

Waskom FFA is part of the largest youth led organization in the world. Waskom FFA offers students the opportunity to join the FFA starting in the 3rd grade. FFA members in the 3rd through the 7th grade are considered junior members and can participate in judging contests, livestock exhibition, and will be eligible to receive awards at the annual banquet in May. Eighth grade members are considered Greenhand members and are eligible to compete in Leadership Development Events that include parliamentary procedure and public speaking events. Greenhand members are also eligible to compete in judging contests, livestock exhibition, and ag mechanics project exhibition. Greenhand members are also eligible to receive awards based upon performance at the annual banquet in May. Active FFA members in the 9th through the 12th grade are eligible to compete in all competitions and are eligible to receive over a million dollars in scholarships awarded by the Texas FFA every year.

Just a Few Numbers:

Waskom FFA members received over \$25,000 in scholarships in 2010, directly related to their FFA participation.

Waskom FFA members gross livestock / Ag Mechanics sales for 2009-2010 exceeded \$60,000.

Waskom FFA chapter membership was 112 members in 2009-2010 and was a nationally ranked 2 star gold division chapter. 2 star gold division chapters are in the top 2/3 of the top 10% of all FFA chapters in the nation. (8th consecutive year)