



2022-2023 Bradford FFA Officer Selection Process

Read this carefully and be sure to follow all the guidelines carefully. If you have any questions, please ask.

From the Chapter Constitution:

Article 6 – Chapter Officers

- Section A** The officers of this FFA chapter shall be president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, reporter, sentinel and student advisor. Other officers may be elected as deemed appropriate by the local advisor(s) and/or governing body. The teacher(s) of agricultural education shall be the FFA advisor(s). The members present at any regular meeting or special meeting of the chapter shall elect chapter officers annually.
- Section B** Officers must hold at least the Greenhand FFA Degree, be passing all courses in school and have in practice a satisfactory Supervised Agricultural Experience Program approved by the chapter advisor(s) or plans for a satisfactory Supervised Agricultural Experience Program approved by the chapter advisor(s). Officers must have at least a “C” grade point average, be enrolled in an agricultural education course at Bradford High School and be a freshmen, sophomore or junior to apply for office.
- Section C** A nominating committee consisting of no less than three people shall handle the duties of selecting the officer candidates for the chapter. This committee shall consist of retiring senior officers, school administrators, teachers and individuals from the community. No parents of current members shall be included. The chairperson shall be the highest-ranking retiring senior officer of the chapter. The advisor(s) and the retiring senior officers shall select the nominating committee. The nominating process shall consist of the following:
1. Application
 2. Three Recommendation Forms
 3. Nominating Committee Review
- Following the nominating committee review, those running for office will be slated into positions based on the committee’s evaluation with the applicants desired office from their application taken into consideration. The nominating committee’s report shall be presented at a regular chapter meeting and voted on by the FFA membership.
- Section D** Honorary members shall not hold office with the exception of the advisor(s).
- Section E** Officers will abide by all of items as outlined in the officer contract which will be reviewed and revised as need by the officer team on an annual basis. Officers will sign the contract following the review and revision process.
- Section F** To be elected to the office of chapter president, a candidate must have a least one year of FFA officer experience.
- Section G** The elected officers shall serve at the officer team.

1. Application: Complete all parts of the applications fully and honestly using the online application.

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2. Recommendation Form: Ask three teachers to complete the online recommendation form by sending them the link that is located on the calendar event on the chapter calendar. Ask them nicely and be sure to draw their attention to the date that it needs to be completed.

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3. Interview: You will go through an interview that will last about 5 minutes. Included is a list of possible interview questions that you could be asked but additional questions beyond this list could be asked so be prepared. Scores from each interviewer will be averaged together to make up the interview portion of the officer selection process. Official dress is not mandatory however you should dress nicely so you can impress the interviewers. Jeans are not encouraged. If you would like to wear official dress, Mr. Baumer is willing to loan out FFA Jackets and FFA Ties/Scarfs. You are going to wear official dress, be sure to include all parts. If you are unclear about all the parts of official dress, look them up in the FFA Handbook or Official FFA Manual. There is also a copy of the form the interviewers will use to judge the interview so you know how you will be scored. Sign-up with Mr. Baumer for an interview time once he has indicated that he is ready to start sign-ups. Make arrangements now to be able to attend interviews. Don't wait until you have been assigned a time.

Interview Date: Monday, February 7, 2022