

Student Questions – FFA Creed

FFA Creed – Paragraph I

1. What reasons are there for believing in the future of agriculture?
2. What do you believe the future of agriculture holds for you?
3. What is meant by the statement, "With a faith born not of words but of deeds?"
4. What are some of the important "achievements won by the present and past generations of agriculturists?"
5. How can we have "better days through better ways?"
6. What are some of the "better things we now enjoy that have come up to us from the struggle of former years?"

FFA Creed – Paragraph II

1. What is meant by "engaged in other agricultural pursuits?"
2. What is challenging about living and working on a good farm?"
3. What do you believe constitutes a good farm?"
4. What are some of the "joys of agricultural life?"
5. What are some of the "discomforts of agricultural life?"
6. What is meant by the statement "and hold an inborn fondness for those associations which, even in hours of discouragement, I cannot deny?"
7. What are some of the discouragements that often are associated with agricultural life?

FFA Creed – Paragraph III

1. Why is leadership so important?
2. What can you do as a freshman in agricultural education to develop leadership ability?
3. What can you do to merit "respect from others?"
4. What can you do to make your work more efficient?
5. What can you do to develop the ability to think clearly?
6. What is meant by "progressive agriculturists?"
7. What practices and policies are there that you think are unfair?
8. How can progressive agriculturists serve themselves and the public interest in marketing the products of their toil?

FFA Creed – Paragraph IV

1. What is meant by the "power in bargaining?"
2. What is the difference between begging and bargaining?
3. What is meant by "the life abundant?"
4. What is meant by "honest wealth?"
5. What are some examples of wealth that are not honest?
6. What can you do to help others have an abundant life, and the honest wealth to help make it so?
7. Could one have an abundant life without wealth?
8. What is meant by "less need for charity and more of it when needed?"
9. Why is it important for each of us to be happy?
10. Why is it important to play square with those whose happiness depends upon us?
11. Whose happiness depends upon you?

FFA Creed – Paragraph V

1. What is meant by "rural America?"
2. What are some of the "best traditions in our national life" to which rural America will hold true?
3. What can you do, as a freshman in Agricultural Education, to exert an influence in your home and in your community, which will stand solid for your part in that inspiring task?

General

1. Who wrote the FFA Creed?
2. When was it adopted officially by the FFA?