

# North Dakota FFA Advanced 2026 Practice Test (Sample)

## Study Guide



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# Introduction

Preparing for a certification exam can feel overwhelming, but with the right tools, it becomes an opportunity to build confidence, sharpen your skills, and move one step closer to your goals. At Examzify, we believe that effective exam preparation isn't just about memorization, it's about understanding the material, identifying knowledge gaps, and building the test-taking strategies that lead to success.

This guide was designed to help you do exactly that.

Whether you're preparing for a licensing exam, professional certification, or entry-level qualification, this book offers structured practice to reinforce key concepts. You'll find a wide range of multiple-choice questions, each followed by clear explanations to help you understand not just the right answer, but why it's correct.

The content in this guide is based on real-world exam objectives and aligned with the types of questions and topics commonly found on official tests. It's ideal for learners who want to:

- Practice answering questions under realistic conditions,
- Improve accuracy and speed,
- Review explanations to strengthen weak areas, and
- Approach the exam with greater confidence.

We recommend using this book not as a stand-alone study tool, but alongside other resources like flashcards, textbooks, or hands-on training. For best results, we recommend working through each question, reflecting on the explanation provided, and revisiting the topics that challenge you most.

**Remember:** successful test preparation isn't about getting every question right the first time, it's about learning from your mistakes and improving over time. Stay focused, trust the process, and know that every page you turn brings you closer to success.

Let's begin.

# How to Use This Guide

**This guide is designed to help you study more effectively and approach your exam with confidence. Whether you're reviewing for the first time or doing a final refresh, here's how to get the most out of your Examzify study guide:**

## **1. Start with a Diagnostic Review**

**Skim through the questions to get a sense of what you know and what you need to focus on. Your goal is to identify knowledge gaps early.**

## **2. Study in Short, Focused Sessions**

**Break your study time into manageable blocks (e.g. 30 - 45 minutes). Review a handful of questions, reflect on the explanations.**

## **3. Learn from the Explanations**

**After answering a question, always read the explanation, even if you got it right. It reinforces key points, corrects misunderstandings, and teaches subtle distinctions between similar answers.**

## **4. Track Your Progress**

**Use bookmarks or notes (if reading digitally) to mark difficult questions. Revisit these regularly and track improvements over time.**

## **5. Simulate the Real Exam**

**Once you're comfortable, try taking a full set of questions without pausing. Set a timer and simulate test-day conditions to build confidence and time management skills.**

## **6. Repeat and Review**

**Don't just study once, repetition builds retention. Re-attempt questions after a few days and revisit explanations to reinforce learning. Pair this guide with other Examzify tools like flashcards, and digital practice tests to strengthen your preparation across formats.**

**There's no single right way to study, but consistent, thoughtful effort always wins. Use this guide flexibly, adapt the tips above to fit your pace and learning style. You've got this!**

## Questions

- 1. Who is the State FFA Foundation Executive Director?**
  - A. Natalee Gappert**
  - B. Scott Stump**
  - C. Laiken Demorrett**
  - D. Karday Evans**
- 2. Who won the 2025 State Basic Ag Mechanics CDE?**
  - A. Gabe Scheresky**
  - B. Andrew Johnson**
  - C. Sophia Voigt**
  - D. Darren Gappert**
- 3. What is one requirement for the American FFA Degree other than completing agricultural education courses?**
  - A. Being an active chapter member**
  - B. Winning state competitions**
  - C. Serving in a leadership role**
  - D. Participating in community service**
- 4. Which of the following is a major focus area of FFA?**
  - A. Premier Leadership**
  - B. Environmental Sustainability**
  - C. Financial Literacy**
  - D. Community Service**
- 5. Who serves as the ND State FFA Reporter?**
  - A. Emily Seil**
  - B. Jessica Taylor**
  - C. Evelyn Seil**
  - D. Katherine Johnson**
- 6. What program allows students to apply for an FFA jacket?**
  - A. Blue Jackets, Bright Futures**
  - B. Green Jackets, Bright Futures**
  - C. FFA Jacket Initiative**
  - D. Future Leaders Program**

**7. Who is the National FFA President?**

- A. Luke Jennings**
- B. Mary Schrieber**
- C. Thaddeus Bergschneider**
- D. Scott Stump**

**8. Where is the ND State Fair held?**

- A. Grand Forks**
- B. Minot**
- C. Fargo**
- D. Bismarck**

**9. Who serves as the National FFA Secretary?**

- A. Thaddeus Bergschneider**
- B. Luke Jennings**
- C. Scott Stump**
- D. Laiken Demorrett**

**10. Where is the National FFA Convention held?**

- A. Indianapolis, IN**
- B. Louisville, KY**
- C. Washington, D.C.**
- D. Orlando, FL**

## **Answers**

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1. C
2. A
3. A
4. A
5. C
6. A
7. C
8. B
9. B
10. A

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## **Explanations**

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## 1. Who is the State FFA Foundation Executive Director?

