

Virtual PA FBLA Chapter



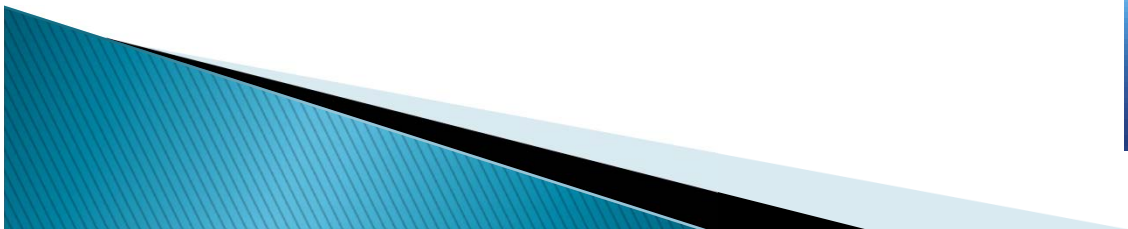
Join Today!



Gateway to *Virtual*
Greatness

Who Can Join?

- ▶ Students who are enrolled in a business or business-related class
- ▶ Students whose school does not have an active FBLA chapter
- ▶ Students in grades 9–12 only
- ▶ Home-schooled students
- ▶ Cyber School students
- ▶ Charter School students



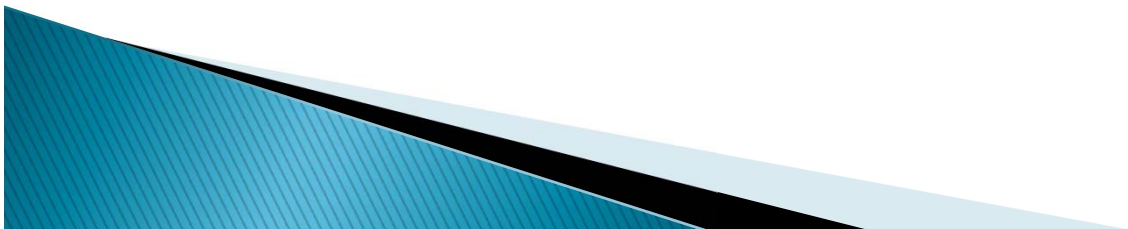
Membership Process

- ▶ Complete on-line application

[Membership Application link](#)

- ▶ Costs

- PA FBLA State dues \$6.00/person
- National FBLA dues \$6.00/person



Technology Requirements

- ▶ Computer
- ▶ High-speed Internet connection
- ▶ Active e-mail address
- ▶ Headset with microphone
- ▶ Video capabilities – Skype
- ▶ Texting capabilities



Meetings

- ▶ Monthly via “virtual classroom”
- ▶ Individual as needed
- ▶ Additional meetings for elected officers:
 - President
 - Secretary/Treasurer



Expenses

- ▶ All travel expenses would be incurred by
 - Individual student
 - His/her parents
- ▶ Supervision by parent/guardian is necessary at all times



Benefits of Membership

- ▶ Members may attend:
 - State Leadership Workshop
 - [Kalahari Resort](#)
 - November 5–6, 2017
 - Regional Leadership Workshops
 - Compete in 55+ Competitive Events
 - State only events
 - Home site events
 - Chapter events
 - American Enterprise Project
 - Community Service Project
 - Partnership with Business



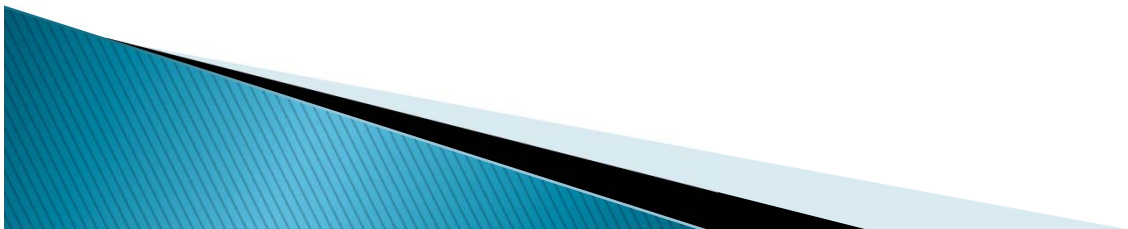
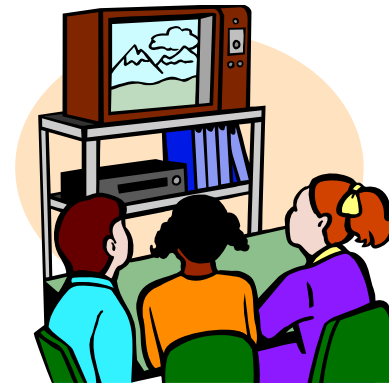
Benefits of Membership

- ▶ Network and compete with students across the state
- ▶ Complete monthly community service forms for Big 33 Award
 - [Community Service Form to record hours](#)
- ▶ Contribute to the State Project
 - [The Alzheimer's Association](#)



Guidelines of Competition

- ▶ Students will compete at Regional Level –
 - 1st round of competition
- ▶ All testing must be done at:
 - Home location
 - Under adult supervision
- ▶ Performance events done by:
 - Video submission
 - Reviewed by panel of state judges
- ▶ Team event testing done by:
 - Students at a common location
 - Attend under adult supervision



State Leadership Conference

- ▶ Must qualify in your event
- ▶ All attendees will follow the same guidelines
 - Comply with Delegate Code of Conduct
 - Compete on site with all students
 - Submit any competitive components by deadlines
- ▶ Be accompanied by an adult
- ▶ All fees are incurred by the student and must be paid by the designated deadline
- ▶ May have two voting delegates

Hershey Lodge and Convention Center

April 9–11, 2018



National FBLA Conference

- ▶ Must qualify in your event
 - ▶ Attend under adult supervision
- (Same guidelines as the State Conference)

Baltimore, MD– June 28–July 1, 2018

[Baltimore's Convention and Visitors Bureau](#)

Travel days to Baltimore to be announced



Join Today–Do Not Delay!

Check it out at pafbla.org

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