

North Region Agricultural Education



2022 - 2023

North Region Office

State and Region Due Dates (2022-2023)

August:

15..... Young Farmer Long Range Plan and Budget applications-gyfa@gaaged.org

September:

30..... Young Farmer Contest Applications applications-gyfa@gaaged.org
 Young Farmer Course Calendar & POA applications-gyfa@gaaged.org

October:

18..... Employment Skills Materials Due Region Office **

November:

1..... Young Farmer Outstanding Member applications-gyfa@gaaged.org
 Terrell Weeks Scholarship Applications applications-gyfa@gaaged.org
 15..... Ag Ed Course Enrollment Online
 FFA POA and Budget Region Office **
 FFA Affiliation Fall Deadline State FFA Office

January:

6..... Young Farmer Convention Registration State YF Office
 11..... Speaking Manuscripts Due Region Office **
 31..... Ag Comm Media Plan Due Region Office **

February:

1..... Proficiency Applications Region Office **

March:

1..... State FFA Degrees Degree/App Mgr
 STAR Battery Applications Region Office **
 State Officer Candidate Applications Region Office **
 Middle School Record Books Region Office **
 WLC Scholarship Applications Region Office **
 10..... National FFA Week Observance Application Region Office **
 15..... GYFA Membership Roster & Payment State YF Office
 State Convention Talent Applications State FFA Office
 Agriscience Fair Written Reports Region Office
 National Chapter Award Applications Region Office
 30..... Ag Ed Course Enrollment Online
 FFA Affiliation Spring Deadline State FFA Office
 State FFA Convention Online Registration Online

May:

1..... Area FFA Officer Applications Region Office **
 GYFA Adult Enrollment Summary applications-gyfa@gaaged.org

15..... American FFA Degree Applications Degree/App Mgr

June:

30..... Georgia Young Farmer Association
 Farm Family Application applications-gyfa@gaaged.org

