



2019-2020 Class 9 Application

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Deadline: Friday, March 22, 2019

Contact Sonia Tighe at 321-214-5245 or sonia.tighe@ffva.com with questions

1. Personal and Contact Information

Name:	Title:
Company:	Email:
Mailing address:	Age:
City, State and Zip:	Marital status:
Cell phone:	Work phone:

2. Education – list higher education, including short courses or continuing education.

School:	School:
Dates attended:	Dates attended:
Graduation date:	Graduation date:
Degree:	Degree:

3. Primary Occupation

Commodities grown/Line of work:

4. Employment History – including current job

Company:
Dates:
Job responsibilities:

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5. Volunteer Activity – list any membership, dates of service and offices held (if any) in organizations including college, professional, civic, church, industry organization or political.

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6. Awards/Honors – list any professional or civic awards you have received and the date.

Award	Date

7. References – list one reference, **excluding** family members (reference will be contacted).

Name:	Title:
Company:	Phone:
Email:	Relationship:
Years known:	

8. In 250 words or less, explain why you would like to participate in the FFVA Emerging Leader Development Program (including your leadership strengths and potential).

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9. List three objectives you would like to achieve by participating in this program.

10. In 250 words or less, describe both the major challenges and the major opportunities facing the Florida specialty crop industry.

2019-2020 Schedule

Session	Date	Subject/Issue	Location
FFVA 101	July 2019	Current issues	FFVA office, Maitland
FFVA Convention	Sept. 25-27, 2019	Annual Convention	The Breakers, Palm Beach
Public Policy	January 2020	Legislative visits	Tallahassee
Florida Production	March 2020	On farm visits	TBD
California trip	June or July 2020	Western production	California
FFVA Convention	Sep. 25-27, 2020	Graduation	Ritz Carlton, Naples