

Family and Consumer Sciences FCCLA - Family, Career and Community Leaders of America

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February 1, 2022

New Teacher Academy Follow-Up

FCS New Teacher Academy Follow-Up is **February 17, 2022** from 8am - 4:30pm at Oklahoma Department of Career & Technology Education's Tuttle Seminar Room in Stillwater. Lunch will be provided. Bring your laptop. <u>Register Here!</u>

Curriculum Spotlight

This week's spotlight is a resource for ordering all things kitchen and sewing units. This company has been offering affordable prices for FCS departments since 1975. I have reviewed the entire catalog and feel that their prices are fair and competitive. Multiple sewing supplies can be purchased in bulk, plus some items that are hard to find in other places are in their catalog. I hope you find this site resourceful:

https://www.sanefcs.com/

You can also access the catalog directly from this site: <u>https://accounts.google.com/b/0/AddMailService</u>

STAR Events Update

All competitors must be finalized in STAR Events registration by **February 15th**. <u>Students who</u> <u>should have competed at Regional STAR Events were automatically advanced to State</u> <u>and they still need to be finalized in your registration portal</u>. If they are NOT competing, you have until **February 15th** to drop them and avoid paying a fee. If a student is competing in an event that should have started at the state level, they must be registered by **February 15th**. Students on invoices after **February 15th** must pay their competitive event fee.

FCCLA Adviser Webinar: Preparing to attend NLC 2022 - February 10, 2022

This webinar focuses on tips to help chapter advisers prepare for the National Leadership Conference. From registration to travel planning, you will come away with information to help you make this year's NLC count, hosted by National FCCLA Staff. https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUtcO6hqDguEtKH1CSmhltCv1psrgmivIlz

Time Feb 10, 2022 07:00 PM in Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Due March 1!

FCCLA Scholarships – Due March 1, 2022

Oklahoma FCCLA offers many scholarships for advisers and students, all of which are due March 1. Visit <u>https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/engage</u> to apply

Chapter of Excellence Award – Due March 1, 2022

The Chapter of Excellence, formerly Star Chapter, is due March 1. Chapters must submit their form with their points total by March 1, 2022 <u>https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/forms</u>

Master Adviser/Adviser Mentor application – Due March 1, 2022

The adviser mentor and master adviser applications are due March 1,2022. The applications are in your FCCLA portal under "survey/applications" and then Adviser Awards

National School Administrator Award Nomination – Due March 1, 2022

The application can be found in your FCCLA portal under "survey/applications" and National Award – National School Administrator Award Nomination. m

Frontier City Tickets

Tickets are on sale via the Oklahoma FCCLA website. Tickets will NOT be sold through Six Flags corporation, but sold directly through the Oklahoma FCCLA office. Order tickets by **March 3rd.**

District Officer applications available on website

District Officer applications are available on the Oklahoma FCCLA website. Applications and recorded speeches are due **March 29**, **2022**. Please read the District Officer Elections Stepby-Step Guide for speech topic and specific dates regarding the interview process. Visit www.oklahomafccla.org for the application and guide.

FCCLA Tour Day @ OSU, hosted by the College of Education & Human Sciences

Wednesday, March 9, 2022 | Visits and tours available from 8:30 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

The faculty, staff and students of the OSU College of Education and Human Sciences invite you and your students to join them on the Stillwater campus to see how students can connect their FCCLA interests to college opportunities and future careers. Students will tour the OSU-Stillwater campus, including facilities within the College of Education and Human Sciences; will learn about our college's diverse academic programs; and will hear directly from current students about their experiences. Multiple visit and tour start times are available throughout the

day. Each visit and tour session will last approximately 2 - 3 hours, and students should arrive prepared for a walking tour. Sign up today to join us! FCCLA Day @ OSU Registration Link

FCCLA Week

Mark your calendars now for FCCLA Week, **February 14-18, 2022!** Nationals has prepared a multitude of resources for you to implement in your chapters. Check them out below! <u>https://fcclainc.org/communications/fccla-week</u>

Spotlight on Projects at State Convention – 14 Spots Left

Fifteen chapters have the opportunity to participate in Oklahoma FCCLA's "Spotlight on Projects" at the FCCLA State Leadership Conference, **March 24, 2022**. Spotlight on Projects is an excellent opportunity for chapters to share their best National Program projects. This year, all Spotlight on Projects must be focused on the National Program Families First. Projects will be selected on a first come basis, by date and time.

First, second, and third place plaques will be awarded. First place will receive \$1,500, second place will receive \$750, and third place will receive \$250.

Spotlight displays will be set up by 8:30 a.m. for judging on Thursday, March 24, 2022. Visit <u>https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/state-convention</u> to apply.

FCCLA Unite Tour February 14–16

The Unite Tour is a chance to have State Officers visit your school and present a 20 minute presentation, and then spend the remaining 40 minutes with your chapter taking photographs, having a meal, answering questions, participating in activities, touring your school, meeting school administrators. You will be notified by **February 4** if your chapter has been selected.

