



**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 success
- **Healthy lifestyles** activities that promote the well-being and self-esteem of students, either mentally or physically
- **Supervised agricultural experience** 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
- **Agricultural career skills** activities that develop agricultural occupation and career skills through a progressive learning environment

**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 members accomplishments
- **Leadership** 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** 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 promote and encourage members to become active, involved citizens of their school, community and country

**Agricultural awareness** activities conducted to help the public become better informed about the food system and related agricultural issues