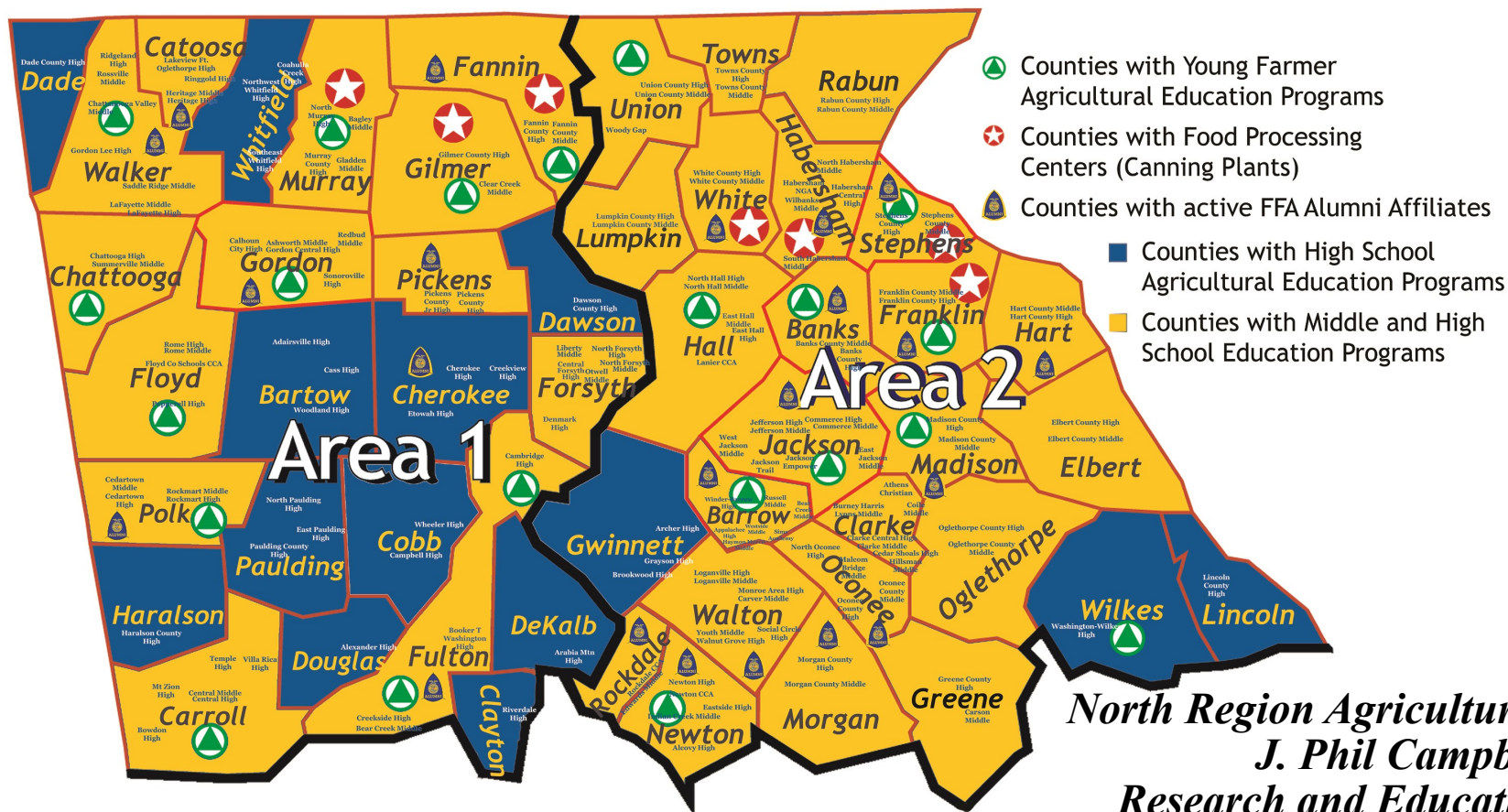
Livestock Entry Deadlines

August 1 State Market Goat and Lamb Entries
September 1 All Georgia National Fair Entries
November 1 State Beef Heifer Entries
 State Steer Entries
November 15 State Commercial Dairy Heifer Entries
December 5 State Breeding Doe Entries
 State Breeding Ewe Entries
 State Market Hog Entries
 State Registered Dairy Heifer Entries

All Deadlines are "In The Office" deadlines

Don't forget, we have a 24 hour Drop Box

**** Items may be submitted electronically to:
 applications-northregion@gaaged.org**



95 High School Programs

60 Middle School Programs

21 Young Farmer Programs

31 Active Alumni Affiliates

7 Food Processing Centers

34,580 FFA Members

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July 2022

July	6 - 8	COLT: Camp John Hope
July	7 - 9	Georgia Jr. Beef Futurity: Georgia National Fairgrounds - Perry
July	10 - 13	GVATA Summer Conference
July	29 - 30	Area Officer Training: Camp John Hope

July

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3	4 Independence Day	5	6	7 COLT	8	9
				Georgia Junior Beef Futurity		
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
GVATA Summer Conference - Tifton						
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 31	25	26	27	28	29	30
					Area Officer Training	

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August 2022

August	1	State Market Goat & Lamb Entry Deadline
August	9 - 10	State Ag Ed Staff Meeting
August	11 - 13	COLT: GA FFA-FCCLA Center
August	13	National FFA Convention Prep Day
August	15	YF Budget & Long Range Plans Due
August	19 - 20	GYFA Livestock Show: Georgia National Fairgrounds - Perry
August	27	State FFA Floral Design Clinic: Camp John Hope
August	30	Area I Fall Teachers Meeting: Virtual

August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 State Mkt Goat & Lamb Entry Deadline	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
		State Ag. Ed. Staff Meeting		COLT		Nat. Convention Prep Day
14	15 YF Budget & Long Range Plan Due	16	17	18	19	20
					GYFA Livestock Show	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
						State Floral Design Clinic
28	29	30 Area 1 Fall Teachers Meeting	31			
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September 2022

