



# ANNUAL REPORT

## 2024-2025



Every Student Has A Story

# Greetings from Mr. Billy Hughes



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Dear Georgia Agricultural Education Family,

It is with great pride and enthusiasm that we present the 2024-2025 Georgia Agricultural Education annual report. This report highlights the significant strides made in advancing agricultural education across the state, which reflects our program's unwavering commitment to fostering the next generation of agricultural leaders.

Over the past year, we have witnessed remarkable achievements in our programs, including the successful revision and implementation of innovative curriculum, the expansion of hands-on learning opportunities, and the strengthening of partnerships with industry leaders. These accomplishments are a testament to the dedication and hard work of our educators, students, and community partners and supporters.

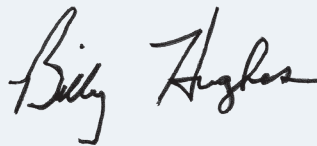
As we look to the future, Georgia Agricultural Education remains "All In" on our mission to provide high-quality agricultural education that prepares students for the challenges and opportunities of the modern agricultural landscape. Our goals for the coming year include further enhancing our educational offerings, increasing student engagement through experiential learning that includes experience with cutting-edge technology, and fostering a deeper connection between our programs and the agricultural industry.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to all those who have supported and contributed to our efforts. Your commitment and collaboration are invaluable as we continue to cultivate a thriving agricultural education system in Georgia for students and adults.

Always remember, Georgia Agricultural Education is building leaders who support communities by enhancing our nation's greatest asset...agriculture. Without you, we could not do that. Thank you!

I am enthusiastically wishing both our program and you a prosperous and fulfilling upcoming new school year.

Sincerely,



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# Georgia Agricultural Education Enrollment Data

Georgia Agriculture, Food & Natural Resources (AFNR) High School Courses	AREA 1	AREA 2	AREA 3	AREA 4	AREA 5	AREA 6	State Total
01.412 - AFNR-AML - Agribusiness Management and Leadership	68	68	65	31	97	143	472
01.413 - AFNR-MKT - Marketing Agricultural Products and Services	0	0	0	0	13	1	14
01.421 - AFNR-AMI - Agricultural Mechanics Technology I	675	946	527	577	446	526	3,697
01.422 - AFNR-AMII - Agricultural Mechanics Technology II	272	320	170	292	155	242	1,451
01.424 - AFNR-AMF - Agricultural Metals Fabrication	38	260	28	16	91	80	513
01.426 - AFNR-AEEC - Agricultural Electricity and Electrical Controls	5	106	8	0	18	55	192
01.432 - AFNR-APM - Agricultural Animal Production and Management	437	279	285	135	68	73	1,277
01.441 - AFNR-AFPP - Agricultural and Food Products Processing Op. and Mgmt.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
01.461 - AFNR-GH - General Horticulture and Plant Science	730	858	644	689	505	391	3,817
01.462 - AFNR-FL - Floriculture Production and Management	104	44	6	136	34	0	324
01.465 - AFNR-TPM - Turf Production and Management	0	0	0	0	10	0	10
01.466 - AFNR-FDM - Floral Design and Management	68	269	147	14	57	30	585
01.470 - AFNR-NL - Nursery and Landscape	126	81	109	102	79	71	568
02.421 - AFNR-ASB - Animal Science Technology and Biotechnology	1,163	869	972	452	658	570	4,684
02.422 - AFNR-ES - Equine Science	72	12	7	0	0	0	91
02.423 - AFNR-SAC - Small Animal Care	211	75	0	31	0	43	360
02.424 - AFNR-VT - Veterinary Science	254	254	153	107	111	66	945
02.432 - AFNR-AMDPP - Agriculture Meat and Dairy Product Processing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
02.441 - AFNR-PSB - Plant Science and Biotechnology	56	58	318	17	96	58	603
02.462 - AFNR-PS - Poultry Science	53	0	0	26	0	26	105
02.463 - AFNR-ASB - Avian Science and Biotechnology	38	0	0	14	0	0	52
02.471 - AFNR-BAS - Basic Agricultural Science	3,793	3,768	3,199	1,986	1,543	2,394	16,683
03.411 - AFNR-NR - Natural Resources Management	17	84	31	3	26	59	220
03.422 - AFNR-ESS - Environmental Science and Stewardship	1	56	0	0	0	0	57
03.431 - AFNR-AQU - Aquaculture	0	0	0	0	10	14	24
03.451 - AFNR-FS - Forest Science	187	365	166	410	257	552	1,937
03.452 - AFNR-FSII - Forest Science II	0	2	6	33	0	2	43
03.453 - AFNR-WL - Wildlife Management	93	124	30	143	97	222	709
03.461 - AFNR-SA - Sustainable Agriculture	1	58	0	0	9	0	68
03.462 - AFNR-RFP - Renewable Fuel Production	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
03.471 - AFNR-IRE - Introduction to Renewable Energies	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Other State Approved High School Georgia Agricultural Education Courses</b>							
01.012 - Agricultural Leadership and Personal Development	107	37	90	34	36	20	324
01.051 - Cooperative Agribusiness Sales and Marketing I	1	29	0	22	22	0	74
01.052 - Cooperative Agribusiness Sales and Marketing II	0	14	0	9	0	0	23
01.411 - Agricultural Business and Management	8	0	24	5	14	5	56
01.423 - AG-AMIII - Agricultural Mechanics Technology III	51	38	1	16	13	16	135
01.425 - AG-AGP - Agricultural Power and Machinery	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
01.427 - AG-AGC - Agricultural Construction	0	16	4	0	14	4	38
01.431 - Agricultural Crop Production and Management	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
01.463 - Landscape Design and Management	3	45	43	0	7	0	98
01.464 - Nursery Production and Management	20	3	0	0	1	0	24
01.468 - Advanced Landscape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
01.469 - Fruit, Vegetable, and Nut Production	0	0	0	0	7	0	7
02.431 - Food and Fiber Science Technology	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
02.461 - Physical Science Applications in Agriculture	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
02.475 - AG-BT - Biotechnology	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
03.454 - Urban and Community Forestry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total High School Enrollment</b>	<b>8,652</b>	<b>9,140</b>	<b>7,033</b>	<b>5,300</b>	<b>4,494</b>	<b>5,664</b>	<b>40,283</b>
<b>Georgia Middle School Agricultural Education Courses</b>							
	AREA 1	AREA 2	AREA 3	AREA 4	AREA 5	AREA 6	State Total
AG-6 - 6th Grade	2,550	5,086	3,764	1,616	1,654	2,289	16,959
AG-7 - 7th Grade	2,932	4,219	3,158	1,594	1,803	2,526	16,232
AG-8 - 8th Grade	2,205	3,097	2,521	886	1,018	1,861	11,588
Basic Ag Science & Technology	348	435	374	409	511	437	2,514
<b>Total Middle School Enrollment</b>	<b>8,035</b>	<b>12,837</b>	<b>9,817</b>	<b>4,505</b>	<b>4,986</b>	<b>7,113</b>	<b>47,293</b>
<b>2024-2025 Total Georgia Agricultural Education Enrollment</b>	<b>16,687</b>	<b>21,977</b>	<b>16,850</b>	<b>9,805</b>	<b>9,480</b>	<b>12,777</b>	<b>87,576</b>

## THE AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION MISSION

Agricultural education prepares students for successful careers and a lifetime of informed choices in the global agriculture, food, fiber and natural resources systems.

*(Total enrollment includes all Ag Ed students for all classes, including students enrolled in multiple Ag Ed courses.)*



# STARS OVER GEORGIA

**Star Farmer**  
**Ellie Taylor**  
Berrien County



**Star in Agriscience**  
**Caileigh Goldstein**  
Walnut Grove



**Star in Agribusiness**  
**Aly Corzine**  
Veterans



**Star in Agricultural Placement**  
**Ella Grace Gibbs**  
Wilcox County



## SAEs in High School AgEd Programs

Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE)	AREA 1	AREA 2	AREA 3	AREA 4	AREA 5	AREA 6	State Total
Agricultural Education	1,757	2,055	1,420	1,097	769	1,191	8,311
Agricultural Mechanics	1,111	1,024	801	477	647	716	4,780
Agriscience	782	455	639	487	609	395	3,369
Forestry / Natural Resources	580	434	336	317	304	571	2,542
Home and Community Development	687	423	445	313	323	327	2,520
Horticulture / Landscape	2,480	1,549	1,560	1,218	897	1,313	9,023
Livestock / Animal Science	2,458	1,522	1,242	821	772	1,119	7,948
None	115	120	123	127	127	191	805
Other	442	724	465	432	190	341	2,596

## SAEs in Middle School AgEd Programs

Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE)	AREA 1	AREA 2	AREA 3	AREA 4	AREA 5	AREA 6	State Total
Agricultural Education	2,671	3,224	1,545	920	908	1,944	11,212
Agricultural Mechanics	594	1,389	714	499	387	912	4,495
Agriscience	1,073	662	1,150	425	667	413	4,390
Forestry / Natural Resources	418	1,175	440	395	518	622	3,568
Home and Community Development	540	1,181	1,131	298	412	547	4,109
Horticulture / Landscape	1,573	2,492	1,676	881	1,591	2,043	10,256
Livestock / Animal Science	1,135	2,355	1,136	559	938	1,505	7,628
None	130	152	640	59	391	195	1,567
Other	648	1,134	321	600	172	1,195	4,070



# NORTH REGION Watkinsville, GA



**28** Elementary School Programs

**68** Middle School Programs

**95** High School Programs

**7** Food Processing Plants

**22** Young Farmer Programs



**North Region Team**

- Kathrine Patel  
*Forestry*
- Josh Allen  
*Horticulture*
- Brian Elrick  
*Ag Mechanics*
- Kent Benson  
*Animal Science*



**Mrs. Kaitlyn Marchant**  
North Region Director

- Counties with High School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with High School and Middle School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with High School, Middle School and Elementary School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with High School and Elementary School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with Elementary School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with Food Processing Centers (Canning Plants)
- ★ Counties with Young Farmer Agricultural Education Programs
- 💧 Counties with Active FFA Alumni Affiliate Programs

