

## **FFA Membership**

*In order to show livestock as an FFA member, a student must meet the membership guidelines below.*

*A student must be listed on the chapter's membership roster and dues must be paid prior to showing livestock as an FFA member.*

### **Active Membership**

In order for a member to retain active membership during high school, the member must be enrolled in an approved Agricultural Education course each year.

### **Out of School Membership**

Graduating students, who were members during 12<sup>th</sup> grade, may retain their active membership until November 30, following the fourth National FFA Convention after graduation from high school, provided that they pay dues each year. *A 2026 graduate could maintain members through November 30, 2029.*

### **Early College**

A student who enrolls in an early college program may retain active FFA membership if:

1. For each year, they are enrolled in a dual credit agriculture course offered as part of the early college program; AND
2. The dual credit course is taught by a qualified teacher based on EPSB standards; AND
3. The student took at least one agricultural education course at the home high school prior to entering the early college program.

If any of the three above are not met, the student will become an out of school member effective on the date that they enter the early college program.