September	1	Area II Fall Teachers Meeting: Virtual
September	1	Georgia National Fair Livestock Entry Deadline
September	5	Labor Day
September	8-9	Area 1 FFA Rally: FFA-FCCLA Center
September	9-10	Area 2 FFA Rally: FFA-FCCLA Center
September	9	FFA Foundation Sporting Clays Tournament: Forsyth, GA
September	15	First Year Teacher Meeting
September	15	National Teach Ag. Day
September	15-25	Gwinnett County Fair: Lawrenceville
September	19	Gwinnett County Fair Livestock Judging Event
September	20	Area 2 Tractor Operations and Land Judging CDEs Thompson Mills Forest & State Arboretum: Braselton
September	22	Area 1 Tractor Operations and Land Judging CDEs John's Mountain Farm: Armuchee
September	23-24	FFA Discovery Conference: Camp John Hope
September	27	Area 2 ATE, ENR, Floral Design, & Meats Evaluation CDEs: Apalachee High School
September	29	Area 1 ATE, ENR, Floral Design, & Meats Evaluation CDEs: Cass High School
September	30	Young Farmer Contest Applications Due, Young Farmer Course Calendar/POA Deadline

September

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Area 2 Fall Teachers Meeting GNF Entry Deadline	2	3
4	5 Labor Day	6	7	8 Area 1 Rally	9 Area 2 Rally Sporting Clays	10
11	12	13	14	15 Gwinnett County Fair - Lawrenceville, GA 1st Yr Teacher Mtg National Teach Ag Day	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Gwinnett County Fair - Lawrenceville, GA						
	Gwinnett County Fair Livestock Judging Contest	Area 2 CDEs		Area 1 CDEs	FFA Discovery Conference	
25 Gwinnett Co. Fair	26	27 Area 2 CDEs	28	29 Area 1 CDEs	30 YF Applications, Course Calendar, & POA Due	

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October 2022

October	3	Walton EMC Training
October	4	North Georgia - Carroll EMC Training
October	6 - 16	Georgia National Fair: Perry, GA
October	11	Georgia National Fair Events: FFA Day at the Fair, Floral Design, Floriculture ID, Nursery Landscape ID, & Tree ID Contests
October	11	State Land Judging: Georgia National Fairgrounds & Agricenter
October	18	Employment Skills Materials Due
October	18 - 20	Sunbelt Ag. Expo
October	19	State Tractor Operations & Maintenance CDE: Sunbelt Expo, Moultrie
October	19	GYFA Que-Fest: Sunbelt Expo, Moultrie
October	21	Ag Trade Talks: Tifton
October	26 - 29	National FFA Convention: Indianapolis, IN

October

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Walton EMC training	4 N. GA - Carroll EMC training	5	6	7	8
				Georgia National Fair		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Georgia National Fair						
		FFA Day at the Fair State Land Judging				
16 Georgia National Fair	17	18	19	20	21 Ag Trade Talks	22
		Employment Skills Materials Due	State Tractor Operations CDE GYFA Que-Fest			
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
			FFA National Convention			
30	31					2022

November 2022

November	1	State Beef Heifer and Steer Entries Deadline YF Outstanding Member & Terrell Weeks Scholarship Applications Due
November	3	Blue Ridge - Habersham - Hart EMC Training
November	8	Jackson EMC Training
November	8	Area 1 Ag Sales, Farm Business Mgmt, Employment Skills: Etowah High
November	9	Amicalola EMC Training
November	10	Area 2 Ag Sales, Farm Business Mgmt, Employment Skills: Hart County CCA
November	10	North Region YF Caucus - Dawson County High School
November	12	State Meats CDE: UGA Meats Lab
November	15	State Dairy Heifer Entries Deadline
November	15	Ag. Ed. Enrollment, POA, Budget, FFA Affiliation Fall Deadline
November	15	Area 1 FFA Quiz, Floriculture, Wildlife CDEs: Rome High
November	17	Area 2 FFA Quiz, Floriculture, Wildlife CDEs: Franklin County High
November	21 - 25	Thanksgiving Holidays - Region Office Closed
November	29	Area 1 Lawnmower Operations & Vet Science CDEs: Denmark High