# SOUTH REGION Tifton, GA



 **20** Elementary School Programs

 **46** Middle School Programs

 **57** High School Programs

 **11** Food Processing Plants

 **27** Young Farmer Programs

### South Region Team

Shawn Collins  
*Forestry*

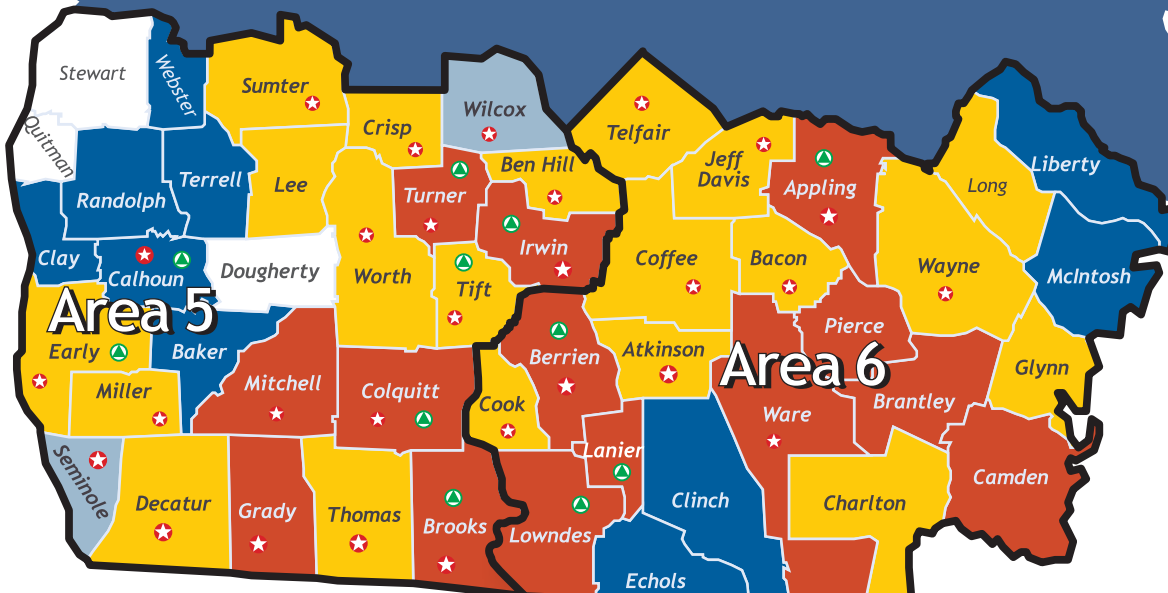
Brittaney Schwing  
*Horticulture*

Jerry Stone  
*Ag Mechanics*

Todd Claxton  
*Animal Science*



**Mr. Stacey Beacham**  
South Region Director



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# GEORGIA FFA

*Learning to Do. Doing to Learn. Earning to Live. Living to Serve.*



## 2024-2025 Georgia State FFA Officers

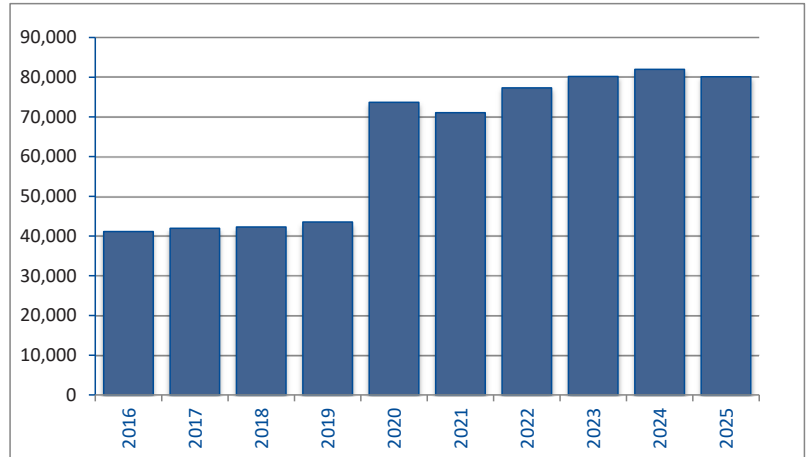


**Front Row (left to right):** State Secretary, Makena Blalock (Sonoraville);  
 State President, John Haven Stalvey (Berrien County);  
 State VP, Emma Lawrence (ECI);  
**Back Row (left to right):** State VP, Jaxsen Guthrie (Coffee County);  
 State VP, Ethan Parks (Bleckley County);  
 State VP, Shelby Pruett (Jackson-Empower);  
 State VP, Mason Sorrow (Newton CCA);  
 State VP, Carson Lynn (Bainbridge)

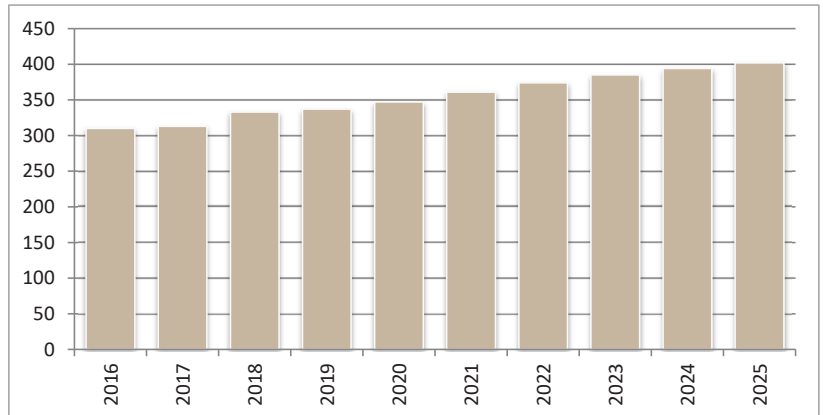


Jack Lingenfelter, Coffee County FFA member, was elected as the 2024-25 National FFA Vice-President during the 97th National FFA Convention. Jack will spend the year traveling over 100,000 national and international miles providing leadership training to agriculture students and advocating for agriculture and agricultural education with leaders in government, business, and education.

## GEORGIA FFA MEMBERSHIP 80,125 Georgia FFA Members

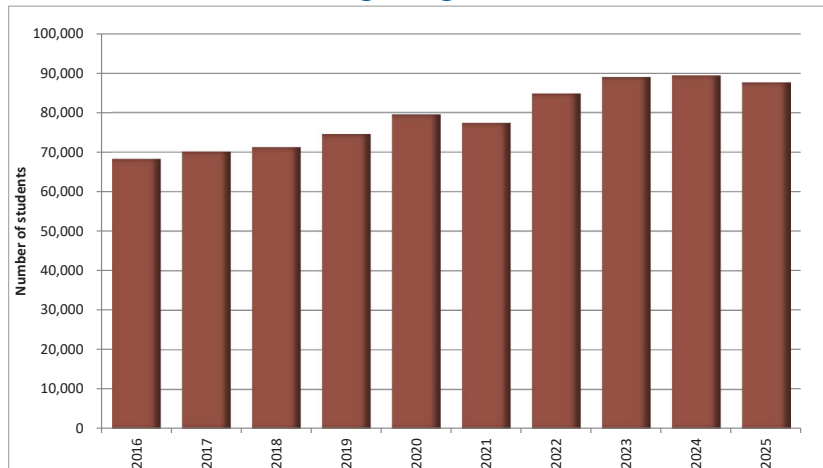


## PROGRAM GROWTH 402 Georgia Ag Ed Programs



(Georgia Ag Ed Programs includes middle and high school Ag Ed programs.)

## STUDENT ENROLLMENT 87,576 Georgia Ag Ed students



(Total enrollment includes all Ag Ed students for all classes, including students enrolled in multiple Ag Ed courses.)

# Georgia FFA Chapters

## North Region - 164 Chapters

Adairsville  
 Alcovy  
 Alexander  
 Apalachee  
 Arabia Mountain  
 Archer  
 Ashworth Middle  
 Athens Christian  
 Bagley Middle  
 Banks County  
 Banks County Middle  
 Barrow Arts & Sciences Academy  
 Bear Creek Middle (Barrow)  
 Bear Creek Middle (Fulton)  
 Booker T. Washington  
 Bowdon  
 Brookwood  
 Burney-Harris-Lyons Middle  
 Calhoun City  
 Cambridge  
 Carson Middle  
 Carver Middle  
 Carver STEAM Academy\*\*  
 Cass  
 Cedar Shoals  
 Cedartown  
 Cedartown Middle  
 Central of Carroll  
 Central of Carroll Middle  
 Chattahoochee Hills Middle  
 Chattahoochee Valley Middle  
 Chattooga County  
 Cherokee County  
 Clarke Central  
 Clarke Middle  
 Clear Creek Middle  
 Coahulla Creek  
 Coile Middle  
 Commerce  
 Commerce Middle  
 Coretta Scott King YWLA  
 Creekside  
 Creekview  
 Dade County  
 Dawson County  
 Dawson County Middle  
 Denmark  
 Dove Creek Middle  
 East Hall  
 East Hall Middle  
 East Jackson Middle  
 East Paulding  
 Eastside  
 Edwards Middle  
 Elbert County  
 Elbert County Middle  
 Etowah  
 Fannin County  
 Fannin County Middle  
 Floyd County CCA  
 Forsyth Central  
 Franklin County  
 Franklin County Middle  
 Gilmer County  
 Gladden Middle  
 Gordon Central  
 Gordon Lee  
 Grayson  
 Greene County  
 Habersham Central  
 Haralson County  
 Hart County  
 Hart County Middle  
 Haymon Morris Middle  
 Heritage (Catoosa)  
 Heritage Middle  
 Hilsman Middle  
 Hopewell Middle  
 Indian Creek Middle  
 Jackson - Empower  
 Jackson Trail Christian  
 Jefferson City  
 Jefferson City Middle  
 LaFayette  
 LaFayette Middle  
 Lakeview-Ft. Oglethorpe  
 Lanier Career Academy  
 Legacy Knoll Middle  
 Liberty Middle  
 Lincolnton  
 Loganville  
 Loganville Middle  
 Lumpkin County  
 Lumpkin County Middle  
 Madison County  
 Madison County Middle  
 Malcom Bridge Middle  
 Monroe Area  
 Morgan County  
 Morgan County Middle

Mt. Zion  
 Murray County  
 Newton CCA  
 Newton County  
 North Forsyth  
 North Forsyth Middle  
 North Georgia Christian Academy  
 North Habersham Middle  
 North Hall  
 North Hall Middle  
 North Murray  
 North Oconee  
 North Paulding  
 North Paulding  
 Northwest Whitfield  
 Oconee County  
 Oconee County Middle  
 Oglethorpe County  
 Oglethorpe County Middle  
 Otwell Middle  
 Paulding County  
 Peachtree Academy  
 Pepperell  
 Pickens County  
 Pickens County Jr. High  
 Price Middle\*\*  
 Rabun County  
 Rabun County Middle  
 Red Bud Middle  
 Ridgeland  
 Ringgold  
 Riverdale  
 Rockdale Career Academy  
 Rockmart  
 Rockmart Middle  
 Rome  
 Rome Middle  
 Rossville Middle  
 Russell Middle  
 Saddle Ridge Middle  
 Social Circle  
 Sonorville  
 South Habersham Middle  
 Southeast Whitfield  
 Stephens County  
 Stephens County Middle  
 Summerville Middle  
 Teasley Middle  
 Temple  
 Temple Middle  
 Towns County  
 Towns County Middle  
 Union County  
 Union County Middle  
 Villa Rica  
 Walnut Grove  
 Washington-Wilkes  
 West Jackson Middle  
 Westside Middle  
 Wheeler  
 White County  
 White County Middle  
 Wilbanks Middle  
 Winder-Barrow  
 Woodland (Bartow County)  
 Youth Middle

## Central Region - 135 Chapters

Academy for Advanced Studies  
 Appling Middle  
 Baldwin County  
 Bleckley County  
 Bonaire Middle School  
 Bryan County  
 Bryan County Middle  
 Burke County  
 Burke County Middle  
 Byron Middle  
 Callaway  
 Callaway Middle  
 Central of Talbot  
 Claxton  
 Clifton Ridge Middle  
 Coastal Middle  
 Crawford County  
 Crawford County Middle  
 Cross Creek  
 Dodge County  
 Dodge County Middle  
 Dooly Academy Middle  
 Dooly County  
 Dublin City  
 Dutchtown  
 Eagle's Landing  
 Eagle's Landing Middle  
 East Laurens  
 East Laurens Middle  
 Ebenezer Middle  
 Effingham County  
 Effingham County Middle  
 Effingham CCA  
 Emanuel County Institute  
 Emanuel County Institute Middle

