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FCCLA NLC Trading Pin Contest

Do you want a chance to showcase your creative side AND be part of the National Leadership Conference in San Diego, CA? Enter your sketch for the Oklahoma FCCLA trading pin for a chance to have the winning design! Trading pins are an exciting part of NLC, as they showcase what our state is all about and start conversations about the great state of Oklahoma. So, whether you draw waving wheat, buffalo, Rt. 66, or anything that represents Oklahoma, be sure to submit your creations on the Oklahoma FCCLA website! Submission portal opens **August 1** and closes **October 15th**. Winners will be announced and the trading pin will be unveiled at the 2022 State Leadership Conference **March 24, 2022**.

<https://forms.gle/rDi8jmFCSvqmhuHr9>

FCCLA Connection Magazine Articles Due November 1

Has your chapter been up to some great things? Let the state know! Be sure to write an article and submit it and photos to fcclareports@careertech.ok.gov by **November 1**. This is a great opportunity for your chapter leaders to write the article and share your chapter's successes. The article topics are located on: <https://oklahomafccla.org/connection-magazine>

FCCLA Get SET Conference

FCCLA Speaking Excellence Training (SET) Conference dates and locations have been finalized! **January 11** – Life Church McAlester and **January 13** – Stride Bank Center in Enid. Cost is \$30 per student. Registration will open **November 1, 2021**. Each chapter may bring 10 students. Dress code is FCCLA conference attire OR FCCLA official dress. This conference is geared towards 7 – 10 grade students OR 11/12 grade students who have not competed in STAR Events prior to this year. This is a speaking conference – students will gain skills to help them compete in STAR Events and officer interviews. Registration will begin at 8:30 and the conference will take place from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Purchase orders should be made to: Oklahoma FCCLA. There is no cost for advisers. This will fill quickly, so plan to register November 1! More information coming on the Oklahoma FCCLA website.

FCCLA Adviser Academy

For chapters who affiliated with the Up to 25 or Unlimited Affiliation packages, advisers are receiving a FREE Adviser Academy registration. The code will be sent from National FCCLA during the week of October 11-15. Registration deadline is **October 22nd**, so don't let Fall Break make you miss your deadline. Chapters that did not choose a package may still participate, with the rate of \$90 per course. The Adviser Academy is a great way to grow your knowledge and FCCLA chapter, learn work-life balance, develop virtual learning lesson plans, network with other advisers, gain year-long support from National FCCLA, and more! Graduates from the new Adviser Academy will be recognized at the 2022 National Leadership Conference and will receive an FCCLA certificate of completion, and two Continuing Education Units (CEU).

Additionally, participating advisers will have the opportunity to build a strong relationship with their state adviser and be engaged at the state level.

See the [national website](#) for course listings and more specific information.

It's Tuesday – Check Your Inbox!

During this fall semester an exciting project is taking place that is designed to provide multiple resources for FCS teachers in Oklahoma. Several free "how-to-guides" will be made available from Oklahoma State University that focus on specific strategies for using technology to enhance instruction. Topics range from engagement activities to tools for both in-person and online classes. The guides will be delivered via school email addresses each Tuesday from late September through mid-November from Dr. Paula Tripp. There will also be a webinar hosted each month at 4:00pm the last Tuesday of those months to focus on specific topics and to provide live assistance for technology questions. This project is developed by the Oklahoma State University College of Education and Human Sciences with Drs. Paula Tripp and Shiretta Ownbey and Instructional Design doctoral student Thanh Do as the collaborators.

FCCLA District STAR Event Registration Deadline

District STAR Event registration deadline is **October 26th**. Students must be affiliated and payment must be received in Reston, VA in order for the student to appear in the registration system. The system will close at 11:59 p.m. **October 26th**. No late additions will be taken.

OAFCS State Convention Save the Date!

"Save the Date" for the OK Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (OAFCS) state convention! Plan on attending **March 3-4, 2022** in Stillwater. Opportunities for great hands on workshops and remarkable curriculum that can be used in your classroom.

FCCLA Grants

If your chapter plans on carrying out a Families First National Program project, consider applying for one of 15, \$350 grants! Applications open up **September 1** on the Oklahoma FCCLA website.

Competitive Events Webinar

Join National FCCLA's Senior Competitive Events Manager, Christine Hollingsworth Thursday **October 14, 2021** at 7pm ET for a Competitive Events webinar!

She will walk you through the basics of FCCLA Competitive Events, helping you understand how to get started, choose events, and integrate into your FCS Classroom.

Make Competitive Events count this year! Register with the link below
<https://loom.ly/4AgsRE8>

STAR Event Guidelines

STAR Event Guidelines will be uploaded to your FCCLA national portal **September 7th**. Please do **not** use the 2020-2021 guidelines when preparing for STAR Events; download the new guidelines. The following events have undergone scaffolding revision:

- Career Investigation
- Entrepreneurship
- Food Innovations
- Nutrition and Wellness
- Professional Presentation
- Public Policy Advocate
- Repurpose and Redesign
- Sports Nutrition
- Sustainability Challenge

FCCLA Membership Packages

NEW THIS YEAR – You may now use \$500 of your 412 Assistance Funding for your affiliation. Packages are available for membership. Up to 25 package is \$540, includes affiliation for 25 members plus unlimited advisers, Adviser Academy registration, National Program download, and lifetime National Alumni and Associates membership. Unlimited affiliation package is \$1,090 and includes all benefits of up to 25 package. Middle level affiliation is for grades 8 and below only and is \$524 for all students in your FCS classes, does not include additional benefits of other membership packages.



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Changes to follow-up collection timeline

Follow-up data is submitted by CareerTech for Carl Perkins each year. Due to a significant change in the federal deadline, we must change the collection period and deadline for follow-up.

October 1
Follow-up
collection
OPEN

November 30
Follow-up
collection
CLOSED

For more information please contact the division program area or email ctimssupport@careertech.ok.gov

Sewist Savvy for Beginners

This class, targeted for FCS teachers, will develop your confidence to teach sewing tools and equipment, sewing machine basics, basic sewing terms, how to stitch and use of a PDF pattern. You will create two or more beginner projects appropriate for FACS Basics students. If you have a project planned for your class, bring it along if you need assistance, or choose to make one before you help your students. Class is Saturday, **October 23** in Stillwater, (address tbd) from 9 am until 4 pm. Cost is \$100 and includes 12-month access to free resources. Register through **October 16** at [Sewist Savvy for Beginners Registration](#) or for more information, email terrihollarn@gmail.com or call or text (580)641-0072 or pay via Venmo @Terri-Hollarn.



Sewist Savvy for Beginners Registration

Event Timing: October 23, 2021

Event Address: Stillwater, OK 74074

Contact us at (580) 641-0072 or terrihollarn@gmail.com

CCFCS Sign-up or Questions

Please contact maryjane.grayson@careertech.ok.gov or 405.743.5469

Dates to Remember

October 15: NLC Trading Pin Contest submission closes

October 16: Registration Deadline for Sewist Savvy

October 22: FCCLA Advisory Academy Registration Deadline

October 23: Sewist Savvy for Beginners

October 31: CESI Initial submission deadline

November 1: Connection Magazine Articles Due

January 11: Get Set Conference - Life Church McAlester

January 13: Get Set Conference - Stride Bank Center in Enid

January 27: CareerTech Educator Conference

March 3-4: OAFCS State Convention

March 24: NLC Trading Pin Contest Announcement



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