

# Local Member Recognition



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# Recognize Members For:



- ◆ Earning the most points in their grade.
- ◆ Receiving the most points in the chapter!
- ◆ Excelling in business competitions or at the State Leadership Conference.
- ◆ Being involved in mandatory chapter activities.
- ◆ Participating in chapter projects.
- ◆ Receiving good grades.
- ◆ Receiving the most votes from fellow members for an “Outstanding Member” award.
- ◆ Being the most active member that month.
- ◆ Raising the most money for the chapter or for an FBLA-sponsored charity.
- ◆ Starting a new chapter project.
- ◆ Fulfilling set criteria to earn an FBLA letter.

# Recognize Members By:

- ◆ Creating a display board featuring senior photos and listing their FBLA involvement.
- ◆ Showing a year-end-review video of the chapter's activities.
- ◆ Holding a formal awards banquet and inviting family members and school administrators to attend.
- ◆ Recognizing members individually for participation in the chapter's various projects.
- ◆ Announcing all SLC awards as well as distributing local awards such as top point-earner.
- ◆ Trying Stanton's "FBLA Award of Character." A list of all FBLA members can be given to the teachers. The teachers then vote for a member based on how they demonstrate such traits as: making right decisions, showing integrity, withstanding pressure from peers, having a sense of purpose and direction, demonstrating leadership, making ethical decisions, being involved in community service.
- ◆ Recognizing a member at each monthly meeting.
- ◆ Post all members who deserve recognition on a bulletin board that says who nominated them and what they did.



# Recognize Members With:

- ◆ Engraving the member's names on a plaque that will remain at the school.
- ◆ Presenting them with a certificate, listing their total points for the year.
- ◆ Supplying them with plaques with their names engraved on them.
- ◆ Giving them FBLA gear: (T-shirts, water bottles, key chains, etc.)
- ◆ Mentioning their involvement in the chapter newsletter.
- ◆ Recognizing them on the community radio station.
- ◆ Posting their accomplishments on a bulletin board.
- ◆ Mentioning them in the local newspaper.
- ◆ Presenting them with a sentimental gift.
- ◆ Having their name announced in school.
- ◆ Presenting them with an FBLA pin.
- ◆ Giving them candy!

