

State Spring Judging- Westminster High MD FFA CDE Descriptions (Official FFA Dress, unless noted)

Saturday, April 7, 2018- Registration starting at 8 AM, Opening Program 9 AM, with CDE's starting at 10:00 AM

CDE	Descriptions	Mem/Team	Notes
Agronomy	Test: Agronomic sciences through scenarios, ID seeds, insects, electronic soil survey, local, state, and global issues practicum.	4/Team Up to 6 Ind.	
Ag Tech & Mech Sys.	Written test, team activity, and hands on tasks with electricity, machinery & equipment, compact equip., structures, and ENR.	4/Team	No official dress Top 3 T/Region
Farm Bus. Manage.	Written test covering topics in agribusiness, economics, record analysis, and risk management, with a team activity	4/Team Up to 6 Ind.	
Food Science	Covers knowledge of food science, safety, sanitation, written test, practicum, and team activity	4/Team Up to 6 Ind.	
Horticulture	Identify plants/parts (seed, nuts, fruit) from vegetables, fruits & nuts, flowers & indoor plants, and landscape ornamentals. A written test and judging classes will be included. Follow www.njha.org rules	3 or 4/Team Up to 6 Ind.	Top 3 scored
Meats Evaluation	Students compete in a written test, practicums- identify meat cuts, quality, and grading	3/Team	
Milk Quality & Products	Written exam on milk production/ marketing, evaluating milk samples, cheeses, equipment, and non-dairy products	4/Team Up to 6 Ind.	
Nursery/Landscape	Test in nursery practices and landscaping, team activity, practicum on plant ID, pathogens, and problem solving activities	4/Team Up to 6 Ind.	
Middle School Ag Challenge	Middle school students will present their Ag Challenge to a panel judges by following the criteria assigned.	Individual	
Agriscience Fair	Conduct scientific research projects in 6 categories with 6 Divisions: Grades 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, and present findings with a display and report. Note: Follow National FFA Rules	Individuals, or Partners	1 entry/chapter each category per division