

Area 3 Degree Information

NEW: American Degree Information

- Applications are due to the STATE office through the AET submission system by April 1, 2022.
- American Degree applications will only need approval at the chapter and state level. American Degree applications will not require checks at the district and/or area levels.
- Applications will be reviewed as they are received. If corrections are needed, they must be made by May 1, 2022.

Recommendation to the Area

Have books done for Area, March 21st, at 8am and then have each district supply 2 teachers to help with the check.

I can have a zoom for the teachers that day after school, (March 21st at 5pm) and show how to properly check a book for Americans. Then, I can have a google drive where I could download each of the books that need to be checked and divide them among the volunteers. They would have the whole week to check and give feedback (March 25th at 5pm), and then we will send the feedback back to the teachers with Americans. Then the teachers will have till (March 31st at 5pm) to re-submit the application.

State Advanced Award, Degree and Scholarship Check, Tarleton State University, Stephenville

- June 6, 2022 – Scholarship Interviews
- June 7 – 9, 2022 – Advanced Awards and Degree Check

NEW: Record book closing dates

- American Degree – December 31, 2021
 - Stars – May 15, 2022
 - Lone Star Degrees – **May 15, 2022**
 - Outstanding School Base Learning and Service-Learning Awards – May 15, 2022
 - Proficiency Awards – December 31, 2021
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NEW: Outstanding School Base Learning and Service-Learning Chapter Award

- The Texas FFA Board approved two new chapter awards, Outstanding School Based and Service - Learning Chapter Award
- Both awards are designed for chapters that have a School Base Learning and/or a Service – Learning SAE.
- Award applications will be completed by two or three members involved in the SAE
- The selection process for both awards will be the same as the current Star selection process. Each area may submit one application for each award to the state level. The top four applications will advance to the interview process which will take place during the State FFA Convention
- Applications will be available through AET
- Additional information for both awards will be available in Section 26 of Texas FFA Policy next week *(no update at this time)*