Evans  
 Feagin Mill Middle  
 Fort Valley Middle  
 Fullington Academy  
 G.W. Carver  
 Gardner-Newman Middle  
 Glascock County  
 Gray Station Middle  
 Greenbrier  
 Griffin Region College &  
 Career Academy  
 GSIC  
 Hampton  
 Harlem  
 Harris County  
 Harris County Middle  
 Hawkinsville  
 Heard County  
 Heard County Middle  
 Hephzibah  
 Houston County  
 Huntington Middle  
 Islands  
 Jackson  
 Jasper County  
 Jasper County Middle  
 Jefferson County  
 Jenkins County  
 Jenkins County Middle  
 Johnson County  
 Johnson County Middle  
 Jones County  
 LaGrange  
 Lamar County  
 Locust Grove  
 Locust Grove Middle  
 Long Cane Middle  
 Macon County  
 Manchester  
 Marion County  
 Mary Persons  
 McDonough  
 Metter  
 Metter Middle  
 Monroe County Middle  
 Montgomery County  
 Montgomery County Middle  
 Mossy Creek Middle  
 Northeast Bibb  
 Northside  
 Northside Middle  
 Oak Hill Middle  
 Ola  
 Ola Middle  
 Peach County  
 Perry  
 Perry Middle  
 Piedmont Academy  
 Pike County  
 Pike County Middle  
 Portal  
 Putnam County  
 Rutland  
 Rutland Middle  
 Savannah Early College  
 Schley County  
 Screven County  
 Screven County Middle  
 South Effingham  
 South Effingham Middle  
 Southeast Bulloch  
 Southeast Bulloch Middle  
 Statesboro  
 Stockbridge  
 Swainsboro  
 Swainsboro Middle  
 T.J. Elder Middle  
 Taliaferro County  
 Tattnall County  
 Taylor County  
 Thomson  
 Thomson McDuffie Middle  
 Thomson Middle (Houston)  
 Toombs County  
 Toombs County Middle  
 Treutlen County  
 Treutlen County Middle\*\*  
 Troup County  
 Twiggs County  
 Union Grove  
 Upson-Lee  
 Upson-Lee Middle  
 Veterans  
 Warner Robins  
 Warner Robins Middle  
 Washington County  
 West Laurens  
 West Laurens Middle  
 Wheeler County  
 Wheeler County Middle  
 Woodland (Henry County)

## South Region - 103 Chapters

Appling County  
 Appling County Middle  
 Arthur Williams Middle  
 Atkinson County  
 Atkinson County Middle  
 Bacon County  
 Bacon County Middle  
 Bainbridge  
 Bainbridge Middle  
 Baker County  
 Ben Hill Middle  
 Bethune Middle\*\*  
 Berrien County  
 Berrien County Middle  
 Bishop Hall  
 Bradwell Institute  
 Brantley County  
 Brantley County Middle  
 Brooks County  
 Brooks County Middle  
 C.A. Gray Jr. High  
 C.A. Gray Middle  
 Cairo  
 Calhoun County  
 Camden County  
 Camden County Middle  
 Charlton County  
 Citizens Christian Academy  
 Clinch County  
 Coffee County  
 Coffee County Middle  
 Colquitt Christian Academy  
 Colquitt County  
 Cook County  
 Cook County Middle  
 Crisp County  
 Crisp County Middle  
 Early County  
 Early County Middle  
 Echols County  
 Eighth Street Middle  
 Fitzgerald  
 Golden Isles Career  
 Hahira Middle  
 Irwin County  
 Irwin County Middle  
 Jane Macon Middle  
 Jeff Davis County  
 Jeff Davis Middle  
 Lanier County  
 Lanier County Middle  
 Lee County  
 Lee County Middle (East)  
 Lee County Middle (West)  
 Liberty County  
 Long County  
 Long County Middle  
 Lowndes County  
 Lowndes County Middle  
 Martha Puckett Middle  
 McIntosh Academy  
 Miller County  
 Miller County Middle  
 Mitchell County  
 Mitchell County Middle  
 NE Campus, Tift County  
 Newbern Middle\*\*  
 Pataula Charter  
 Pelham  
 Pelham Middle  
 Pierce County  
 Pierce County Middle  
 Pine Grove Middle  
 Randolph-Clay  
 Seminole County  
 Shiver Middle  
 Southwest Georgia Academy  
 Southwest Georgia STEM Charter\*\*  
 Spring Creek Charter  
 St. Mary's Middle  
 Sumter County  
 Sumter County Middle  
 Telfair County  
 Telfair County Middle  
 Terrell County  
 Thomas County Central  
 Thomas County Middle  
 Thomasville City  
 Tift County  
 Turner County  
 Turner County Middle  
 Valdosta  
 W. J. Williams Middle  
 Ware County  
 Ware County Middle  
 Washington Middle  
 Waycross Middle  
 Wayne County  
 Webster County  
 Whigham Middle  
 Wilcox County  
 Worth County  
 Worth County Middle

\*\*New Chapters\*\*



## CAREER & LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT EVENTS

### Agricultural Communications

White County, **Silver**

### Agricultural Issues

Morgan County, **Silver**

### Agricultural Technology & Mechanics

Banks County, **3rd Place; Gold**

Luke Johnson, 3rd Place Individual  
Braxton Jaworski, 8th Place Individual  
Cannon Holloway, 9th Place Individual

### Agricultural Sales

Veterans, **Gold**

Alonna McLaughlin, 7th Place Individual

### Conduct of Chapter Meetings

Gilmer County, **Silver**

### Creed Speaking

Adalyn Downs, Glascock County

**Bronze**

### Dairy Evaluation

White County, **Gold**

### Dairy Handlers

Andrew Hildreth, Putnam County  
**Silver**

### Employment Skills

Jackson Griffith, Houston County

**8th Place; Gold**

### Extemporaneous Speaking

Laney Sparks, Mary Persons

**Bronze**

### Environmental/Natural Resources

Banks County, **NATIONAL WINNER**

Raegan Gilbert, 1st Place Individual  
Miley Parker, 4th Place Individual  
Eric Ashworth, 5th Place Individual

### Floriculture

Rutland, **Gold**

### Farm & Agribusiness Management

Berrien County, **7th Place; Gold**

### Forestry

Mary Persons, **NATIONAL WINNER**

Ethan Bertram, 1st Place Individual

### Horse Evaluation

Denmark, **Silver**

### Livestock Evaluation

Madison County, **8th Place; Gold**

### Marketing Plan

Cambridge, **Gold**

### Meats Evaluation

Perry, **Silver**

### Nursery/Landscape

Rutland, **Silver**

### Parliamentary Procedure

Stephens County, **Silver**

### Poultry Evaluation

Pickens County, **Gold**

### Prepared Public Speaking

Haley Clark, Irwin County  
**Silver**

### Veterinary Science

Clarke Central, **Silver**

## PROFICIENCY FINALISTS

### Agricultural Processing

Conner Paulk, Irwin County, **NATIONAL WINNER**

### Agricultural Sales (E)

Ansley Brooke Cook, Bainbridge

### Agricultural Sales (P)

Lilliana Cabaniss, Madison County

### Beef Production (E)

Raegan Gilbert, Banks County, **NATIONAL WINNER**

### Diversified Crop Production (P)

Drevin Wilkerson, Cook County, **NATIONAL WINNER**

### Environmental/Natural Resource Management

Teeghan Jameson, Stephens County, **NATIONAL WINNER**

### Equine Science (E)

Makayla Quinn, Winder-Barrow

### Equine Science (P)

Maddox Elizabeth Link, Ware County

### Forest Management

William Fore, Wilcox County

### Fruit and Nut Production

Kenna Corbett, Echols County

### Grain Production

Mason Nunn, Morgan County, **NATIONAL WINNER**

### Landscape Management

Ethan Bertram, Mary Persons

### Outdoor Recreation

Matthew Anderson, Banks County, **NATIONAL WINNER**

### Specialty Animal Production

Evan Wayne Hardeman, Montgomery County,

### Specialty Crop Production

Owen Croft, Colquitt County

### Swine Production (E)

Presley Ray Douglas, Metter

### Swine Production (P)

Carson Lynn, Bainbridge

### Turf Grass Management

Shane Hoskins, Bainbridge



# FA CONVENTION

## NATIONAL BAND & TALENT

### National Band

Leland Guay, Northwest Whitfield  
Tristen Robins, Northwest Whitfield  
Daniel Jones, Rabun County

### National Talent

Hunter Boswell, Oglethorpe County  
Ian Mitchell-Edge, Crisp County,  
NATIONAL WINNER

## NATIONAL CHAPTER AWARDS

### Middle School Models of Excellence

Russell Middle, Top 5 Finalist  
Youth Middle, Top 3 Finalist

## HONORARY AMERICAN FFA DEGREES



L-R: Dr. Carl Nichols, Clint Oliver,  
Hope Oliver, Christy Smith, Nancy Sell,  
Micah Story, Dr. Mark Kistler,  
Dr. David West



## AGRISCIENCE FAIR

### Plant Systems

**Division 1**  
Ryker Costas  
Malcom Bridge Middle  
5th Place

**Division 2**  
Norah Brubaker  
Asher Bailey  
Malcom Bridge Middle  
2nd Place

**Division 3**  
Emi Walker  
North Oconee  
NATIONAL WINNER

**Division 5**  
Jasmine Lopez  
Pelham  
3rd Place

### Animal Systems

**Division 1**  
Erin Keith  
Franklin County Middle  
NATIONAL WINNER

**Division 2**  
Lena Steinkamp  
Christopher Butler  
Malcom Bridge Middle  
4th Place

**Division 4**  
Anna Bowen  
Elizabeth Whitley  
Franklin County Middle  
10th Place

**Division 6**  
Amelia Hembree  
Delia McElhannon  
Cedar Shoals  
2nd Place

### Power, Structure, & Technology

**Division 1**  
Sarah Sial  
Malcom Bridge Middle  
5th Place

**Division 3**  
Taylor Bruce  
Walnut Grove  
9th Place

**Division 5**  
Ross White  
Sonoraville  
5th Place

**Division 6**  
Olivia Dodd  
Wes Taylor  
Calhoun City  
8th Place

### Food Products & Processing

**Division 2**  
Kevin Joy  
Hazel Brubaker  
Malcom Bridge Middle  
4th Place

**Division 5**  
Michael Rios  
Rome  
5th Place

**Division 6**  
Katelyn Johnson  
Jackson Avery  
Pike County  
6th Place

### Environmental & Natural Resources

**Division 1**  
Chrisa Boursai  
Dove Creek Middle  
8th Place

**Division 2**  
Brinley Holloman  
JC Holloman  
Oglethorpe County Middle  
7th Place

**Division 3**  
Meredith Adams  
Franklin County  
6th Place

**Division 5**  
Kelsey Murray  
Berrien County  
8th Place

**Division 6**  
Ava Dobash  
Katie Reynolds  
Calhoun City  
4th Place

### Social Science

**Division 1**  
Ryker Davis  
Franklin County  
3rd Place

**Division 2**  
Allison Anderson  
Harper Havick  
Malcom Bridge Middle  
4th Place

**Division 5**  
Katie Spivey  
Perry  
4th Place

**Division 6**  
Naimah Nemorin  
Kayla Ramirez  
Calhoun City  
8th Place



# 181 GEORGIA FFA MEMBERS

earned the **AMERICAN FFA DEGREE**



Natalie Nicole Acker, Elbert County  
 Kylee Adams, Habersham Central  
 Madison Addy, Creekview  
 Braylee Almand, Eastside  
 Matthew Anderson, Banks County  
 Callie Michel Armour, White County High School  
 Kayle Arnold, Wayne County  
 Elizabeth Ausley, Seminole County  
 Charleigh Alise Ball, Berrien County High  
 Gracie Lynn Bananto, Northside  
 Colleen Elizabeth Barber, Ware County  
 Trey Barnes, Appling County High  
 Walker Barnes, North Hall  
 Kady Barnett, Jackson-Empower  
 Jade Anna Bearden, Southeast Whitfield  
 Caleb James Berrong, Towns County  
 Leanna Beverley, Brantley County  
 Will Blalock, Morgan County High  
 Piper Cleveland Bond, Hart College and Carrer Academy  
 Jillian Lee Bone, Echols  
 Kandace Brake, Madison County High  
 Heidi Michelle Breeden, Brantley County  
 Andrew Brown, Madison County  
 Kaylee Brown, Madison County High  
 John Gavin Burch, Atkinson County High  
 Joey Edward Burr, Lakeview Fort Oglethorpe  
 Octavia Bushey, Gilmer County  
 Lilliana Cabaniss, Madison County High  
 Garrett Carlson, Tift County Georgia  
 Jacob Ryan Camley, Harris County  
 Clark Carroll, Morgan County High  
 Cassie Nicole Carter, Habersham Central  
 Elijah Jacob Carter, Jefferson City  
 Peyton Cason, Eastside  
 Adam Caudell, Habersham Central  
 Amanda Blake Chambless, Tift County  
 Bethany Lynn Champion, Sonoraville  
 Bella Chandler, Jackson-Empower  
 William Mason Chestnut, Wayne County  
 Annale Hope Claxton, Jeff Davis County  
 Cooper Coody, Eastside  
 Jimmy Cade Corbitt, Atkinson County High  
 Jesse Cronin, Jackson-Empower  
 Avery Monroe Cross, Ringgold  
 Ryan Crumley, Banks County  
 Marshall David Cutler, East Laurens  
 Aidan Ellis Davis, Pelham High School  
 Maley Claire Dawkins, Franklin County High  
 Lily Beth Day, Wayne County  
 Levi A Durham, Washington-Wilkes  
 Nathan Durham, Washington-Wilkes  
 Landon Exum, Berrien County High  
 Evan Zetler Fish, Fannin County High School  
 Rylee M Flanagan, Camden County  
 Colby Blaine Folendore, Jones County  
 William Duane Fore, Wilcox County  
 Tanner Forehand, Screven County High  
 William Fortson, Elbert County High  
 Hannah Marie Garrett, White County High School  
 Jenna Leigh Gentry, Southeast Whitfield