November

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 YF Applications Due State Livestock Entry Deadline	2	3 Blue Ridge - Habersham - Hart EMC Training	4	5
6	7	8 Jackson EMC Training Area 1 CDEs	9 Amicalola EMC Training	10 Area 2 CDEs North Region YF Caucus	11	12 State FFA Meats Evaluation CDE
13	14	15 Area 1 CDEs Affiliation, Enrollment, POA, & Budget Due State Dairy Heifer Entry Deadline	16	17 Area 2 CDEs	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Region Office Closed			Thanksgiving Holiday		
27	28	29 Area 1 CDEs	30			

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December 2022

Nov/Dec	29 - 3	NAAE Convention: Las Vegas, NV
December	1	Area 2 Lawnmower Operations & Vet Science CDEs: UGA Livestock Instructional Arena - Athens
December	5	State Breeding Doe, Breeding Ewe, Registered Dairy Heifer, & Market Hog Entries Deadline
December	10	State FFA CDEs: ABAC - Agricultural Technology & Equipment, Employment Skills, ENR, Farm Business Management, FFA Quiz, Floral Design
December	10	State Rabbit Show: Tift County Extension Office
December	12- 13	State Ag. Ed. Staff Meeting: FFA-FCCLA Center, Covington
December	15	GYFA Spokesperson App and Manuscript Due
December	19 - 31	Christmas Holidays - Region Office Closed

December

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
		NAAE Convention				
				Area 2 CDEs		
4	5 State Livestock Entry Deadline	6	7	8	9	10 State FFA CDE Day - ABAC State Rabbit Show
11	12 State Ag Ed Staff Meeting	13	14	15 GYFA Spokesperson App and Manuscript Due	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	Christmas Holidays - Region Office Closed					
25 Christmas Day	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Christmas Holidays - Region Office Closed					
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January 2023

January	2	Region Office Closed
January	6	Georgia Young Farmer State Convention Registration Deadline
January	7	NE GA Farm Credit Heifer Show: Jackson County Ag. Facility
January	11	Speaking Manuscripts Due to Region Office
January	16	Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday
January	17	Area 1 EMC CDE: Amicolola EMC
January	19	Area 2 EMC CDE: Jackson EMC
January	20 - 21	Georgia Young Farmer State Convention: Jekyll Island, GA
January	24	GVATA Mid-Winter Conference: Macon
January	26	Floyd County Young Farmer Forestry Invitational: Cave Spring
January	27 - 28	FFA Discovery Conference: FFA-FCCLA Center, Covington
January	31	Agricultural Communications Media Plan Due Area 1 Preliminary Speaking LDEs: Sonoraville High

January

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Region Office Closed	3	4	5	6 GYFA Convention Registration Due	7 Northeast GA Farm Credit Heifer Show
8	9	10	11 Speaking Manuscripts Due to Region Office	12	13	14
15	16 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. State Holiday	17 Area 1 EMC CDE	18	19 Area 2 EMC CDE	20 GYFA Convention	
22	23	24 GVATA Mid - Winter Conference	25	26 Floyd Co YF Forestry Invitational	27 FFA Discovery Conference	28
29	30	31 Ag Comm Plan Due Area 1 Preliminary Speaking LDEs				
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February 2023

February	1	FFA Proficiency Award Applications Due - Region Office
February	2	Area 2 Preliminary Speaking LDEs: Madison County High
February	7	Area 1 Ag Mechanics CDE: Dawson County High Area 1 Ag Communication CDE: Dawson County High
February	8	Area 2 Ag Mechanics CDE: Oglethorpe County High Area 2 Ag Communications CDE: Oglethorpe County High GYFA Legislative Breakfast: Georgia State Capitol
February	11	State FFA CDEs: Camp John Hope/Georgia National Fairgrounds Ag Sales, Floriculture, Lawnmower Operations, Vet Science, Wildlife
February	15	Area 1 Forestry CDE: Taylor Farm - Cartersville Area 1 Livestock Evaluation CDE: Rockmart Ag Center
February	16	Area 2 Forestry CDE: Whitehall Forest: Athens Area 2 Livestock Evaluation CDE: UGA Livestock Inst. Arena
February	18 - 25	National FFA Week
February	21	FFA Day at the Capitol
February	22 - 25	Georgia Junior National Livestock Show: Georgia National Fairgrounds - Perry
February	28	Area 1 Nursery Landscape CDE: Pickens County High Area 1 Poultry CDE: Pickens County High

