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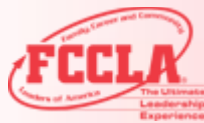
FCCLA

ADVISER TRAINING

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Tips on how to make your experience
as an FCCLA adviser **TOP NOTCH!**

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America New Adviser Training



Tips on how to make your
experience as an FCCLA
adviser positive

What is FCCLA?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D86AkbcqVc0&feature=youtu.be>

As a new FCCLA adviser you are...

1. Joining a large network of teachers who dedicate time, talents and heart to helping high school and middle school students reach goals that they never knew were reachable
2. You are joining the only organization that focuses on strengthening family relationships
3. Providing students with travel experience

What tips could you share with new FCCLA advisers in order to help them understand their responsibilities?

1. Never miss Fall Leadership and other state conferences. Dive right in! You may not know how to do something, but you learn by doing. Take one thing at a time, and break it into little steps. When working on STAR Events, follow the rules and guidelines exactly. There are always other advisers that are more than willing to help you- we're one big team
2. Read the scoring rubrics on STAR events
3. You can't care more than your students
4. Stay organized and consistent

5. Running a junior high chapter:

- Helping students catch a vision of what they want
- Pushing students until they find their own passion and then letting go.
- Start small, don't try and be another adviser--be yourself, recognizing that you already do so much

6. Well, in a nutshell, you will not understand everything all at once, but just get started! The students will get excited and help you along

7. I would get the hand book. I would ask Nikki Sue to assign you a mentor (someone that has been in FCCLA) that they feel comfortable asking questions to

8. Study the 4-Star Chapter Application and create your program of work (based on what is reasonable for your new chapter to do). Make sure your officers understand their role and let them lead. You can't do all the work, but you do need to keep them moving and motivated. If you are excited about FCCLA, they will be also

9. Go to Fall Leadership. Go to Nationals if you can. You will learn so much there. Include Star Events in your course curriculum. Start small

10. Be involved. If the students don't know what FCCLA is then teach them. Teach step one

11. Baby steps - try one new thing every year - talk to other advisers, and read all the manuals you can find

12. Advisers should be facilitators. Encourage, suggest ideas, support students, help with interpreting rules and project expectations. Advisers should not try to do it all. Let students experiment with projects and learn from successes and failures

Concerns from a new advisers perspective

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sFwrIMOX2iw&feature=youtu.be>

Advice for a new FCCLA Adviser!

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g4YR2voHxKQ&feature=youtu.be>

What do you love about being an FCCLA adviser?

- There are a million things I love about being an adviser, but the biggest is seeing the growth that happens with our students. It's incredible to see the things they can accomplish through this organization.
- I love developing a real life relationship with students who have so much passion and enthusiasm for service projects or life. I love seeing a shy self-conscious student turn into an outgoing, confident, happy and positive student.
- I love seeing the joy students feel when they receive recognition for their efforts individually and as a chapter. I also love to travel with my members to competitions!
- I love seeing the leadership growth that occurs throughout the year in a student who finds the passion for FCCLA, and gets excited about what they have accomplished.

- Getting to personally know the students and watching them grow in many ways
- Seeing the growth in students as they present STAR Events
- Watching my students succeed and learn from their projects big or small. I also enjoy watching them build and find confidence in themselves and their abilities. They learn public speaking techniques, and they use creativity in their projects. They learn to think for themselves, identify problems and use critical thinking skills to solve the problems through their projects

The Impact FCCLA has on adviser's lives!

- [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bPVuiHD
bOJQ&feature=youtu.be](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bPVuiHD
bOJQ&feature=youtu.be)

What aspect of FCCLA resonates with you and helps to direct your passion as an FCCLA adviser?

