



# OKLAHOMA CareerTech

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

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## Curriculum Spotlight

This website is hosted by a trained chef and baking educator. The recipes show weight amounts if you are having students to weigh ingredients in the kitchen lab. Videos show step-by-step how to prepare each recipe, so this could be a good resource for students who are cooking at home during virtual schooling or making up a missed lab.

<https://bakerbettie.com/>

## Connection Magazine

Winter 2022 Connection Magazine is on the Oklahoma FCCLA website. Take a look at all the great things chapters are doing across the state! Visit [www.oklahomafccla.org](http://www.oklahomafccla.org)



## How to Grow a Monster Resource Grants

Thanks to a generous donation from Nationwide Insurance, 300 educators will be selected to receive educator packs that include one copy of the Ag Foundation's 2022 Book of the Year, "How to Grow a Monster," one copy of the accompanying educator guide, and a set of 30 school garden ag mags for educational use. For additional information [click here](#).

**Applications are due Feb. 28!**

## FCS May Workshops

**Professional Development Opportunities:** Watch the Newsletter for Registration for May Workshops that will be available soon. Some schools require purchase orders to be completed by March 1. If this is your case, please plan to obtain purchase orders quickly so that you do not miss attending. Click here for information about [May Workshops](#). There will be registration fees for each workshop published soon. Workshops will run from approximately 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. with a lunch break at all except Culinary Instruction.

## 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 <https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/engage> 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 <https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/forms>

### **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.  
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## 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

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 Step-by-Step Guide for speech topic and specific dates regarding the interview process. Visit [www.oklahomafccla.org](http://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](#)

# 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 <https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/state-convention> to apply.

## Citizens Caring for Children

Citizens Caring for Children is excited to offer a donation drop off at this year's State Convention! We're challenging all FCCLA members and chapters to consider collecting donations and bring something with you to State Convention to donate to Oklahoma children in foster care. Visit our google form link to see a list of items we are currently accepting and to let us know if you will be bringing donations with you! We are excited to see the incredible impact Oklahoma FCCLA members will have this year! If you have any questions about donations and Citizens Caring for Children, please contact Director of Development & Communications, Abby Werth, at [awerth@cccokc.org](mailto:awerth@cccokc.org) or 405.753.4099. Thank you for helping us create brighter futures for Oklahoma children in foster care!

Google Form Link - <https://forms.gle/5hzmtSxf8yhkdR4R9>

## 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 [go here!](#)

Contest Deadline: **Feb. 18**

Design Deadline: **March 11**

## OEA OSAT OGET Targeted Support Program

OAEA is offering **free** 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 [here](#).

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 [ctYou](#).

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 [orangehub.okstate.edu](http://orangehub.okstate.edu), 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 23<sup>rd</sup>**. 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 [click here](#).

## Say Yes to FCS Spotlight

**Seeking Middle/Secondary Classroom Educators, Extension Educators, Post Secondary Teacher Educators, State FCS Program Managers, FCCLA Advisors**

The National Partnership to Recruit, Prepare, and Support FCS Educators wants to showcase current and future FCS Educators in multiple practice settings in a "Say Yes to FCS Spotlight." Nominate yourself, a fellow FCS educator, or student preparing to become an FCS

educator. The spotlights will be shared by the National Partnership to Recruit, Prepare, and Support FCS Educators on their website ([www.fcsed.net](http://www.fcsed.net)) and in #CTE Month and #FCSedDay social media promotions.

Complete the form at <https://forms.gle/BeGHFug171YQd6JV7> and email photo to [info@fcsed.net](mailto:info@fcsed.net)

## Dates/Deadlines to Remember

**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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