Cody Gerard, North Oconee  
 Eliza Jane Glover, White County High  
 Clifton Cameron Gooch, Dodge County High School  
 Macy Marie Goodman, Bainbridge  
 Ansley Kate Greer, Fullington Academy  
 Ava Kirkland Greer, Fullington Academy  
 Caleb Griffin, Bacon County  
 Lilly Hamby, Stephens County High  
 Brock Hammond, Washington-Wilkes  
 Jacob Allen Harper, Pelham High School  
 Adrienne Hix, Stephens County High  
 Sydney Holcomb, Oglethorpe County  
 Taylor Horton, Eastside  
 Michael Howard, Jackson-Empower  
 Jackson Hudson, Elbert County High  
 David Huff, Madison County High  
 Taylor Hunt, Bradwell Institute  
 Journi Hunter, Newton College and Career Academy  
 Payton Karrington Jackson, Banks County High  
 Abby Kate Joyner, Burke County High School  
 Kaylin Keen, Winder-Barrow  
 Isaac Kent, Jackson-Empower  
 Carrie Keown, Stephens County High  
 Lily Grace G Kinsey, Echols County  
 Margaret Eileen Knapck, Perry  
 Ada Lamon, Newton College and Career Academy  
 Jack Lingenfelter, Coffee High  
 Ina Little, Rabun County  
 Madison Lowery, Coahulla Creek  
 Caitlin Mackenzie Loy, Lakeview Fort Oglethorpe  
 Matt Malcom, Morgan County High  
 Charles Andrew Maney, Habersham Central  
 Tripp Marks, Newton College and Career Academy  
 Kendall Martin, North Forsyth  
 Alex Massey, Eastside  
 Grace McClain, Habersham Central  
 Emma Grace McConnell, Union County  
 Kade Morgan McDonald, Atkinson County High  
 Laney Victoria McGee, Stephens County High  
 Tanner McGee, Union County  
 Graycee Lauren McNease, Miller County  
 William Malory Miller, Seminole County  
 Alayna J Mitchell, Peach County  
 Rachel Olivia Mize, Hart College and Career Academy  
 Matthew Jimmy Paul Mizell, Atkinson County  
 Macy Kathleen Morgan, South Effingham High  
 Wyatt Mack Morgan, Marion County  
 Kenneth Payne Murphree, Early County  
 Mykenna Drew Nettles, Perry  
 Jacob Newsome, Washington-Wilkes  
 Larson Newsome, Lee County High  
 Samuel Luke Nichols, Berrien County  
 Thomas Owen Nichols, Berrien County  
 Joseph Blake Nicholson, Fannin County  
 Carson Bennett Norris, Paulding County  
 Karoline Norton, Morgan County High  
 Lillian Grace Norton, Cairo  
 Tanner Maclay Norton, Cairo High School  
 Paul Oliver, Tattnall County  
 Raymond Pan, Clarke Central

Maddox Reed Pardue, White County  
 Bentley Shane Parker, Haralson County High School  
 Lillian Peppers, Lee County  
 Jordan Lynette Phillips, Harris County HS  
 Andrew Pitchford, Newton College and Career Academy  
 Rodgis Ponder, Newton College and Career Academy  
 Tyler Michael Poythress, Jones County  
 Jacob Price, Jefferson City  
 Ethan Pruitt, Madison County High  
 Carah Pulliam, Franklin County High  
 Chloe Pulliam, Franklin County High  
 Madison Race, North Georgia Christian  
 Cindy Ramos-Ayala, Eastside  
 Canyon T Randall, Franklin County High  
 Hunter Raulerson, Pierce County  
 Ashlyn Nicole Reddick, Burke County High  
 Brianna Reed, East Hall  
 Dylan Rice, Habersham Central  
 Bryce S Rogers, Stephens County High  
 Allie Royston, Franklin County High  
 Hoyt Eugene Sartain, White County  
 Hugh Edward Scarborough, Seminole County  
 Ryah Sewell, Newton College and Career Academy  
 Jace Shirah, Eastside  
 Wes Shirah, Cook High  
 Virgil Calhoun Simmons, Pataula Charter  
 BethAnn Riley Smith, Seminole County  
 Macee Smith, South Effingham High  
 Silas Ellis Smith, Pelham High School  
 Walker Stephens, Morgan County High  
 Emma Rebecca Storey, Jefferson City  
 Ella Strickland, Jackson-Empower  
 Jack Thomas Strickland, Cairo  
 Hannah Sullivan, Apalachee  
 Benjamin Swain, Pierce County  
 Kelly Ann Tanner, Jones County High School  
 Aidan Taylor, South Effingham High  
 Jackson Thornton, Washington-Wilkes  
 Gracie Lynn Treadaway, Chattooga County  
 Gordon Treber, Manchester  
 Emma Turner, Oconee County High  
 Willow Waldrep, Mary Persons  
 Chase Wimbric Walker, Dodge County High School  
 Haigen Jean Walker, Irwin County  
 LaJerrick Walton, Pataula Charter  
 Elizabeth Ward, Pike County High School  
 Lacey Rae Weddington, Northside High  
 Rylee Wells, Chattooga  
 Casey Matthew West, White County High School  
 Gennah Ruth White, Paulding County High School  
 Warner White, Newton College and Career Academy  
 Katelin Wilber, Eastside  
 Shanna Wilkerson, Emanuel County Institute  
 Abigail Williams, Newton College and Career Academy  
 Isabella Brooke Williams, Northwest Whitfield  
 Kathryn Williams, Berrien County High  
 Megan Williams, Effingham College & Career Academy  
 Natalie Wisekal, Perry High  
 Sawyer Wishon, North Georgia Christian  
 Brock Yeomans, Pierce County  
 Kinsey Youngblood, White County