- Successes, future goals and seeing how motivated the students are to make a difference
- Community Service
- That this is a student leadership organization and I want my students to see themselves as leaders. I want them to see their potential and put good out in the world
- FAMILY is our central focus

- I think exactly what the acronyms stand for; Family, Career, Community. These are the most important things in my life in that order so why would I not stand behind it
- The opportunities for students to learn leadership, service and have fun with each other keeps me going
- How FCCLA and FACS go hand in hand. You can be teaching about a FACS subject and have your students be a star event without them even knowing it

- The ability FCCLA has to create strong leaders from average students. FCCLA changes lives
- My passion for FCCLA comes from watching my students grow and learn from the projects they complete, the presentations they give, and the experiences that they have at the region, state and national levels. They learn to become leaders, to present themselves in a manner that represents themselves, our school, community and their families in a very positive way. Knowing that they are our future leaders is a motivation for me

Benefits of Joining FCCCLA?

1. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TSQIeMqMJuY&feature=youtu.be>
2. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p5rF3VgZmE0>

How has being an FCCLA adviser affected your life in a positive way?

I love being able to be the cheerleader my students need. Their optimism, energy and positive attitudes are contagious and it sticks with me

It has given me something to look forward to when the perks of teaching high school just weren't enough

It's great to know I have a positive impact and personal relationship with so many students. I help them find a place where they normally didn't know they could belong

I have grown stronger in my leadership skills!

I have also proven to myself that I can do hard things. I also have made a lot of lasting friendships

I have enjoyed watching students go the extra mile. They can really make a difference

Having students learning leadership skills that will help them in the future

Broadened my world - allowed me to travel on the district's money

FCCLA has helped me develop a greater understanding of the importance of service and leadership. It has also pointed out how positive projects can influence others and how they can make a difference in a student's life and the lives of others. Additionally, FCCLA has helped me become a more effective teacher (as I implement ideas and suggestions given to me from my FCCLA students) and ideas I pick up as I attend State and National FCCLA Leadership

What does a Successful FCCLA Chapter look like?

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ykIpEJy0r_g&feature=youtu.be

Running a Successful FCCLA Chapter

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FgNaotcX1gA>

How can I prepare to be a successful adviser?

- By networking with other teachers, finding a mentor, judge at competitions, find a good solid group of students as officers
- Ask for help! Talk to other advisers and attend Nationals! This will help your vision expand
- Accept that you WILL be an adviser! Decide what your boundaries are for asking questions and helping students
- Judge STAR events before you graduate so you get an idea how it is. Collaborate with other teachers and advisers

- Reach out and ask questions
- Just do it! It will be a lot of work, but worth it
- Gain all the knowledge you can about FCCLA. The more you know the more you can teach your students
- Be willing to spend extra time - without pay

- Get to know your chapter members strengths and weaknesses
- Make rules, and expectations, know (and enforce them). Enjoy the students, have fun with the students
- Give ideas, and suggestions as needed (or when asked) but, don't be pushy or demanding with the students
- Be a facilitator not a dictator

Recruit, Retain and Recognize

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Hgnwl1HPi5E&feature=youtu.be>

Why join FCCLA?

- Impact on Students' lives-

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iqATJI0XYVo&feature=youtu.be>








What are STAR events?

- STAR Events (Students Taking Action with Recognition) are competitive events in which members are recognized for proficiency and achievement, in chapter and individual projects, leadership skills and career preparation
- <https://www.youtube.com/user/NationalFCCLA1945/videos>
- <http://fcclainc.org/programs/star-events.php>



FCCLA Planning Process

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=X5Og2-zHtks&feature=youtu.be>

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FCCLA Resource Suggestions from Advisers

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jw4Fo33WUCI&feature=youtu.be>

Resources Available

1. www.utahfccla.org
2. www.fcclainc.org
3. UEN Filing cabinet
https://www.uen.org/cte/facs_cabinet/facs_cabinet10.shtml
4. Email Listserve

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FCCLA Fundraising (FCCLA in the classroom)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YibEKuEzPl0&feature=youtu.be>

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