



FFEA OUTSTANDING CHAPTER PROGRAM

(Updated October 2024)

Florida Future Educators of America will award eight school chapters per year (four per semester) with the coveted title of Outstanding FFEA Chapter. Two awards will be given to those chapters in the elementary/middle school category per semester, and two awards will be given to those in the secondary/post-secondary category per semester.

Eligibility Guidelines:

1. The school chapter must be [officially registered](#) with the Florida Department of Education.
2. The school chapter must submit a self-nomination form by the nomination deadline. Only one nomination per chapter is allowed each semester.
3. The chapter activities described in the self-nomination form **must** have occurred during the nomination semester.

How to Self-Nominate:

Fill out the self-nomination form (page 2) and submit it to EdRecruit@fldoe.org by the appropriate nomination deadline listed below. Please be aware that your nomination may be shared with other FFEA chapters.

2024-2025 Semester 1 Deadline:	Friday, December 6, 2024, 5:00 P.M.
Semester 2 Deadline:	Friday, May 9, 2025, 5:00 P.M.

How Are Winners Chosen?

Winners are selected by a committee of Florida Department of Education staff. The focus should be on chapter activities that highlight **service in education activities** in addition to community service, fundraising and recruitment.

Rewards:

Each chapter that wins Outstanding FFEA Chapter will receive:

- Recognition on the Florida Department of Education website.
- An award presented to the FFEA chapter.
- For secondary and post-secondary chapters only
 - One free extra hotel room provided to the FFEA chapter for the annual FFEA conference.
 - Recognition during a general session at the FFEA annual conference.

For more information: Please contact the FFEA Recruitment Coordinator at EdRecruit@fldoe.org.

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SELF-NOMINATION FORM

Return to EdRecruit@fldoe.org by deadline for consideration.

Name of School

District/County

☐ **Elementary**

☐ **Junior High**

☐ **Senior High**

☐ **Postsecondary**

Advisor

E-mail

Phone

Co-Advisor

E-mail

Phone

Explain your reasons for self-nomination here. Include details about your educational activities, community services, fundraising and/or recruitment events. Please attach additional documentation or photographs, if applicable. Special consideration will be given to activities that most closely align with the educational goals of FFEA. *(Please be aware that this section may be shared with other FFEA chapters.)*

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