February

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 FFA Proficiency Applications Due	2 Area 2 Preliminary Speaking LDEs	3	4
5	6	7 Area 1 Ag Mech & Ag Comm CDEs	8 Area 2 Ag Mech & Ag Comm CDEs GYFA Legislative Day	9	10	11 State FFA CDEs - CJH & GNFA
12	13	14	15 Area 1 Forestry Area 1 Livestock Eval.	16 Area 2 Forestry Area 2 Livestock Eval.	17	18 National FFA Week
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
National FFA Week						
		FFA Day at the Capitol	Georgia Junior National Livestock Show			
26	27	28 Area 1 Nursery & Poultry CDEs				
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March 2023

March	1	State FFA Degree Applications, STAR Battery Applications, State FFA Officer Candidate Applications, WLC Scholarship Applications and FFA Middle School Record Books Due - Region Office
March	2	Area 2 CDEs - Nursery Landscape & Poultry: Banks County High
March	3	FFA Foundation Gala: Mercedes Benz Stadium, Atlanta
March	4	State FFA/EMC Wiring CDE: FFA/FCCLA Center, Covington
March	7	Area 1 Speaking Finals - Creed, Extemp., Jr. Prepared, Sr. Prepared: Cambridge High Area 2 Speaking Finals - Creed, Extemp., Jr. Prepared, Sr. Prepared: Jackson-Empower C3
March	10	National FFA Week Observance Application Due - Region Office
March	10-11	FFA Greenhand & Success Conference: FFA/FCCLA Center, Covington
March	15	DEADLINES: Agriscience Fair Written Report, National Chapter Application, & State Convention Talent GYFA Roster & Dues Deadline, State YF Office
March	17-18	State FFA CDEs - FFA-FCCLA Center Ag Communications, Ag Education, Ag Mechanics, Dairy Evaluation, Forestry, Livestock Evaluation, Nursery/Landscape,
March	22	State Ag. Ed. Staff Meeting
March	23	State SAE Application Judging
March	24	State Poultry Evaluation CDE: UGA Poultry Research Center
March	27	Executive Livestock Ad Hoc Meeting
March	28	Area 2 LDEs - Discussion Meet, Parliamentary Procedure & Conduct of Chapter Meetings: White County
March	30	Area 1 LDEs - Discussion Meet, Parliamentary Procedure & Conduct of Chapter Meetings: Pepperell High
March	30	Ag. Ed. Course Enrollment, FFA Affiliation Spring Deadline State FFA Convention Online Registration Deadline
March	30 - 31	National Chapter & Agriscience Report Judging: Camp John Hope

March

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 MULTIPLE DEADLINES	2 Area 2 Nursery & Poultry CDEs	3 FFA Foundation Gala	4 State FFA / EMC CDE Wildlife Camp Fundraising Banquet
5	6	7 Area 1 Speaking Finals Area 2 Speaking Finals	8	9	10 FFA Greenhand & Success Conference National FFA Week Observance App. Due	11
12	13	14	15 MULTIPLE DEADLINES	16	17 State FFA CDEs - FFA-FCCLA Center	18
19	20	21	22 State Ag. Ed. Staff Meeting	23 State SAE Application Judging	24 State FFA Poultry Evaluation CDE	25
26	27 Executive Livestock Ad Hoc Meeting	28 Area 2 LDEs	29	30 National Chapter & Agriscience Report Judging Area 1 LDEs MULTIPLE DEADLINES	31	

