



We are not cows, sows, or plows; we are the Clear Brook FFA. FFA is an organization that helps you in many ways including leadership, responsibility, and determination. It offers opportunity to development leadership skills, earn scholarships for college, a chance to meet other people, and to have fun among other things.

In the FFA you have a chance to raise animals such as steers, heifers, goats, lambs, turkeys, rabbits, pigs, and chickens. It's quite an experience to be able to raise these animals. Then there are the shows that you enter like the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, the CCISD show, and the Galveston County show. If your animal places at the show you can sell your animal at the auction and the prices can range from hundreds to thousands of dollars. You can also enter projects from Ag Mechanics, Photography, Art, Food Science, and Horticulture in the CCISD show. If you would like to raise an animal but don't know where to keep it, CCISD has supplied a barn for us to keep the animals next to the Clear Creek bus barn.

Besides raising animals, there are other activities such as community service projects, which are needed to get into college. Some of the community services are highway cleanups and workdays at the barn. Along with everything else, we have leadership and judging teams that compete in district, area, and state competitions. Some of the teams are Poultry, Livestock, Equine (horse), Horticulture, and Dairy Foods. We get to travel a lot during the school year. Some of the places we go are colleges such as Tarleton State University, Clarendon, and Texas A&M.

FFA is a lot of fun. You learn a lot of things from the organization and it can be really helpful for getting you into college and earning scholarships. FFA has made a big change to many students' lives. It is always fun! So why not join the FFA and get branded by success.

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