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#### **Contact Us**

February 22, 2022

### **Dates/Deadlines to Remember**

March 1: FCCLA Scholarships

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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

April 7: Mastering Mental Health Workshop

# Mental Health and Wellness Workshop Postponed

Due to the forecasted weather across Oklahoma for the next few days, we have opted to postpone the Mental Health and Wellness Workshop scheduled for Thursday, February 24. **We have rescheduled with the presenter for** *Thursday, April 7th.* Please mark your calendar for that date.

### **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 <a href="https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/engage">https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/engage</a> 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

## K-12 Lottery Grant 2022-2023

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

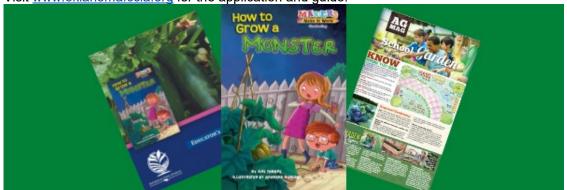
To apply for the Lottery Grant you must use the templates provided and it must be submitted in ONE document. You will find the templates in <a href="mailto:ctYou.">ctYou.</a>

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.

## **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.





### **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!

## Register for May Workshops NOW!

Three professional development workshops will be available **May 24-26** in Stillwater. <u>Click the links</u> <u>below to register for each workshop and to view the agenda, description and cost.</u> 412/314 money may be used to cover registration costs, transportation, food and hotel while attending workshops.

Workshops include:

**Active Aging Across the Lifespan**. If you teach Human Growth and Development and/or Interpersonal Studies, this workshop is for you!

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/active-aging-across-the-lifespan-tickets-26988005751

**Basic Sewing/Serger Workshop** with quick projects will benefit any teacher looking for some new sewing project ideas as well as anyone needing basic sewing skills and machine maintenance knowledge.

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/basic-sewingserger-workshop-tickets-269968642477

**Culinary Basics** will allow hands-on-opportunities to gain accurate knife skills, fabricate a chicken, make pie dough, and garnish a plate.

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/culinary-instruction-tickets-269974730687

Please register quickly if March 1 is the deadline for purchase orders. If you have questions about the workshops, please contact <a href="maryjane.grayson@careertech.ok.gov">maryjane.grayson@careertech.ok.gov</a> or call 405.743.5469.

# 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 <a href="https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/state-convention">https://oklahomafccla.godaddysites.com/state-convention</a> to apply.

# 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

### 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.

## 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 <a href="mailto:awerth@cccokc.org">awerth@cccokc.org</a> or 405.753.4099. Thank you for helping us create brighter futures for Oklahoma children in foster care! Google Form Link - <a href="mailto:https://forms.gle/5hzmtSxf8yhkdR4R9">https://forms.gle/5hzmtSxf8yhkdR4R9</a>

## **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

<u>For OAEA members</u>, 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.

## **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

## **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.** 

#### **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

# 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.

## **Master 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

## 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) and in #CTE Month and #FCSedDay social media promotions.

Complete the form at https://forms.gle/BeGHFug171YQd6JV7 and email photo to info@fcsed.net



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