

Nebraska FBLA

Formal Caucus Sample Questions

On Thursday night at the State Leadership Conference (SLC), all state officer candidates participate in the 30-minute Formal Caucus. Chapters submit questions for the caucus, which are screened by the current state officers.

Each candidate running for the same office is asked the same question. As many rounds of questioning as possible are completed during the 30 minutes. It is recommended that all candidates practice answering the Formal Caucus sample questions with their local chapters prior to attending the SLC.

Below is a list of practice questions:

- How would you describe your ability to work in a team?
- What is one of your goals and how will you carry out this goal if elected to office?
- What skills can you contribute to your state office?
- What are your goals for the upcoming year?
- What is one unique characteristic that you will bring to the state officer team?
- How would you get members to work together?
- Why did you decide to run for a state office?
- What state goal is the most important and why?
- Who has had the greatest influence on you and why?
- What are your strengths? Explain.
- What are your weaknesses? Explain.
- What has been your greatest accomplishment?
- What has been your greatest setback?
- What are the most important characteristics to be successful?
- What are the main responsibilities of the state officer position for which you are running?
- What is one positive thing a teacher would say about you?
- What two adjectives describe you best and why?
- Who is your favorite journalist and why?
- Explain one of your goals and how you will carry it out.
- What is your best leadership quality and how has it helped you to handle a situation?
- What past experience will help you fulfill your duties if elected?
- In your opinion, what do you think makes Nebraska FBLA great?
- What is your favorite movie and why?
- What is your favorite book and why?
- If you could be a dime or nickel, which one would you be and why?
- What is your favorite color and why?
- If you could be a cartoon character, which one would you be and why?
- If you were an animal, which one would you be and why?
- If you could be any ice cream flavor, what flavor would you be and why?
- If you could be any road sign, what would you be and why?
- What is your favorite song and how does that relate to FBLA?
- What is your favorite band and how does it relate to FBLA?