

Oklahoma Alumni & Associates

FCS New Teacher Academy - 2025



What is OAA?

- Oklahoma Alumni and Associates (OAA)
- OAA members include:
 - FCCLA
 - Future Homemakers of America/HERO
 - New Homemakers of America
 - Supporters and Fans
 - You do not have to be a former member to join.





OAA Membership for Advisers

- Oklahoma FCCLA Chapter Advisers are automatically members of OAA when they pay their adviser dues during the regular affiliation process.
- *Please note: This applies only to regular affiliation. If your chapter is using the "Up to 25" or "Ultimate" package, those options include an OAA membership for only one adviser. Any additional advisers would need to pay OAA dues separately to become members



80th Anniversay Campaign

- Celebrating 80 years of Oklahoma FCCLA
- Chapters are encouraged to send in \$80
 - Chapter members receive a special ribbon at the State Convention
 - Recognition in the State Convention Program
 - Recognition on screen
 - Chapter name on the back of the State Convention t-shirt
- Deadline to submit \$80 March 1, 2026
- Funds will endow the OAA Alumni/Heather Hickman Memorial Scholarship



Why it Matters?

- Support Student Success
 - OAA offers scholarships, judges STAR Events, and supports/puts on events for FCCLA members.
- Advocates for FCS and FCCLA
- Builds Community





What You Can Do as a New Teacher

Keep Members Engaged

- Encourage graduating students to join OAA
- Register students for OAA-sponsored events
- Promote scholarship opportunities

Engage Alumni

- Invite alumni to speak in classrooms or support projects
- Nominate standout alumni for awards and recognition

Support Your Role as an Adviser

Apply for adviser grants to enhance your program



OAA Events

- Summer Leadership Summit (SLS)
- Forever Red 80TH Gala February 26th
- Special Event at State Convention





OAA Scholarships & Grants

- Chapter Adviser Summit Scholarship
 - (Applications Due September 19th, 2025)
- Wanda S. Holman Adviser Scholarship
 - \$750 scholarship
 - Designed to offset the cost of attending the FCCLA NLC. Awarded to a current Oklahoma FCCLA Adviser.
- Alumni Student/Heather Hickman Memorial Scholarships
 - (2 \$1500 scholarships)
- Grant-a-Wish Grant
 - Advisers can submit a grant application to fund a wish list item or other chapter initiative. Grants may be partially or fully funded.



OAA Scholarships & Grants

- Donna Kates Scholarship
 - \$500 for a Southeast Region member to attend NLC.
- Joann Carter Scholarship
 - \$500 for a South Region member to attend NLC.
- Lee & Nevaleen Selmat Scholarship
 - \$500 award will be presented to a current FCS teacher to use on classroom supplies.



OAA Board of Directors

- 17 Members
 - State Program Administrator for FCS (Ex Officio)
 - State FCCLA Adviser (Ex Officio)
 - (1) Current State Officer
 - (1) Post-secondary member
 - (1) FCCLA Chapter Adviser
 - (Up to 12) At-Large Members



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Questions?