# GEORGIA FFA CAREER DEVELOPMENT EVENTS WINNERS



## **Agricultural Communications**

Tift County

## **Agricultural Education**

Bella Hambrick  
Madison County

## **Agricultural Mechanics**

Colquitt County

## **Agricultural Technology & Equipment ID**

Central Middle

## **Agricultural Sales**

Wilcox County

## **Conduct of Chapter Meetings**

Pine Grove Middle

## **Creed**

Reagan Crawford  
Clifton Ridge Middle

## **Dairy Evaluation SR**

Lee County

## **Dairy Evaluation JR**

North Hall Middle

## **Discussion Meet**

Molly Huff  
Winder Barrow

## **Electrical Wiring**

Luke Wheatley  
Banks County

## **Employment Skills**

Makena Blalock  
Sonoraville

## **Environmental/ Natural Resources SR**

Jefferson County

## **Environmental/ Natural Resources JR**

Banks County

## **Extemporaneous Speaking**

Iasbelle Williams  
Madison County

## **Farm & Agribusiness Management**

White County

## **FFA Quiz**

Isabella Sailor  
Perry

## **Floral Design SR**

Kyndal Walker  
Irwin County

## **Floral Design JR**

Addison Temples  
Bainbridge

## **Floriculture SR**

Colquitt County

## **Floriculture JR**

East Jackson Middle

## **Forestry SR**

Mary Persons

## **Forestry JR**

Brantley County

## **Forestry Field Day SR**

Echols County

## **Forestry Field Day JR**

Central Middle

## **Horse Evaluation SR**

Rutland

## **Horse Evaluation JR**

Pike County

## **Land Evaluation SR**

North Murray

## **Land Evaluation JR**

Mary Persons

## **Lawnmower Operations HS**

Grayson McPaul  
Ware County

## **Lawnmower Operations MS**

Bailey McWhorter  
Central Middle

## **Livestock Evaluation SR**

Berrien County

## **Livestock Evaluation JR**

Tift County

## **Marketing Plan**

Gilmer County

## **Meats Evaluation SR**

Veterans

## **Meats Evaluation JR**

Perry

## **Nursery/Landscape SR**

Mary Persons

## **Nursery/Landscape JR**

Ware County

## **Parliamentary Procedure**

Gilmer County

## **Poultry Evaluation SR**

North Oconee

## **Poultry Evaluation JR**

Oconee County Middle

## **Prepared Public Speaking SR**

Jabe Andrews  
Banks County

## **Prepared Public Speaking JR**

Dheer Mehrotra  
Malcom Bridge Middle

## **Tractor Operations**

Timothy Emory  
Colquitt County

## **Wildlife Management SR**

Banks County

## **Wildlife Management JR**

Lee County

## **Veterinary Science SR**

Creekview

## **Veterinary Science JR**

Hahira Middle

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Agricultural Communications	12	3	6%	16	4	10%	4	1	2%	0	0	0%	8	2	6%	8	2	8%	48	5%
Agricultural Education	18	18	34%	18	18	43%	8	8	16%	14	14	40%	9	9	29%	11	11	42%	78	33%
Agricultural Mechanics, Sr.	32	8	15%	40	10	24%	32	8	16%	35	9	26%	16	4	13%	16	4	15%	171	18%
Agricultural Sales	88	23	43%	47	12	29%	28	7	14%	32	8	23%	32	8	26%	40	10	38%	267	29%
Agricultural Technology & Equipment ID	56	15	19%	89	23	28%	43	11	14%	46	14	25%	60	15	28%	59	15	30%	353	23%
Agriscience Fair	44	11	14%	152	23	28%	25	6	8%	12	6	11%	33	7	13%	14	4	8%	280	14%
American FFA Degree	20	15	28%	85	25	60%	16	7	14%	10	7	20%	21	12	39%	27	13	50%	179	33%
COLT Conference	20	3	4%	64	8	10%	63	10	13%	37	5	9%	61	6	11%	29	4	8%	274	9%
Conduct of Chapter Meetings	35	5	6%	28	4	5%	12	2	3%	12	2	4%	35	5	9%	42	6	12%	164	6%
Dairy Cattle Judging, Jr.	45	12	15%	42	11	13%	15	4	5%	4	1	2%	16	4	8%	15	4	8%	137	9%
Dairy Cattle Judging, Sr.	45	12	23%	27	7	17%	16	4	8%	4	1	3%	12	3	10%	15	4	15%	119	13%
Discovery Conference	48	6	21%	122	16	40%	164	15	50%	61	7	33%	25	4	18%	64	6	25%	484	33%
EMC Electrical Wiring	10	10	19%	11	11	26%	7	7	14%	10	10	29%	7	7	23%	7	7	27%	52	22%
Employment Skills	36	36	68%	30	30	71%	28	28	56%	19	19	54%	24	24	77%	16	16	62%	153	65%
Environmental Natural Resources, Jr.	35	9	11%	39	11	13%	32	8	10%	44	11	20%	42	11	21%	80	20	40%	272	17%
Environmental Natural Resources, Sr.	39	10	19%	55	14	33%	36	9	18%	40	10	29%	28	7	23%	52	13	50%	250	16%
Extemporaneous Speaking	21	21	40%	21	21	50%	18	18	36%	8	8	23%	10	10	32%	10	10	38%	88	37%
Farm & Agribusiness Management	55	14	26%	75	19	45%	39	10	20%	28	7	20%	47	12	39%	24	6	23%	268	29%
FFA Creed Speaking	56	56	69%	61	61	74%	54	54	68%	39	39	70%	37	37	70%	35	35	70%	282	70%
FFA Day at the Fair	510	19	23%	453	23	28%	662	28	35%	444	20	36%	636	24	45%	269	10	20%	2,974	31%
FFA Discussion Meet	13	13	25%	15	15	36%	14	14	18%	9	9	26%	15	15	48%	15	15	58%	81	34%
FFA Quiz	49	49	60%	62	62	76%	42	42	53%	32	32	58%	38	38	72%	35	35	70%	258	64%
Floral Design, Jr.	30	30	37%	50	50	61%	33	33	41%	29	29	52%	24	24	45%	36	36	72%	202	50%
Floral Design, Sr.	31	31	58%	27	27	64%	26	26	52%	23	23	66%	19	19	61%	21	21	81%	147	62%
Floriculture, Jr.	118	31	38%	154	41	50%	110	28	35%	75	20	36%	93	24	45%	73	20	40%	623	41%
Floriculture, Sr.	129	33	62%	108	27	64%	96	24	48%	71	18	51%	83	21	68%	59	15	58%	546	58%
Forestry Field Day, Jr.	66	7	9%	46	6	7%	68	7	14%	49	5	9%	32	8	15%	36	9	18%	297	10%
Forestry Field Day, Sr.	55	5	9%	61	6	14%	33	3	6%	62	6	17%	20	5	16%	46	12	46%	277	16%
Forestry, Jr.	20	5	6%	28	7	9%	22	6	8%	24	6	11%	58	6	11%	150	21	42%	302	13%
Forestry, Sr.	40	10	19%	32	8	19%	28	7	14%	31	8	23%	33	3	10%	114	13	50%	278	21%
Georgia FFA Convention	875	81	100%	1204	82	100%	1120	76	95%	552	56	100%	670	50	94%	657	49	98%	5,078	98%



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Greenhand Jamboree	7	3	6%	30	10	24%	11	4	5%	12	3	5%	24	5	16%	13	4	15%	97	7%
Horse Judging, Jr.	27	7	9%	53	14	17%	21	6	8%	8	2	4%	20	5	9%	23	6	12%	152	10%
Horse Judging, Sr.	25	7	13%	35	9	21%	21	6	12%	4	1	3%	8	2	6%	16	4	15%	109	12%
Land Judging, Jr.	35	10	12%	23	8	10%	20	5	6%	24	6	11%	19	5	9%	15	4	8%	136	9%
Land Judging, Sr.	44	11	21%	21	6	14%	24	6	12%	27	7	20%	27	7	23%	19	5	19%	162	10%
Lawnmower Operations, HS	22	22	42%	22	22	52%	20	20	40%	20	20	57%	19	19	61%	16	16	62%	119	50%
Lawnmower Operations, MS	14	14	50%	24	24	60%	7	7	23%	10	10	48%	10	10	45%	7	7	29%	72	44%
Livestock Judging, Jr.	75	20	25%	74	19	23%	55	14	18%	40	10	18%	76	19	36%	71	18	36%	391	25%
Livestock Judging, Sr.	64	18	34%	39	10	24%	51	13	26%	44	11	31%	48	12	39%	51	14	54%	297	33%
Marketing Plan	9	3	6%	18	6	14%	6	2	4%	3	1	3%	6	2	6%	6	2	8%	48	7%
Meats Evaluation, Jr.	76	20	25%	90	23	28%	50	13	16%	40	10	18%	44	11	21%	48	14	28%	348	23%
Meats Evaluation, Sr.	67	18	34%	49	13	31%	70	18	36%	44	11	31%	48	12	39%	48	13	50%	326	36%
Middle School FFA Recordbook	40	27	96%	65	37	93%	44	27	90%	32	21	100%	54	22	100%	44	23	96%	279	95%
National Chapter Award Application	74	74	91%	78	78	95%	68	68	85%	53	53	95%	13	13	25%	17	17	34%	303	75%
National FFA Week Observance	60	60	74%	64	64	78%	64	64	80%	50	50	89%	42	42	79%	39	39	78%	319	79%
Nursery Landscape, Jr.	84	22	27%	74	19	23%	49	13	16%	48	12	21%	63	17	32%	51	13	26%	369	24%
Nursery Landscape, Sr.	67	18	34%	59	15	36%	45	12	24%	27	7	20%	48	12	39%	38	10	38%	284	31%
Parliamentary Procedure	30	5	9%	36	6	14%	12	2	3%	12	2	6%	30	5	16%	30	5	19%	150	11%
Poultry Judging, Jr.	97	25	31%	110	29	35%	90	23	29%	52	13	23%	48	14	26%	54	14	28%	451	29%
Poultry Judging, Sr.	145	37	70%	86	22	52%	56	14	28%	57	15	43%	71	19	61%	68	17	65%	483	52%
Prepared Public Speaking, Jr.	21	21	26%	27	27	33%	13	13	16%	18	18	32%	18	18	34%	22	22	44%	119	30%
Prepared Public Speaking, Sr.	29	29	55%	21	21	50%	22	22	44%	18	18	51%	10	10	32%	14	14	54%	114	48%
Proficiency Awards	99	51	96%	121	41	98%	98	40	80%	60	33	94%	68	25	81%	85	26	100%	531	91%
State FFA Degree	150	46	87%	177	40	95%	159	42	84%	104	32	91%	113	24	77%	105	25	96%	808	88%
Success Conference	25	5	9%	72	14	33%	37	4	8%	16	2	6%	24	5	16%	47	5	19%	221	15%
Summer Leadership Camp	489	41	51%	568	47	57%	398	32	40%	307	28	50%	281	22	42%	364	30	60%	2,407	50%
Tractor Operation & Maintenance	23	23	43%	20	20	48%	17	17	34%	20	20	57%	17	17	55%	15	15	58%	112	47%
Veterinary Science, Jr.	115	32	40%	134	35	43%	98	25	31%	56	14	25%	57	15	28%	106	27	54%	566	37%
Veterinary Science, Sr.	123	31	58%	111	27	64%	102	26	52%	88	22	63%	58	17	55%	76	19	73%	558	60%
Wildlife Management, Jr.	128	35	43%	107	28	34%	85	22	28%	86	23	41%	76	19	36%	107	28	56%	589	39%
Wildlife Management, Sr.	165	42	79%	122	31	74%	99	21	42%	100	26	74%	74	20	65%	68	17	65%	628	66%





