

Hey everyone, I'm Briana Nelson-Canty your 2011-2012 Sate Secretary. I am from District VII and live in the town of Bradenton, Fl. Currently an 11<sup>th</sup> grade student at Lakewood Ranch High School, I started my 'destination' toward the "Ultimate Leadership Experience" in 7<sup>th</sup> grade. When I'm not at school or doing anything FCCLA related, I enjoy listening to music which is my life; dancing, writing poetry and traveling. My friends are my family; my family members are the most important people in my life, that's why I love the fact that FCCLA focuses on family. I have grown to be an outstanding leader and person for taking advantage of this great opportunity. Just like many others have experienced FCCLA opened my mind to many new things I never felt I could do. I have had so many touching moments and chances where I helped out my community. I really enjoy the quote "Small opportunities are often the beginning of great enterprises." –Demosthenes

