



**FLORIDA FFA**  
**ALUMNI AND SUPPORTERS**

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**"WHAT FFA MEANS TO ME"**

**Alumni Essay Contest Guidelines**

- FFA member must be in good standing with the Florida and National FFA, who is below the 12<sup>th</sup> grade at the time of submittal.
- Member's FFA Chapter must have an active alumni that is up to date with membership roster and dues as of November 30th of each year. Must also be in good standing with the Florida and National FFA Alumni.
- Attach cover page with title, participant's name, chapter and date.
- The essay should be double-spaced typewritten on 8 1/2" x 11" white paper.
- Use 1" margins, 12 font size, Times New Roman.
- Essay must be 500 words minimum and address the above topic.
- Do not bind or place in folders, special binders or covers.
- Place a staple in upper-left corner. Number each page at the bottom center.
- Manuscripts not meeting these guidelines will be penalized.
- Essay must be received at the Florida FFA office by the posted date listed on the official Florida FFA calendar.
- Top 10 finalists will be recognized at State FFA Convention and will receive a scholarship to a leadership conference of their choice. Monetary amounts, awarded, depend on student's placing.
- Contest is sponsored by the Florida FFA Alumni & Supporters.