# GEORGIA FFA PROFICIENCY AWARD WINNERS



## Agricultural Communications

Gloria Canup, Newton CCA

## Agricultural Education

Tyson Lasseter, Tift County

## Agricultural Mechanics Fabrication & Design

Nathaniel Hall, Effingham CCA

## Agricultural Mechanics Repair & Maintenance, Entr.

Luke Wheatly, Banks County

## Agricultural Mechanics Repair & Maintenance, Placement

Liam Parks, Mary Persons

## Agricultural Processing

Adam Rhodes, Mary Persons

## Agricultural Sales, Entr.

Emily Stone, Lowndes County

## Agricultural Sales, Placement

Jake Parham, Franklin County



## Agricultural Services

Bella Beasley, Wayne County

## Agriscience Research - Animal Systems

Rebekah Hunter, CA Gray Jr High

## Agriscience Research - Integrated Systems

Abigail Griffin, Berrien County

## Agriscience Research - Plant Systems

Grayson Oliver, Cedar Shoals

## Beef Production, Entr.

Kylie Hurd, Sonoraville

## Beef Production, Placement

Martina Alley, Madison County

## Dairy Production, Entr.

Michael Bushey, Gilmer County

## Dairy Production, Placement

Samantha Price, Houston County

## Diversified Agriculture Production

Gracie Woodward, Alcovy

## Diversified Crop Production Entr.

Mason Nunn, Morgan County

## Diversified Crop Production Placement

Justin Pope, Irwin County



## Diversified Horticulture

Abigail Baird, Winder-Barrow

## Diversified Livestock Production

Emma Lawrence, ECI

## Env. Science & Natural Res. Management

Olivia Hogg, LaGrange

## Equine Science, Entr.

Brooklyn Parlor, Jeff Davis

## Equine Science, Placement

Jalyn Fish, Morgan County

## Fiber & Oil Crop Production

Tate Torpy, Swainsboro

## Forage Production

Dustin Brannen, Screven County

## Forest Management & Products

Elizabeth Griner, Pierce County

## Fruit & Nut Production

Mallory South, Upson Lee

## Goat Production

Joni Phillips, Berrien County

## Grain Production

Gavin Oliver, Wayne County

## Landscape Installation

Eduardo Nunez, Cook County

## Nursery Operations

Emily Thompson, Colquitt County

## Outdoor Recreation

Corbin Blackwelder, Thomson

## Poultry Production

Jaxson Crawford, Ringgold

## Service Learning

Haley Jarrell, Newton CCA

## Sheep Production

Lola Talton, Mary Persons

## Small Animal Production & Care

Anna Grace Hunter, Colquitt County

## Specialty Animal Production

Lindsay Moore, Ware County

## Specialty Crop Production

Gabrielle Copeland, Locust Grove

## Swine Production, Entr.

Meah Hobbs, LaFayette

## Swine Production, Placement

Emory Crane, Winder-Barrow

## Turf Grass Management

Austin Putnam, Apalachee

## Vegetable Production

Drevin Wilkerson, Cook County

## Veterinary Science

Searliat Frey, Creekview



## Wildlife Management

Grace Barrett, Coffee County



# GEORGIA FFA MIDDLE SCHOOL RECORD BOOK WINNERS



## Ag Sales/ Marketing

Nathan Camp  
Youth Middle

## Crop Production

Colton Braswell  
North Habersham Middle

## Home & Community Development

Gabe Williams  
Pierce County Middle

**Horticulture**  
Bradley Perez  
Toombs County Middle

**Livestock Production**  
Joleigh Hulsey  
Berrien County Middle

**Natural Resource Systems**  
Levi Hadsock  
Pine Grove Middle



**Poultry**  
Lily Hardy  
Haymon Morris Middle

## Power Structure & Technical Systems

Athena Stephens  
Pike County Middle

**Small/Specialty Animal**  
Cody Hunter  
W.J. Williams Middle



# GEORGIA FFA AGRISCIENCE FAIR STATE WINNERS



## Animal Systems

### Division 1

Nathan Camp, Youth Middle

### Division 2

London Young & Ella Bennett,  
Oglethorpe County Middle

### Division 3

Rishita Kunam, Denmark

### Division 4

Anna Bowen & Madee Hardy,  
Franklin County

### Division 5

Omnia Mansour, Cedar Shoals

### Division 6

Wade Ross & Alyssa Skinner,  
Lowndes County

## Environmental/Natural Resources

### Division 1

Melanie Carter, Youth Middle

### Division 2

Arden Chitwood & Evie Moon,  
Youth Middle

### Division 3

Meredith Adams, Franklin County

### Division 4

Marleigh Compton & Luisa Alarcon,  
Walnut Grove

### Division 5

Abigail Griffin, Berrien County

### Division 6

Anaswara Chackonal & Caleb Arzu,  
Archer

## Food Product/Processing Systems

### Division 1

Macie Davis, Youth Middle

### Division 2

Avery Adams & Ella Gran,  
Youth Middle

### Division 3

Erin Keith, Franklin County

### Division 4

Emma Bennett & Addy Ryle,  
Sonoraville

### Division 5

Emma Gaither, Berrien County

### Division 6

Gracie Helton & Milly Maddox,  
Apalachee

## Plant Systems

### Division 1

Zoe McCornell, Youth Middle

### Division 2

Katie Brown & Anna Barker,  
Youth Middle

### Division 3

Cordelia Simmons, Franklin County

### Division 4

Sydney Harper & Birdie Smoot,  
Walnut Grove

### Division 5

Jin Lee, Winder Barrow

### Division 6

Alyssa Helton & Abby Anderson-Elmore,  
Jefferson City

## Power Structure/Technical Systems

### Division 1

Britton Bryant, Haymon Morris Middle

### Division 2

Cohen Roberts & Cole Lance,  
Youth Middle

### Division 3

Hess Fowler, Franklin County

### Division 4

Brooke Williams & Will Pass,  
Calhoun City

### Division 5

Christa Washington, Haralson County

### Division 6

Austin Putnam & Kolton Gray,  
Apalachee

## Social Systems

### Division 1

Ashlyn Wood, Youth Middle

### Division 2

Skyler Cabrera & Olivia Witherspoon,  
Youth Middle

### Division 3

Alainna Sharp, Walnut Grove

### Division 4

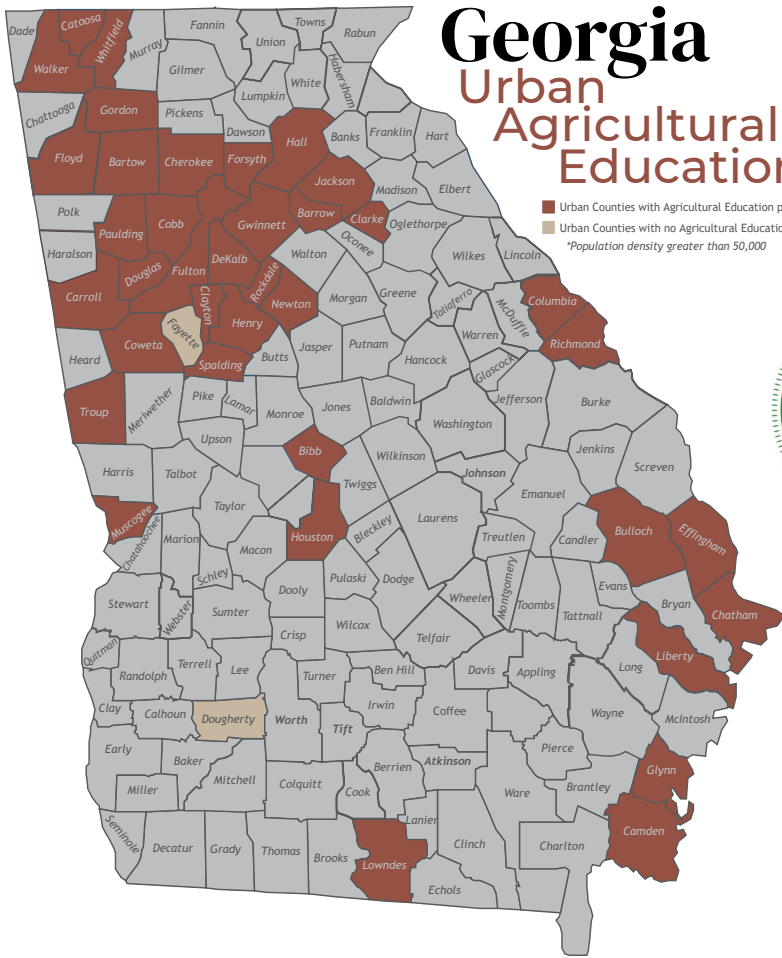
William Pope & Morgan Perry,  
Adairsville

### Division 5

Reese Sorrow, Jackson Empower

### Division 6

Kayla Ramirez & Naimah Nemorin,  
Calhoun City



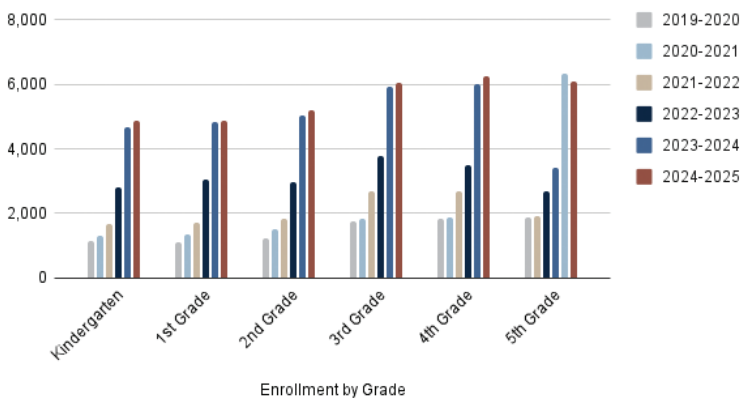
Urban / Suburban Specialist, Veronica Owens, explored 22 Agriculture Education programs across the state



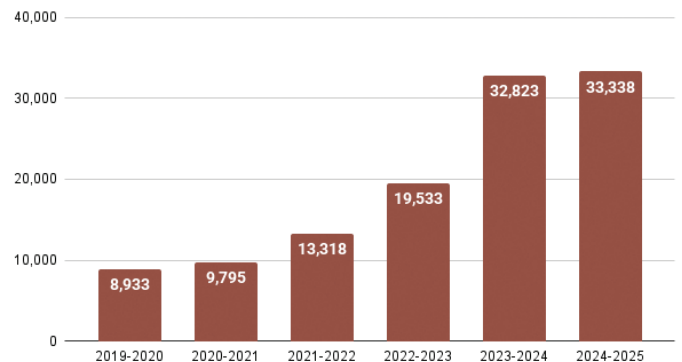
# Elementary Agricultural Education



Georgia Elementary Ag Ed Enrollment



Georgia Elementary Ag Ed Enrollment Summary



**GEORGIA AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION** in conjunction with **GEORGIA FARM BUREAU**  
 Congratulates the Agricultural Education programs that achieved  
**Industry Certification** in 2024-2025



**Forestry**  
 Newton College &  
 Career Academy

**Horticulture**  
 Eastside High School



**GEORGIA FFA MEMBERSHIP**

**Top 5 High School Chapters**

1. Jackson-Empower - 513 members
2. Southeast Whitfield - 464 members
3. Long County - 403 members
4. Madison County - 381 members
5. Tift County - 380 members

**Top 5 Middle School Chapters**

1. Youth Middle - 682 members
2. WJ Williams Middle - 648 members
3. Loganville Middle - 645 members
4. Gardner-Newman Middle - 636 members
5. Oconee County Middle - 628 members

**CDE Participation (Total Numbers):**

1. Wildlife Management, Sr., 628
2. Floriculture, Jr., 623
3. Wildlife Management, Jr., 589
4. Vet Science, Jr., 566
5. Floriculture, Sr., 558

(based on total number of students 2024-2025 CDE Participation)

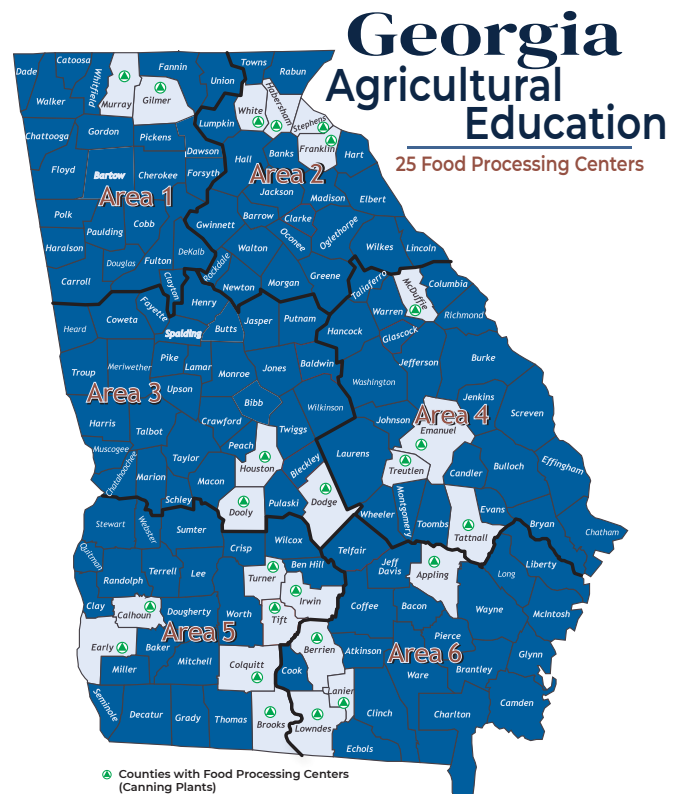
**CDE/LDE Participation (Total %):**

1. FFA Creed Speaking, 70%
2. Wildlife Management, Sr, 66%
3. Employment Skills, 65%
4. FFA Quiz, 64%
5. Floral Design, Sr., 62%

(based on 2024-2025 CDE total percent of chapters with competitors)

**66 Elementary Ag Ed Programs**

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| Appling County Elementary<br>Banks County Elementary<br>Barnett Shoals Elementary<br>Berrien County Elementary<br>Brantley County Elementary<br>Appling County Elementary<br>Athens Christian<br>Banks County Elementary<br>Barnett Shoals Elementary<br>Berrien County Elementary<br>Brantley County Elementary<br>Bruce Elementary<br>Carnesville Elementary<br>Center Elementary<br>Chattahoochee Hills Charter<br>Citizens Christian Academy<br>Claxton Elementary<br>Cogburn Woods Elementary<br>Colbert Elementary<br>Colham Ferry Elementary<br>Comer Elementary<br>Danielsville Elementary<br>East Jackson Elementary<br>East Laurens Elementary<br>Evoline C. West Elementary<br>Frances Meeks Elementary<br>Friendship Elementary<br>Futral Road Elementary<br>Gilbert Elementary<br>Hamilton Elementary<br>Hill City Elementary<br>Hull-Sanford Elementary<br>Ila Elementary<br>J. D. Davis Elementary<br>J. M. Odom Elementary<br>John H. Heard Elementary | Lanier County Elementary<br>Metter Elementary<br>Michelle Obama STEM Elementary Academy<br>Montgomery County Elementary<br>Mt. Zion Elementary<br>Newton County Steam Academy<br>North Brooks Elementary<br>Northwest Laurens Elementary<br>Oakley Elementary<br>Patterson Elementary<br>Pelham Elementary<br>Pike County Elementary<br>Putnam County Primary<br>Quitman Elementary<br>R.M. Moore Elementary<br>Rincon Elementary<br>Rock Springs Elementary<br>Rossville Elementary<br>Saddle Ridge Elementary<br>Seminole County Elementary<br>Sharp Creek Elementary<br>Shiver Elementary<br>South Columbus Elementary<br>Southwest Laurens Elementary<br>Springfield Elementary<br>Stone Creek Elementary<br>Swainsboro Elementary<br>Turner County Elementary<br>Upson Lee Primary<br>Waresboro Elementary<br>Washington Middle<br>Westside Elementary<br>Whigham Elementary<br>Wilcox Elementary |
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# Georgia has two FFA-FCCLA Centers!

