



Georgia FFA Association  
FFA Day at the Georgia National Fairgrounds

**FILL THE SEATS CONTEST**  
*Sponsored by the Georgia FFA Foundation*

**OVERVIEW**

FFA Day at the Fair is designed for students in grades 6-12 to learn, engage, and get excited about FFA and agricultural education. Students interact with Georgia FFA area officers, discover the opportunities FFA has to offer, are inspired by a motivational speaker, and enjoy the festivities of the Georgia National Fair. This half-day program introduces FFA members to more than 2000 other FFA members from across the state!

Agriculture Educators and FFA Advisors have an opportunity to reach and impact students in a way most educators do not. The growth that takes place outside of the classroom makes a significant difference on what takes place inside the classroom.

The inaugural 'Fill The Seats' Contest and Award encourages FFA advisors to fill the seats at the FFA Day at the Fair Program with as many anxious and excited FFA members as possible.

The Georgia FFA Foundation recognizes how important it is to involve all agriculture education students in the FFA and supports the FFA Day at the Fair program as a way to involve any and all Ag education students.

This award will be given to an advisor or advisor team.

**ELIGIBILITY**

Must be an advisor(s) in a chartered, dues-paying or affiliated FFA chapter in the state of Georgia.

**RULES**

1. Register and pay in full on or before the program deadline (Thursday, September 22, 2016). Registration payment must be postmarked by Thursday, September 22, 2016 in order to be eligible.
2. Program students should be enrolled in a 6-12 grade Agricultural Education course for the 2016-2017 school year.
3. Students added on site will **not** be included in the overall numbers for this award.
4. Student numbers will be verified during onsite registration, Tuesday, October 11, 2016 before the FFA Day at the Fair program commences.

**HOW TO ENTER**

**Entry Deadline:** FFA Day at the Fair program registration must be submitted and paid in full by **Thursday, September 22, 2016.**



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Every Agricultural Educator bringing students to the FFA Day at the Fair program is eligible to enter. Please denote on your registration that you are taking part in this award contest.

**Entry Method:** To enter, an advisor must complete the online registration for FFA Day at the Fair. **For consideration for the 'Fill The Seats' Award, a chapter must have a minimum of 15 paid students for the FFA Day at the Fair program.** The registration link will be provided via e-mail and can be found below:

<https://goo.gl/forms/OJTvzkQCVuKY2f403>

Please make sure to mark on your registration your intent to participate in this award area.

### **WINNER SELECTION**

Chapter advisors that have submitted a minimum of 15 students will be entered into the contest drawing. For every student, the teacher will receive one drawing entry.

15 paid student registrations= 15 entries into the drawing  
44 paid student registrations- 44 entries into the drawing

The drawing will take place onsite at the FFA Day the Fair Program and the prizes will be awarded during the FFA Day at the Fair program in Reaves Arena.

### **PRIZES**

The Georgia FFA Foundation will award the winning advisor or advisor team with **\$250.00** and a plaque on stage at the annual FFA Day at the Fair program on Tuesday, October 11, 2016.

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