- A. Natalee Gappert
- B. Scott Stump
- C. Laiken Demorrett**
- D. Karday Evans

The role of the State FFA Foundation Executive Director is crucial in the management and operation of the state's FFA foundation, which typically involves overseeing fundraising efforts, managing grants, and supporting the overall mission of FFA within the state. The correct answer indicates that Laiken Demorrett holds this position, aligning with the responsibilities associated with the role. Individuals in this role often work closely with various stakeholders, including FFA chapters, agricultural organizations, and educational institutions, to ensure the foundation has the resources necessary to support its programs and initiatives. Other options represent individuals who may have notable roles within the FFA organization but are not serving as the State FFA Foundation Executive Director. Understanding the duties of the foundation director can help highlight the importance of leadership in supporting agricultural education and student development within the FFA framework.

## 2. Who won the 2025 State Basic Ag Mechanics CDE?

- A. Gabe Scheresky**
- B. Andrew Johnson
- C. Sophia Voigt
- D. Darren Gappert

The winner of the 2025 State Basic Ag Mechanics Career Development Event (CDE) is Gabe Scheresky. Winning this event implies that Gabe demonstrated a high level of understanding and skill in the fundamental principles of agricultural mechanics, which include safety practices, knowledge of tools and equipment, and problem-solving abilities related to mechanical issues in agriculture. Success in such competitions usually reflects a combination of technical knowledge, practical skills, and the ability to effectively apply what is learned in an educational setting. The other individuals listed may have performed well but did not achieve the top position, which can often be attributed to varying levels of experience, preparation, and skill execution during the competition.

**3. What is one requirement for the American FFA Degree other than completing agricultural education courses?**

- A. Being an active chapter member**
- B. Winning state competitions**
- C. Serving in a leadership role**
- D. Participating in community service**

To earn the American FFA Degree, one of the essential requirements is being an active chapter member. This means that candidates must not only be a part of their FFA chapter but also engage in its activities and contribute to its programs. Active membership demonstrates commitment to the organization and the principles of agricultural education. It's crucial for candidates to participate actively in meetings, events, and community outreach, reflecting the organization's foundation of leadership and agriculture engagement. The other aspects such as winning state competitions, serving in a leadership role, and participating in community service may enhance a candidate's profile but are not specific prerequisites for the American FFA Degree. They can be parts of the overall experience but do not fulfill the foundational requirement of active membership in the chapter, which is essential for demonstrating a keen involvement in FFA activities.

**4. Which of the following is a major focus area of FFA?**

- A. Premier Leadership**
- B. Environmental Sustainability**
- C. Financial Literacy**
- D. Community Service**

Premier Leadership is indeed a major focus area of FFA. The organization is dedicated to fostering leadership skills among its members through various programs and activities. Leadership within FFA not only emphasizes the importance of personal development but also teaches members how to lead effectively in their communities and within the agricultural sector. Members engage in public speaking, team-building exercises, and leadership conferences, all designed to cultivate the skills necessary for effective leadership. While other areas like Environmental Sustainability, Financial Literacy, and Community Service are important and may also be integrated into various FFA activities, the pinnacle of the organization's mission centers around developing premier leadership among its members as a core element of their education in agriculture and beyond. Thus, focusing on leadership prepares students for numerous challenges they may face in their careers and civic responsibilities.

## 5. Who serves as the ND State FFA Reporter?

- A. Emily Seil
- B. Jessica Taylor
- C. Evelyn Seil**
- D. Katherine Johnson

The North Dakota State FFA Reporter is responsible for sharing the organization's news, activities, and accomplishments with members, stakeholders, and the public. This role typically involves maintaining communication through various channels, such as newsletters, social media, and press releases, which helps to promote awareness and engagement within the FFA community. The individual who is currently serving in this role is Evelyn Seil. This can be verified through official FFA announcements or updates that highlight leadership within the organization. As State Reporter, her effectiveness in routine tasks and initiatives contributes to the overall success of North Dakota FFA's mission. Other individuals listed, while they may have roles in FFA or may be associated with past events, do not hold the position of State Reporter at this time.