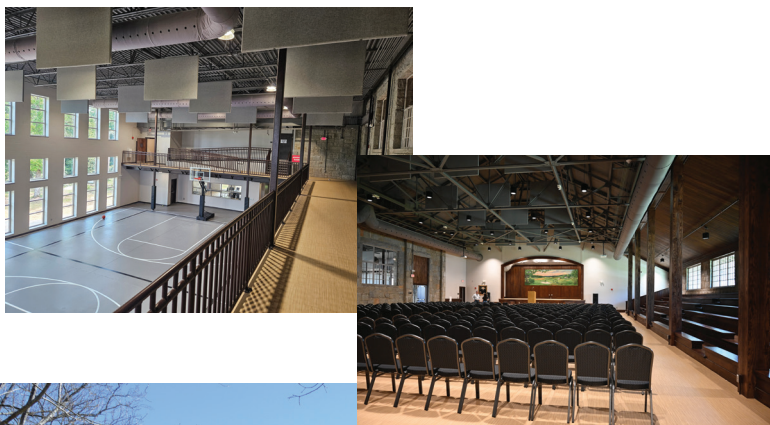
Georgia is unique because we have two FFA-FCCLA Centers! The Georgia FFA-FCCLA Center in Covington started in 1937, and Camp John Hope in Fort Valley started in 1938.

The FFA-FCCLA Centers operate year-round. In addition to Summer Leadership Camp, the Centers offer Leadership Retreats for chapters, and they conduct programs such as Wildlife Camps, Horse Camps, and Internships for college students.

Georgia FFA hosts many events at the facilities, including Greenhand Jamboree, Success Conference, Discovery Conference, Officer Training, State CDE's, and State Officer Retreats.

When not used for FFA programs, the Centers rent facilities to organizations who use the cabins, meeting rooms, recreation, and food service. Facility Rental provides 90% of the operating budget for the Centers so that the facility can be kept affordable for FFA students.

In 2024 the FFA-FCCLA Centers had over 66,000 guests and served over 153,000 meals. There were groups on site for 336 of 365 days in 2024!



*Georgia*  
FFA-FCCLA  
*Center*



## Mobley Hall Reopens

Mobley Hall, one of the original and historic buildings, received a two-year renovation and opened in 2025! The auditorium and canteen area have been fully renovated. There is also an addition that includes an indoor basketball court, craft shop, and meeting space. A Ribbon Cutting Ceremony was held on February 26, 2025. We are proud that the next generation of FFA students will use and create memories in this historic building.

For questions regarding the FFA-FCCA Center in Covington, contact:

**Russel Towns**, Camp Manager  
(678) 941-7651 | RTowns@GaAgEd.org

## Youth Camps

The Camp John Hope FFA-FCCLA Center's new educational facility is currently under construction, along with renovations to the existing activity center. An ag mechanics lab, a horticulture lab, and two additional classrooms will be added, along with renovated bathrooms. The new educational facility will also house the offices of the Central Region Agricultural Education staff and is already serving as their temporary location.



Outside of the new developments, campers are enjoying Camp John Hope's expanded activity offerings. These include paintball, Water Olympics, Slip-and-Slide Kickball, and a Home Run Derby. New additions to the mud/obstacle course are underway. Construction is also in progress on a new slip-and-slide attraction, which will feature a 200-foot slide.



# Camp John Hope

FFA-FCCLA Center

From the pool to paintball, campers are developing leadership skills while participating in exciting new activities—creating memories that will last a lifetime.

For more information regarding Camp John Hope, contact:

**Kevin Jump**, Camp Manager  
(478) 967-2302 | [kjump@gaaged.org](mailto:kjump@gaaged.org)



# GEORGIA YOUNG FARMERS ASSOCIATION

The largest state association of the National Young Farmers Educational Association with more than 6,484 members and 65 Young Farmer programs.

## 2024-2025 Highlights

The 2025 GYFA Summer Tour was held in Stephens County on June 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> in Toccoa, Ga.  
 The 2024 GYFA Livestock Show was held in Perry, GA on August 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> with 549 exhibitors showing beef cattle, hogs, market goats, market lambs & dairy cattle.

## Convention in Review

The 2025 GYFA Convention was held at the Jekyll Island Convention Center on January 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>, with over 600 members and guests celebrating the organization's accomplishments for the year.

### YOUNG AG PROFESSIONAL AWARD

Josh Hollingsworth,  
Carroll County

### YOUNG BEGINNING/ PRODUCERS AWARD

Knapp Boddiford,  
Screven County

### CHAPTER PRESIDENT AWARD

Greg Long,  
Pickens County

### OUTSTANDING CHAPTER AWARD

Franklin County  
Advisor: Taylor Brown

### ADVISOR OF THE YEAR

Lauren Jarrett,  
Chattooga County

### 2024 GYFA LIVESTOCK SHOW CHAMPIONS

GRAND CHAMPION  
DAIRY HEIFER  
Lane Bridges  
Chattooga County



GRAND CHAMPION  
MARKET DOE  
Aly Corzine  
Veterans High

GRAND CHAMPION  
BREEDING GILT  
Jaxon Tucker  
Tift County



GRAND CHAMPION  
MARKET WETHER  
Levi Roberts  
Worth County

GRAND CHAMPION  
MARKET HOG  
Henry Cawley  
Tift County



GRAND CHAMPION  
MARKET EWES  
Jerrett Kendrick  
Turner County

SUPREME CHAMPION  
BREEDING HEIFER  
Clayton Sellers  
Colquitt County



GRAND CHAMPION  
MARKET WETHER  
Luke Keener  
White County

GRAND CHAMPION  
MARKET BEEF  
Audrey Brown  
Madison County



OUTSTANDING  
FARM FAMILY  
Aries & Megan Haygood,  
Toombs County

LEADERSHIP  
DEVELOPMENT

AGRICULTURAL  
EDUCATION

AG  
AWARENESS &  
COMMUNITY  
ENGAGEMENT



# 2025 GYFA STATE OFFICERS

**President**  
Jamie Tate  
Jeff Davis

**Past President**  
Kevin Walraven  
Gordon County

**President Elect**  
Jeff Braswell  
Seminole County

**Vice President**  
Cole Roper  
Franklin County

**Secretary**  
Dalton Green  
Walker County

**Treasurer**  
James Thomason  
Stephens County

**Director of Public Relations**  
Dustin Bowen  
Seminole County

**Directors**  
Andy Crawford  
Atkinson County

Brittany Saylor  
Tift County

Landon Cowart  
Toombs County

Dylan Binkley  
Crawford County

Hope Nichols  
Stephens County

Brandon Wilson  
Walker County

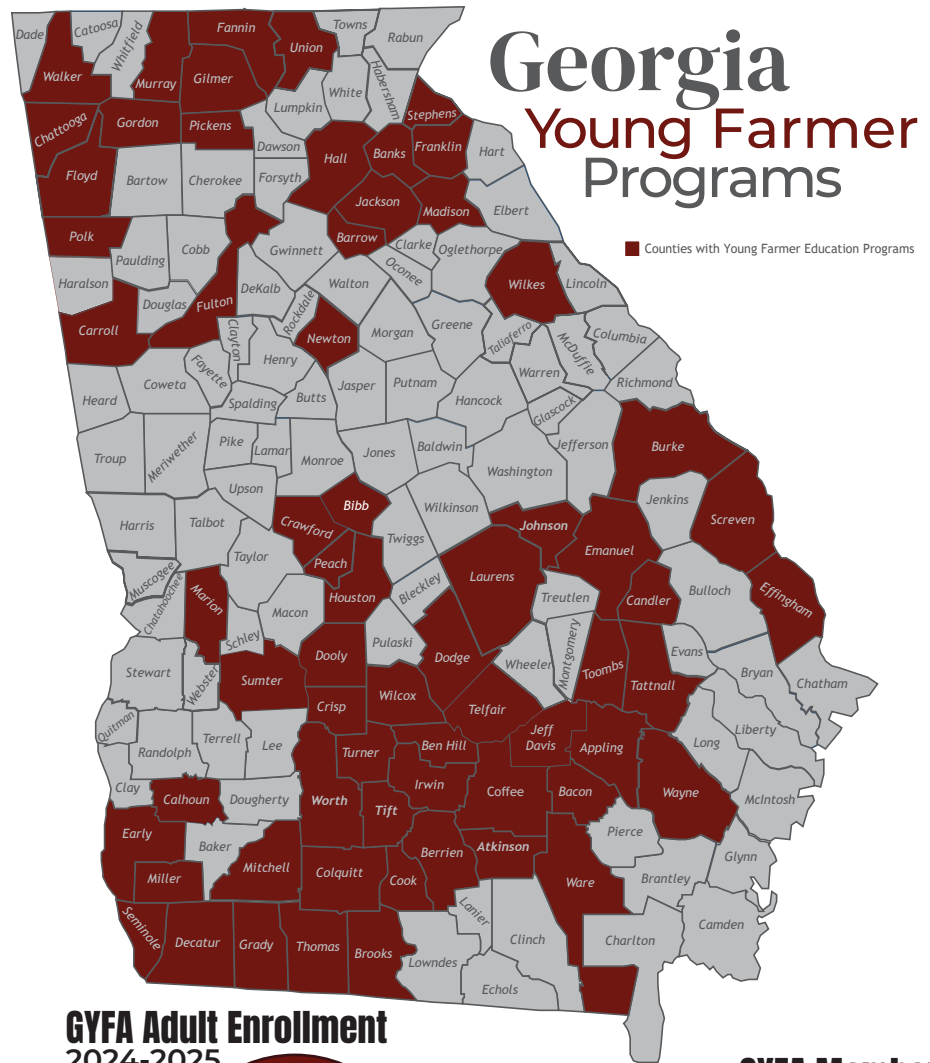
**Parliamentarian**  
Spencer Highsmith  
Coffee County

**Chaplain**  
Derick Wooten  
Jeff Davis County

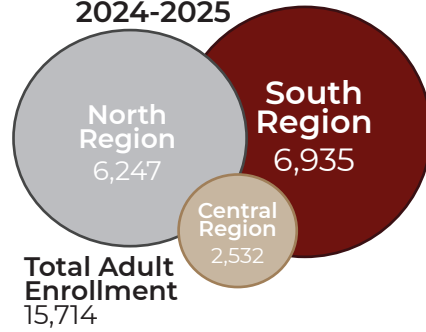
**Advisor**  
Billy Hughes

**Executive Secretary**  
Martin Bius

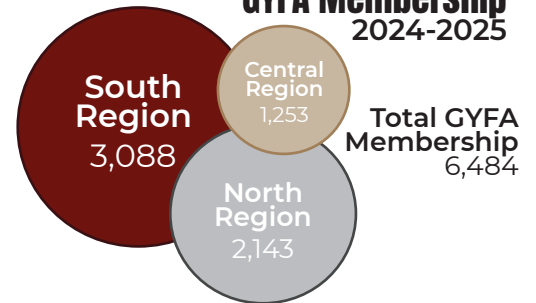
**Administrative Assistant**  
Heather Schmidt



## GYFA Adult Enrollment 2024-2025



## GYFA Membership 2024-2025



## THE GYFA MISSION

To provide lifelong learning, leadership development and networking opportunities to our members and to increase agricultural awareness among all citizens.



**2025 GEORGIA YOUNG FARMER BOARD MEMBERS**



# Georgia FFA Alumni Association

## 2024-2025 State FFA Alumni Council Members

**President**  
BRYCE ROLAND

**Past President**  
SUE SMITH

**President-Elect**  
KATIBETH WISE

### Member Directors:

**North**  
OLIVIA COOK  
JESSICA BELL

**Central**  
GRACIE BANANTO  
CAROLINE POPE

**South**  
MACY GOODMAN

**Executive Director**  
MARTIN BIUS



## FFA Events Sponsored:

WLC Bus Trip

Georgia FFA Convention

Ga Young Farmers  
Association Swine Show

State Convention Photo  
Booth

FFA Quiz CDE

FFA at the Capitol  
Legislative Breakfast

# Over 60

Active Alumni Affiliate Chapters

**Georgia FFA Alumni is proud to support Georgia FFA through:**  
Scholarships, Awards, Events & Fundraising Efforts

## 2025 Georgia Ag Ed Hall of Fame Inductees



**Dr. Curtis Borne**

To secure the promise of FFA and agricultural education by creating an environment where people and communities can develop their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success.



