



Say Yes to FCS Education

FCCLA STAR Events Information

(Students Taking Action with Recognition)

Say Yes to FCS Education, an individual event, recognizes participants who demonstrate the knowledge and skills needed to explore and experience the career of being a Family and Consumer Sciences educator. Participants must prepare a portfolio, conduct classroom observations, plan and execute a lesson, develop an FCCLA integration plan, and deliver an oral presentation.

Project Connections

Top 5 Skills Students Report Learning Through Participation

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| Leadership | Self-Confidence |
| Responsibility and Time Management | Public Speaking |
| Creativity | |

Career Clusters



National Family and Consumer Sciences Standards

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| Reasoning for Action Comprehensive Standard | 9.0 Food Science, Dietetics and Nutrition |
| 1.0 Career, Community and Family Connections | 10.0 Hospitality, Tourism and Recreation |
| 2.0 Consumer and Family Resources | 11.0 Housing and Interior Design |
| 3.0 Consumer Services | 12.0 Human Development |
| 4.0 Education and Early Childhood | 13.0 Interpersonal Communications |
| 5.0 Facilities and Property Management | 14.0 Nutrition and Wellness |
| 6.0 Family | 15.0 Parenting |
| 7.0 Family and Human Services | 16.0 Textiles, Fashion and Apparel |
| 8.0 Food Production and Services | |

Common Career Technical Core/Career Ready Practices

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| 1.0 Act as a responsible and contributing citizen and employee. | 8.0 Utilize critical thinking to make sense of problems and persevere in solving them. |
| 2.0 Apply appropriate academic and technical skills. | 9.0 Model integrity, ethical leadership and effective management. |
| 4.0 Communicate clearly, effectively, and with reason. | 10.0 Plan education and career path aligned to personal goals. |
| 5.0 Consider the environmental, social and economic impacts of decisions. | 11.0 Use technology to enhance productivity. |
| 6.0 Demonstrate creativity and innovation. | 12.0 Work productively in teams while using cultural/global competence. |
| 7.0 Employ valid and reliable research strategies. | |

FCCLA Programs



Projects may qualify to compete at the annual National Leadership Conference.

Turn this page over to see examples of projects from across the nation and participation data.

For information on state participation, contact your state adviser.



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Examples of Say Yes to FCS Projects:

I am teaching in a FCS Fashion Classroom and advocating for having a career as a Family and Consumer Science teacher. In my lesson I will include what I learned from my classroom observations and interviews. I will have the students do skeleton notes and a Google breakout to get involved in the lesson. Colorado FCCLA Member

The project is all about FCS Education and why it is important to become a family and consumer sciences educator. In this event I made a lesson plan, conducted two different interviews, taught a class, and observed two classes. This project is simply a good project for someone who wants to be a teacher someday, like me. Kansas FCCLA Member

I was interested in becoming a Family and Consumer Science teacher, so I began to research what goes into the profession. I researched different colleges, programs, and opportunities that come with majoring in this field. I had the opportunity to talk to two current FCS educators and I got to learn their opinions and feelings on what they do every day. I was also able to develop my own lesson plan and teach my peers. I created a lesson centered on the different career pathways that can be followed through FCS education and I included information on skills required for those jobs and financial fitness. I experienced being an FCS educator for the day and decided that I am very interested in pursuing this career path. North Dakota FCCLA Member

Say Yes to FCS Education by the Numbers: 2018-2019

Participants Nationwide: 79
Levels: 2 (grades 9-10), 3 (grades 11-12)
Type of Event: Career Focused
Nationwide Impact: 134,556 people

100% of Say Yes to FCS Education participants indicated this event is extremely or very useful to their future.
80% of Say Yes to FCS Education participants indicated they would pursue higher education related to the career chosen in their project.

To learn more about FCCLA STAR Events, visit the national FCCLA website, www.fcclainc.org, or email starevents@fcclainc.org.