



Kansas Farm Bureau® Leadership KFB

Kansas Farm Bureau created Leadership KFB to develop its members as grassroots leaders. This year-long program builds influential, thought-driven leaders who choose to engage, create change and seek solutions not only in agriculture but also in counties and communities across the state.

OVERVIEW

Leadership KFB enhances leadership skills through a carefully designed curriculum and opportunities offered in the seven-session program schedule. Participants take part in a personalized, unique learning experience. Each session gives them the chance to understand their own leadership style and explore different approaches to problem-solving and conflict resolution. The program also strengthens communication skills, from public speaking to effectively using traditional and social media. Participants learn from industry leaders through experiential sessions and engage others on statewide issues.

ELIGIBILITY

- Applicant shall be a member in good standing with their county Farm Bureau.
- Applicant shall be a voting Farm Bureau member.
- Applicant shall complete an application and be willing to meet all time commitments associated with the program, listed to the right.
- Payment of class fee (\$250) by Jan. 15.

SELECTION PROCESS

- A panel of judges will select finalists based upon applications submitted by Oct. 15.
- Finalists will be contacted for a video interview.
- The selected candidates will be notified and named as program participants.
- An alternate may be chosen in case someone declines or cannot participate prior to the first session.

2026 Class XII DATES

Jan. 8 - 10
Manhattan

Feb. 12 - 14
Topeka

April 16 - 18
Wichita

June 4 - 6
Kansas City

Aug. 6 - 8
Western Kansas

Sept. 14 - 18*
Washington, D.C.

Dec. 4 - 7
KFB Annual Meeting | Manhattan

*Tentative Dates

Sessions will generally begin between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Thursday and adjourn between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Saturday unless otherwise noted. Attendance is required at all sessions.

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QUESTIONS?

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