be in what grades?
A. 5th – 12th (page 33)
B. 6th – 12th
C. 8th – 12th
D. 9th – 12th
24. To be eligible to receive the Greenhand FFA Degree, a member must do which of the following?
A. Serve on at least one FFA Committee
B. Perform 10 procedures of parliamentary law
C. Learn and explain the FFA Creed, motto, salute and FFA mission statement (page 34)
D. Have earned and productively invested at least \$150 by the members own efforts
25. Which FFA officer should develop the POA and serve as an ex-officio member of the POA committees?
A. President
B. Vice President (page 52)
C. Secretary
D. Advisor
26. How does the second paragraph of the FFA creed begin?
A. *“I believe in leadership from ourselves and respect from others...”*
B. *“I believe in the future of agriculture...”*
C. *“I believe in less dependence on begging and more power in bargaining...”*
D. *“I believe that to live and work on a good farm...”* (page 53)
27. Which officer is stationed by the Shield of Friendship?
A. Advisor
B. Secretary
C. Sentinel (page 54)
D. Treasurer
28. What comes first in the order of business of an FFA meeting?
A. Ceremonies
B. Opening Ceremony (page 56)
C. Unfinished Business
D. Announcements
29. How many taps of the gavel signal for all members to stand in unison?
A. One
B. Two
C. Three (page 58)
D. A series of sharp taps
30. As a rule to thumb, Facebook updates to your FFA account should be limited to how many during a one day period?
A. One or two (page 60)
B. Three or four
C. Five or six
D. Seven or eight

31. Which conference serves as a launching pad to learn more about the next steps for FFA members after high school?
- A. Washington Leadership Conference
 - B. Next Gen Conference (page 64)
 - C. New Century Farmer
 - D. ILSSO
32. The Agriscience Fair competition is open to members in what grades?
- A. 6-12
 - B. 7-12 (page 67)
 - C. 8-12
 - D. 9-12
33. Which of the following *IS NOT* a national Leadership Develop Event?
- A. Conduct of Chapter Meetings
 - B. Spanish Creed Speaking (page 68)
 - C. Employment Skills
 - D. Prepared Public Speaking
34. No individual may retain student membership beyond his or her what birthday?
- A. 19th
 - B. 21st
 - C. 23rd (page 79)
 - D. 25th
35. To be eligible for the Chapter FFA degree, a member must have lead a group discussion for how long?
- A. 5 minutes
 - B. 15 minutes (page 79)
 - C. 20 minutes
 - D. 30 minutes
36. National FFA officers must hold which degree?
- A. Greenhand FFA Degree
 - B. Chapter FFA Degree
 - C. State FFA Degree
 - D. American FFA Degree (page 82)
37. Kentucky is in which region of the National FFA?
- A. Southern
 - B. Eastern (page 68)
 - C. Central
 - D. Western
38. The blue corduroy jacket was approved as Official Dress in which year?
- A. 1928
 - B. 1930 (page 19)
 - C. 1942
 - D. 1950

39. National FFA Week is celebrated during the week of whose birthday?
- A. George Washington (page 63)
 - B. Leslie Applegate
 - C. H.O. Sargent
 - D. Theodore Roosevelt
40. Which group will complete training, deliver education sessions and create social media posts and send emails promoting National FFA Resources and opportunities?
- A. National FFA Officer team
 - B. National FFA Board of Directors
 - C. The Council
 - D. National Teacher Ambassadors for FFA Program (page 63)
41. How long is the Washington Leadership Conference?
- A. Three days
 - B. One Week (page 64)
 - C. Two Weeks
 - D. One Year
42. In what year did the Board of Directors approve the convention delegates recommendation to revise the terminology of official FFA ceremonies, adding the option of officer position (Last Name) in addition to Mr./Madame?
- A. 1969
 - B. 1976
 - C. 1998
 - D. 2023 (page 24)
43. Who were the first females to become delegates at the national FFA convention?
- A. Julie Smiley from WA and Jan Eberly from WA
 - B. SeaAirra McTyre from TX and Jayci Kennedy from NM
 - C. Anita Decker from NY and Patricia Krowicki from NJ (page 21)
 - D. Sydnie Grossnickle from MD and Courtney Murphy from RI
44. Which of the following U.S. Presidents addressed the National FFA Convention?
- A. Donald Trump (page 24)
 - B. Joe Biden
 - C. Bill Clinton
 - D. Herbert Hoover
45. In what year did the Future Farmers of America change its name to the National FFA Organization?
- A. 1977
 - B. 1988 (page 22)
 - C. 1993
 - D. 2000
46. In 1998, the National FFA Center was dedicated on July 20th in which city?
- A. Alexandria, VA
 - B. Indianapolis, IN (page 22)
 - C. Louisville, KY
 - D. Nashville, TN

47. Who won the first National FFA Creed Speaking event?
- A. Carlton Patton from AR
 - B. Ken Dunagan from AZ
 - C. Michael Van Winkle from AR (page 22)
 - D. Riley Tatum from TX
48. Who was the first to donate \$1 million to the National FFA Foundation?
- A. John Deere
 - B. Bayer Crop Sciences
 - C. Ford Motor Company (page 23)
 - D. Dodge Trucks
49. In 1926, the first National Congress of Vocational Agriculture Students assembled for a National Livestock Judging Contest in what city?
- A. Kansas City, MO (page 19)
 - B. Chicago, IL
 - C. Houston, TX
 - D. Alexandria, VA
50. What happened in 1964?
- A. FFA sells its one-millionth FFA jacket (page 21)
 - B. The National FFA Foundation raised \$1 million in one year for the first time
 - C. Jose Santiago from Puerto Rico was elected a national FFA officer
 - D. The Food for America program launched