SAMPLE DISTRICT OFFICER INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

Personal:

- 1. If you had 2 hours every week to do anything you wanted, what would it be and why?
- 2. Tell us about a time you were successful and how it has affected you?
- 3. Assume you were elected to District Office, your team has scheduled a meeting the same night you have another activity (Ex: sporting event, band concert, etc...). How would you resolve this conflict?
- 4. Name and explain 3 characteristics that describe yourself.
- 5. Tell us about a time a weakness has challenged you and how you overcame it?
- 6. If elected to District Office, you may have to make choices. Explain how you prioritize your responsibilities and duties.
- 7. Define character and tell us about yours.

Agricultural/SAE:

- 1. Briefly tell us about your SAE and share the new skills you have developed through your experiences.
- 2. Explain the 3 components of the Ag. Ed. Model.
- 3. Name one current issue you believe will impact agriculture in the future. Explain why.
- 4. What new skills have you learned from your SAE. Explain how they will help you in your future.
- 5. How would you explain and describe FFA and Ag. Ed. To someone who is unfamiliar and unaware of their purposes?
- 6. What does SAE stand for and why is it important for all members to have one?
- 7. Why did the Future Farmers of America change their name to the National FFA Organization?
- 8. Explain to someone who thinks FFA is cows, sows, and plows what else the organization has to offer.
- 9. In what ways has your personal SAE prepared you for the future?

Leadership:

- 1. Name one leadership experience you have had and how that has allowed you to grow as a leader.
- 2. Explain a time when your leadership positively impacted another person.
- 3. What is the purpose of FFA?
- 4. Give an example of a time when you have encountered a challenge and how you overcame it.
- 5. Being elected to District Officer, you would be a role model throughout the _____ District. Describe how you could be a role model.
- 6. Give an example of someone you consider to be a leader. Explain why you consider them to be a leader.

- 7. Describe a time when you have gone against the crowd to stand up for what you believe.
- 8. Does leadership come with a title? Explain your answer.
- 9. Define leadership. How do you fit into that definition?

Group Project: Necessary materials will be provided.

- 1. Develop a list of ideas to present to your legislators as a team. Explain to the nominating committee why you chose those ideas.
- 2. Plan and coordinate an activity for Greenhand Fire-up.
- 3. As a district officer, your district needs money to be able to hold District Leadership Camp for Chapter Officers. Prepare a five minute presentation for a local business to ask for sponsorship.
- 4. Use facts from the Annual Report Brochure to plan and present to Middle School parents and students the value of Ag. Ed. and FFA.
- 5. Plan and present a 30 second radio commercial for National FFA week.