## 6. What program allows students to apply for an FFA jacket?

- A. Blue Jackets, Bright Futures**
- B. Green Jackets, Bright Futures
- C. FFA Jacket Initiative
- D. Future Leaders Program

The program that allows students to apply for an FFA jacket is known as "Blue Jackets, Bright Futures." This initiative is designed to provide FFA members with the opportunity to receive their own blue corduroy jackets, which are a symbol of belonging and pride within the organization. The program not only assists students financially but also emphasizes the importance of personal leadership and the values represented by the FFA community. While other options may appear relevant, they do not specifically pertain to the distribution of FFA jackets. The FFA Jacket Initiative, although seemingly a similar concept, does not reflect the specific branding and mission associated with "Blue Jackets, Bright Futures." Thus, understanding the purpose and function of this particular program highlights its significance in promoting youth engagement in agriculture and leadership.

## 7. Who is the National FFA President?

- A. Luke Jennings
- B. Mary Schrieber
- C. Thaddeus Bergschneider**
- D. Scott Stump

The National FFA President is a key leadership position within the organization, representing the interests and goals of FFA members across the country. In 2023, Thaddeus Bergschneider was elected as the National FFA President, making him the correct answer to the question. The role includes serving as a spokesperson for the organization, leading meetings, and participating in various events that promote agricultural education and leadership development. This responsibility is significant as it helps to inspire and advocate for FFA members while supporting the mission of the organization. The other individuals mentioned have held or currently hold other notable positions within FFA or agricultural organizations, but as of now, Thaddeus Bergschneider is recognized as the National FFA President. Understanding the responsibilities and contributions of the current president is essential for recognizing the importance of leadership within FFA.

## 8. Where is the ND State Fair held?

- A. Grand Forks
- B. Minot**
- C. Fargo
- D. Bismarck

The North Dakota State Fair takes place in Minot, which is located in the north-central part of the state. This annual event is one of North Dakota's largest and most significant fairs, showcasing agricultural exhibits, livestock competitions, entertainment, and various attractions that celebrate the state's culture and heritage. The choice of Minot as the host city is tied to its central location, which makes it accessible for residents from various regions throughout the state. This enhances participation and attendance, making it a pivotal gathering for the community. The fair typically occurs in late July and is a highlight for many North Dakota residents, reinforcing its importance to the local economy and social fabric.

## 9. Who serves as the National FFA Secretary?

- A. Thaddeus Bergschneider
- B. Luke Jennings**
- C. Scott Stump
- D. Laiken Demorrett

The National FFA Secretary plays a crucial role within the organization, serving as a key officer who helps to facilitate communication and maintain records of the official meetings and activities. The responsibilities of the Secretary include keeping minutes of meetings, maintaining official correspondence, and managing the flow of information. In this context, the correct answer aligns with the most current information available regarding the official leadership within the National FFA organization. It reflects a well-informed understanding of the current structure and leadership roles of FFA, showcasing the importance of staying updated on organizational changes which can influence positions. The role requires a candidate who is organized, proficient in communication, and deeply invested in the FFA mission, thus justifying the selection of the correct answer as it represents who holds that office appropriately.

## 10. Where is the National FFA Convention held?

- A. Indianapolis, IN**
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- D. Orlando, FL

The National FFA Convention is held in Indianapolis, Indiana. This city has been the host of the convention from 2016 onward after moving from Louisville, Kentucky, where it had been held for many years prior. Indianapolis was chosen for its central location and access to a variety of resources suitable for accommodating large numbers of attendees, as well as its history of being supportive of agricultural education and youth leadership development. This setting offers ample facilities for workshops, presentations, and networking opportunities for FFA members from across the country. Hence, Indianapolis remains a key location for fostering the growth and future of agricultural education and leadership in the FFA organization.

## Next Steps

**Congratulations on reaching the final section of this guide. You've taken a meaningful step toward passing your certification exam and advancing your career.**

**As you continue preparing, remember that consistent practice, review, and self-reflection are key to success. Make time to revisit difficult topics, simulate exam conditions, and track your progress along the way.**

**If you need help, have suggestions, or want to share feedback, we'd love to hear from you. Reach out to our team at [hello@examzify.com](mailto:hello@examzify.com).**

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**We wish you the very best on your exam journey. You've got this!**