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April 2023

April	4	State Horse Judging: International Horse Park, Conyers
April	5	Area 2 Receives POW Checksheets
April	10 - 12	State Star Judging Tour
April	11	Area 1 POW Reviews & Teacher Meeting: Chattahoochee Tech - Jasper Campus
April	13	Area 2 Teacher Meeting: North GA Technical College - Clarksville Area 2 POW Evaluations Due
April	18	Area 1 Forestry Field Day - John's Mountain Farm
April	20	Area 2 Forestry Field Day - Flinchum's Phoenix, Athens
April	21	State FFA Officer Candidate Interviews: Camp John Hope
April	26 - 29	95th State FFA Convention: Macon

April

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3	4 State Horse Judging	5 Area 2 Receives POW Checksheets	6	7	8
9 Easter Sunday	10	11 Area 1 POW Reviews & Teacher Meeting	12	13 Area 2 Teacher Meeting & POW Evaluations Due	14	15
16	17	18 Area 1 Forestry Field Day	19	20 Area 2 Forestry Field Day	21 State Officer Candidate Interviews	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30			State FFA Convention			
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May 2023

May	1	Area FFA Officer Applications Due - Region Office
May	1	GYFA Adult Enrollment Summary Due
May	4	State Forestry Field Day: Swainsboro
May	9	Area 1 FFA Awards Banquet: Chattahoochee Technical College, Jasper
May	11	Area 2 FFA Awards Banquet: Emmanuel College, Franklin Springs
May	14	Mother's Day
May	15	American FFA Degree Applications Due - Region Office
May	29	Memorial Day
May	29 - June 2	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 1 Camp John Hope Middle School Summer Camp - Week 1
May	30 - June 1	State Ag. Ed. Staff Meeting - FFA-FCCLA Center, Covington

May

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Area FFA Officer Applications Due GYFA Adult Enrollment Summary Due	2	3	4 State Forestry Field Day	5	6
7	8	9 Area 1 Awards Banquet	10	11 Area 2 Awards Banquet	12	13
14 Mother's Day	15 American Degree Applications Due	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29 Memorial Day	30	31			
	FFA/FCCLA Center Summer Leadership Camp Week 1 - Covington					
	Camp John Hope Middle School Summer Leadership Camp - Week 1					
		State Ag. Ed. Staff Meeting				

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June 2023

May	29 - June 2	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 1 Camp John Hope Middle School Summer Camp - Week 1
May	30 - June 1	State Ag. Ed. Staff Meeting - FFA-FCCLA Center, Covington
June	2	FFA Alumni Golf Tournament: Lane Creek Golf Club, Bishop
June	5 - 9	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 2 Camp John Hope Middle School Summer Camp - Week 2
June	8 - 9	Hit the Ground Running New Teacher Orientation: FFA-FCCLA Center, Covington
June	12 - 16	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 3
June	16 - 17	Georgia Young Farmers Association Summer Tour
June	18	Father's Day
June	19 - 24	Washington Leadership Conference
June	19 - 23	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 4
June	26 - 30	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 5
June	30	Georgia Young Farmers Association Farm Family Application Due

June

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
	FFA/FCCLA Center Summer Leadership Camp - Covington - Week 1					
	Camp John Hope Middle School Summer Leadership Camp - Week 1					
					FFA Alumni Golf Tournament	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	FFA/FCCLA Center Summer Leadership Camp - Covington - Week 2					
	Camp John Hope Middle School Summer Leadership Camp - Week 2					
				Hit the Ground Running		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 3					
					GYFA Summer Tour	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Father's Day	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 4					
	Washington Leadership Conference					
25	26	27	28	29	30	
	FFA Summer Leadership Camp Covington - Week 5					
					GYFA Farm Family Application Due	2023

July 2023

July	4	Independence Day
July	6 - 8	Georgia Junior Beef Futurity: Georgia National Fairgrounds, Perry
July	9 - 12	GVATA Summer Conference: Tifton

July

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4 Independence Day	5	6	7	8
GVATA Summer Conference				Georgia Junior Beef Futurity		
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16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

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