FCS Day at the Capitol

February 9th is FCS Day at the Capitol. There are 150 spots available for chapter members to attend. Chapters may bring up to 4 students. Students must be in the FCCLA official uniform of red blazer, black skirt/slacks, white shirt, neck tie OR black sheath dress and pearls with black dress shoes. Visit www.oklahomafccla.org to register. There is NOT a fee.

Thunder Tickets

Join hundreds of Oklahoma FCCLA members the night before State Convention on **March 23rd** and cheer on the Thunder! Chapters can also sign up to volunteer at the regional food bank on the day of the 23rd. Tickets are on sale on the Oklahoma FCCLA website and must be purchased with a credit card. Checks and purchase orders are not accepted for this event.

Design Contest - Win \$500 Cash Prize!

OkACTE's trophy design contest is intended to complement our nationally recognized awards program and winners. We are pleased to have the opportunity to present these awards that represent the designer's creativity and showcase the cutting-edge technology of CTE. One design will be chosen and used for the (8) ACTE Excellence awards.

The winner or winning team will receive a \$500 cash prize! For more information <u>go here!</u> Contest Deadline: **Feb. 18** Design Deadline: **March 11**

OEA OSAT OGET Targeted Support Program

OAEA is offering <u>free</u> online workshops (open to all – membership not required) in several areas for Oklahoma teacher certification exams. Spring 2022 sessions will include the following:

- OGET math focused session
- OGET applied writing focused session
- OSAT Special Education exam (mild/mod)
- OSAT Early Childhood Ed.
- OSAT Elementary Ed.

Use this link to register for details/links for upcoming online help sessions: https://forms.gle/QaiYaVjmq6X1DV689

For OAEA members, they provide a **\$60 voucher** per OSAT exam for up to two exams. Details on membership and signing up for a voucher code are <u>here</u>.

Please spread the word to your students/advisees and consider posting to your Canvas page if you're teaching this semester.

K-12 Lottery Grant 2022-2023

K-12 Lottery Grant Opened January 18th The submission deadline is March 2, 2022

To apply for the Lottery Grant you must use the templates provided and it must be submitted in ONE document. You will find the templates in <u>ctYou</u>.

Programs who were granted the lottery grant for 2021-22 are not eligible to submit this year. Also, a program must be operational for the 2021-22 school year in order to be eligible to apply. If you have any questions contact your Program Specialist.

OAFCS State Conference

Registration is now available for the Oklahoma Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (OAFCS) State Conference, "Honoring Our Past, While Preparing Our Future." Conference will be held at the State Department of Career Tech in Stillwater on **March 3-4.** Adult Registration is \$50 and \$25 for University Students. Sessions include:

- Basic Sewing Skills—participants will make a lanyard
- Learn about the new Oklahoma Homemade Food Freedom Act
- Beef Council Presentation
- Poultry Fabrication
- Student Anxiety and Stress During a Pandemic
- Teenage Pregnancy
- History of AAFCS
- Professional Dress in 2022
- And several more

Speakers:

Ashley Lewis—2021 Mrs. Oklahoma; Sandy Spavone—Executive Director of FCCLA; and Nancy Bock—Executive Director of AAFCS.

To register for this conference, go to <u>orangehub.okstate.edu</u>, click "Ag Conferences Services", and then find the OAFCS annual conference (look for FCS bubble people). If you have any trouble, please contact me at 580-782-5502. Registration deadline is **February 23rd**. There is a block of rooms at the Springhill Suites in Stillwater 405-564-7177. Ask for the OAFCS room block \$96/night. To find information about the silent auction and the student unit service project <u>click here</u>.

Spring 2022 Lottery Scholorship

These scholarship dollars are provided by the Oklahoma Education Lottery Trust Fund. The primary purpose of the scholarship is to help CareerTech educators obtain their teaching credentials. Awards will be based on available funds. Scholarships may be extended to individuals working toward administrator credentials if funding is available. Funding is available for up to nine credit hours per applicant.

- Eligibility requirements have changed. Be sure to review the website and application before beginning the process.
- The deadline to apply is **February 2, 2022.**

Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LotteryScholarshipAppSpring2022

Dates/Deadlines to Remember

February 2: Spring 2022 Lottery Scholarship Deadline February 4: FCCLA Unite Tour Selection date February 4: Sewist Savvy for Beginners February 9: FCS Day at the Capitol February 10: FCCLA Adviser Webinar February 15: STAR Events Registration/Drops Deadline February 14-16: FCCLA Unite Tour February 14-18: FCCLA Week February 17: New Teacher Academy Follow Up February 18: Design Contest Deadline February 24: Mastering Mental Health Workshop March 1: FCCLA Scholarships March 1: Chapter of Excellence Award March 1: Master Adviser/Adviser Mentor application March 1: National School Administrator Award Nomination March 2: K-12 Lottery Grant Submission Deadline March 3: Frontier City Tickets Deadline March 3-4: OAFCS State Conference March 9: FCCLA Tour OSU Day March 11: Design Deadline March 23: Thunder Game March 24: Spotlight on Projects March 24: NLC Trading Pin Contest Announcement March 29: District Officer Applications and Recorded Speeches



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