**GEORGIA FFA**  
**ALUMNI AND SUPPORTERS**



# Georgia FFA Foundation

FFA members today are preparing for careers in science, business, technology, and leadership fields of agriculture, Georgia's largest industry. Foundation sponsors and donors support and believe in the mission of the FFA:

**"To make a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth, and career success through agricultural education."**

The Georgia FFA Foundation is committed to providing opportunities for success to over 80,000 Georgia FFA members.

The Foundation supports Georgia FFA by providing awards and recognition, travel scholarships, post-secondary scholarships, and leadership opportunities to FFA members who excel in Leadership and Career Development Events (LDEs & CDEs) and in their chosen Supervised Agricultural Experience (SAE) programs. The opportunities that our members receive would not be possible without the support given to the Foundation by generous sponsors and donors.

## Making a difference in the lives of over 80,000 students



The 18th Annual Blue & Gold Gala was held on Friday, March 7th, 2025, at the Signia by Hilton with over 875 people in attendance.

Thank you for supporting our members!



Let's get social!

Georgia FFA Foundation  
PO Box 237  
Swainsboro, GA 30401

[www.georgiaffaoundation.org](http://www.georgiaffaoundation.org)

# 2024-2025 GVATA Executive Board



## GVATA MISSION:

To provide agricultural education for the global community through visionary leadership, advocacy and service.

Front Row: Ashley Rivers, Catrina Pollard Ruby McCracken, Allie Crocket, Marcia Watkins;  
 Back Row: Jessica Bowden, Kitty Davis, Tracy Champagne, Tim Griffith, Walt Parks, Scott Johnson, Jay Borden, & Marcus Pollard.  
 Not Pictured: Traves Hyman

2024-2025 Number of GVATA Members by Region			
Region	Number of Teachers	Total Number of Members	Percentage Members / Teachers
North Region	206	222	92.8%
Central Region	156	172	90.7%
South Region	161	168	96.4%
State Staff	28	29	96.5%
Other Members	18	18	100%
State Wide	569	609	93.4%

## 2024 GVATA AWARD WINNERS



**Dr. Carl Nichols**  
Teacher Mentor Award



**Brittany Schwing**  
Outstanding State Staff Member



**Lowndes County Middle School**  
Outstanding Agricultural Program



**University of Georgia**  
Outstanding Postsecondary Program



**Stephanie Peterson**  
Outstanding Elementary Agricultural Teacher



**Dr. Lynne Cook**  
Lifetime Achievement



**Kristen Thomas**  
Teachers Turn the Key



**Leigh Vinson**  
Ideas Unlimited



**Melissa Riley**  
Outstanding Service Citation



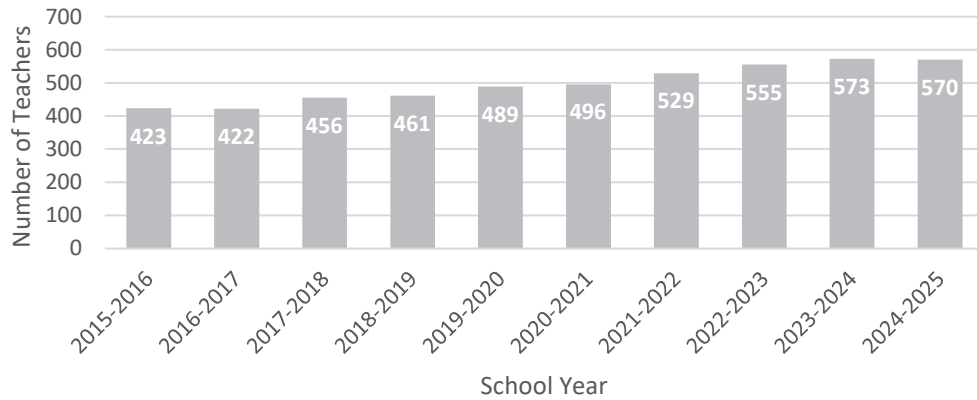
**Ashley Rivers**  
Outstanding Agricultural Teacher



**Sarah Beth Hammond**  
Outstanding Early Career Teacher

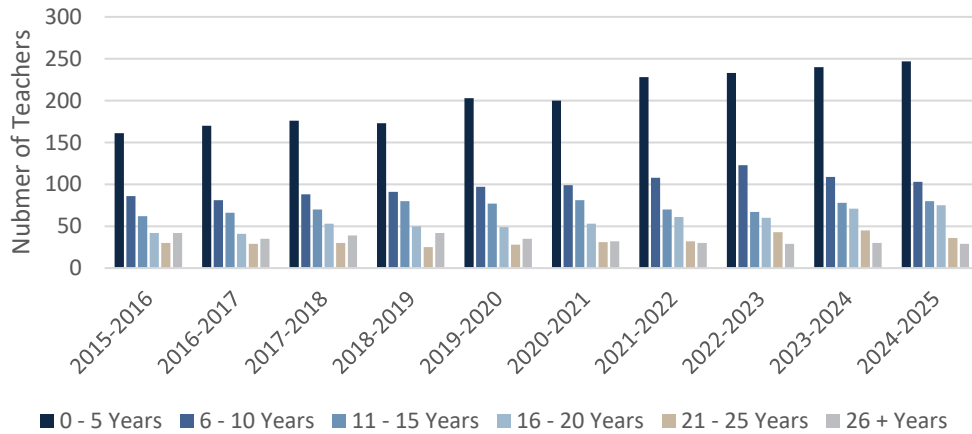
## Georgia Agricultural Education Teachers

Total Middle & High School Teachers  
2015-2025



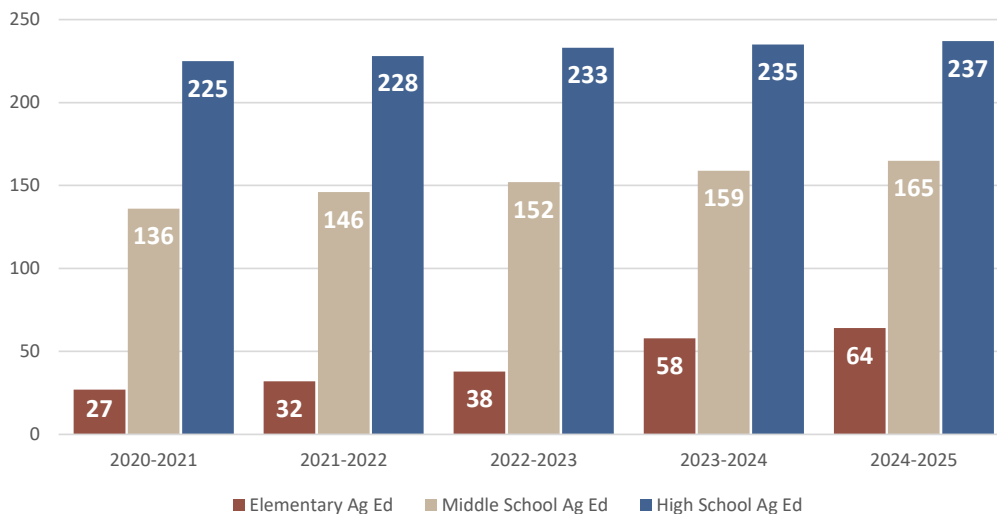
## Georgia Agricultural Education Teachers

Years of Experience  
2015-2025



## Georgia Agricultural Education Programs

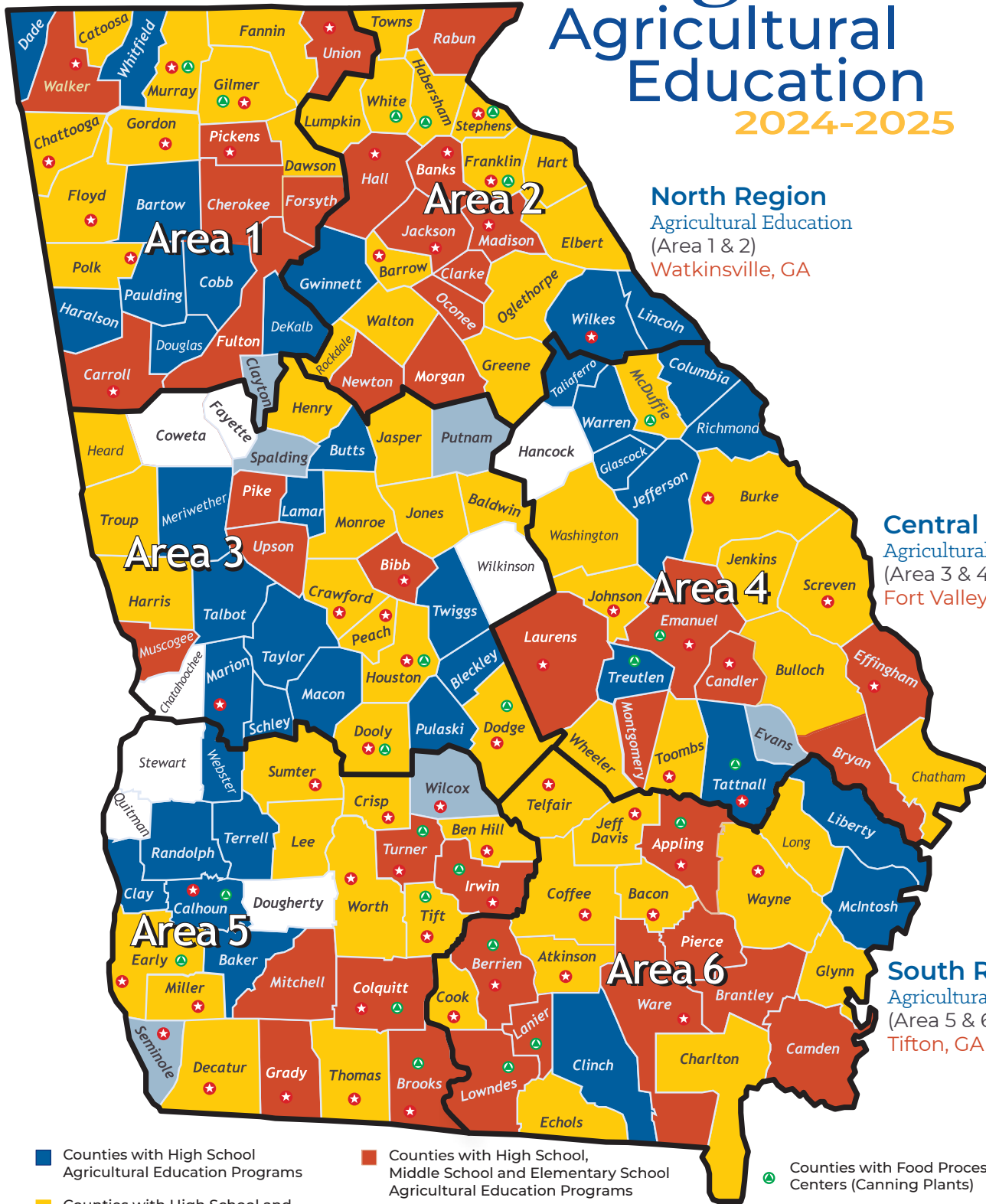
Total Elementary, Middle, & High School Programs  
2020-2025



# Georgia

## Agricultural Education

2024-2025



**North Region**  
 Agricultural Education  
 (Area 1 & 2)  
 Watkinsville, GA

**Central Region**  
 Agricultural Education  
 (Area 3 & 4)  
 Fort Valley, GA

**South Region**  
 Agricultural Education  
 (Area 5 & 6)  
 Tifton, GA

- Counties with High School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with High School and Middle School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with High School, Middle School and Elementary School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with High School and Elementary School Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with Elementary School Agricultural Education Programs
- ▲ Counties with Food Processing Centers (Canning Plants)
- ★ Counties with Young Farmer Agricultural Education Programs
- Counties with active FFA Alumni Affiliate



Georgia Agricultural Education does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities.