



**Florida FCCLA**  
Scholarship  
Awards

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**Florida FCCLA Scholarship Awards Applications**  
**The Frances Champion/Kitty Funderburk Scholarship**  
**Bachelor's Degree Scholarship**

The Florida State Association will award one or more scholarships up to \$1,500.00 annually to an outstanding FCCLA senior(s) planning to enroll in an accredited Florida college or university to major in a Family and Consumer Sciences related occupation at the bachelor's degree level.

This scholarship is awarded to the applicant with the highest qualifications. Students in any year of college may also apply. High school applicants will be given first preference. Students may re-apply for the scholarships provided they have not been a recipient of the scholarship in the past. Funds are provided from contributions made by FCCLA members and sponsors in Florida.

**Guidelines**

1. The award will be made in two payments (one at the beginning of each term) to the college or university in which the recipient is enrolled. These funds may be held in escrow at the request of the recipient for a period of two years provided the State Scholarship Committee recommends this action.
2. One month prior to entering, the recipient shall send to the State Office the name of the college or university at which they have been accepted.
3. At the beginning of each registration period, the recipient shall send a statement to the State Office from the Dean certifying the specific title of the identified major in a Family & Consumer Sciences related occupation. The check will then be sent to the appropriate office at the college or university.
4. At the beginning of the second term, evidence shall be submitted that the recipient is maintaining an academic average of **C** or above. If the student has failed to maintain a **C** average or above, the recipient will be placed on probation for the following term in attendance before receiving the second payment.
5. Selection of the recipients(s) and an alternate will be made by the State Scholarship Committee. Where there appears to be little difference in the qualifications of applicants, preference will be given to the one in greatest need of financial assistance.
6. The State Scholarship Committee shall annually designate the recipient with the highest qualifications, who will be awarded the Frances Champion FCCLA Scholarship for that year.
7. All materials must be formally typed and be neat.
8. Applicants must possess qualities which indicate possible success in the field of Family & Consumer Sciences, such as an interest in home and family life and Family & Consumer Sciences related occupations, good character, a pleasing personality, leadership ability, attractive appearance, and a good command of the English language.



## Florida FCCLA Scholarship Awards Applications Associate Degree or Certification Scholarship

The Florida State Association will award one or more scholarships up to \$1,000.00 annually to outstanding FCCLA senior(s) planning to enroll in a vocational/technical school, community college, or junior college in a Family and Consumer Science-related occupation.

Funds are provided from contributions made by FCCLA members and sponsors in Florida.

### **Guidelines**

1. The award will be made in two payments (one at the beginning of each term) to the vocational technical school, community college or junior college in which the recipient is enrolled. These funds may be held in escrow at the request of the recipient for a period of two years provided the State Scholarship Committee recommends this action.
2. One month prior to entering, the recipient shall send to the State Office the name of the vocational-technical school, community college, or junior college at which they have been accepted.
3. At the beginning of each registration period, the recipient shall send a statement to the State Office from the Dean certifying that his/her program is Family & Consumer Sciences related. The check will then be sent to the institution's address provided.
4. At the beginning of the second term, evidence shall be submitted that the recipient is maintaining an academic average of **C** or above. If the student has failed to maintain a **C** average or above, the recipient will be placed on probation for the following term in attendance before receiving the second payment.
5. Selection of the recipients(s) and an alternate will be made by the State Scholarship Committee. Where there appears to be little difference in the qualifications of applicants, preference will be given to the one in greatest need of financial assistance.
6. All materials must be formally typed and neat.
7. Applicants must possess qualities which indicate possible success in the field of family & consumer sciences, such as an interest in home and family life and family & consumer sciences related occupations, good character, a pleasing personality, leadership ability, attractive appearance, and a good command of the English language.



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### **Purpose**

1. To promote interest in Family and Consumer Science professions.
2. To encourage members to prepare for a career in Family and Consumer Science.
3. To provide financial assistance to members having the qualifications set forth herein.

### **Qualifications/Requirements for Applicants**

1. Must have been an active member of an affiliated chapter within the State of Florida for at least two years.
2. Be enrolled in a Family and Consumer Science Course for at least two years **a. Exception:** If an active member for three or more years, be enrolled in a Family and Consumer Science Course for at least one year.
3. Must presently be an active member of an affiliated chapter.
4. Must be a high school graduate with an unweighted GPA of 3.0 or above.
5. Must be planning to enroll in Family and Consumer Sciences at the associate degree or program in an accredited Florida institution.
6. Must have assumed some leadership responsibility within the chapter, district, or state.
  - a. Such as serving as an officer or chairperson of a committee.
7. Must have the assurance of financial backing from their family or another source to supplement this scholarship.
8. Must have a letter of recommendation from each of the following:
  - a. Local Adviser
  - b. Principal or College Dean
  - c. One Community Leader or the Executive Council of their chapter.



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**BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**DEADLINE: March 1<sup>st</sup> SUBMIT**

**TO: statedirector@flfccla.org**

**General Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
                    First                                    Middle                                    Last

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
                    Street                                    City                    State                                    ZIP

Years in FCCLA: \_\_\_\_\_ Unweighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_

College Adviser: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ School Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

HS Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
                    Street                                    City                    State                                    ZIP Code

Do your scholarship funds need to be held in escrow for one or two years? Explain below:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Choose three units of Power of One that you have completed and describe the project that you carried out to complete the unit in the space below.

- A Better You                      - Family Ties                      - Working on Work
- Take the Lead                      - Speak out for FCCLA

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## Florida FCCLA Scholarship Awards Applications Recipient Agreements

**The following are enclosed:**

1. A typed paper of not more than 200 words telling what Family and Consumer Sciences related occupation I have selected.
2. A list of experiences I have had for developing leadership, including FCCLA, school and community activities, and honors or awards received for citizenship of scholastic achievement, accompanied by a verifying signature.
3. Written recommendation from my adviser, principal or college dean, one community leader and the executive council of my chapter, including a statement of my need for financial assistance.
4. A statement of my plans for the year(s) following graduation from High School if funds are requested to be held in escrow.
5. An official transcript of High School or College.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Principal

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Local Adviser

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**School Counselor or Registrar:** An official transcript of the applicant's high school or college record has been mailed to Florida FCCLA (PO Box 22733 Tampa, FL 33622) or has been emailed to [statedirector@gmail.com](mailto:statedirector@gmail.com).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Counselor/Registrar

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Mailed  Sent Via Email

State Office Use Only:

Awarded

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Not awarded Scholarship Committee Chairperson





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### Carolyn Owsley & Virginia Bert Leadership Development Scholarship Award

#### **Qualifications and Policies for Scholarship Award:**

The Florida Association FCCLA will award one or more **full-paid** leadership development scholarships up to \$1,000 annually to attend the National Leadership Conference. The Leadership Development Scholarship Award is awarded to those individuals who have demonstrated leadership ability and dedication to FCCLA goals. The purpose of this scholarship is to **aid** eligible individuals to attend the National Leadership Conference. Funds are provided for this activity through member contributions to the scholarship account.

#### **GUIDELINES:**

- The scholarship award will be made once annually to individuals fulfilling the requirements and provided the state scholarship committee recommends this action.
- The tuition part of the scholarship will be sent directly to the appropriate camp management; travel reimbursement will be awarded directly to the attendee as per official state mileage.
- Selection of the recipient and any alternate will be made by the FCCLA scholarship committee.
- The FCCLA scholarship committee shall designate annually those to whom this award will be given. Must submit Leadership Development Scholarship Application by March 1 to FCCLA State Office.
- **The recipient** must possess qualities, which indicate potential leadership in the field of family and consumer sciences, such as an interest in home and family life, good character, a pleasing personality, and a good command of the English language.

#### **PURPOSES OF THE SCHOLARSHIP:**

To develop leadership skills.

To promote a stronger FCCLA program by encouraging recipient(s) to become effective chapter leaders. To encourage members to become involved in the local affiliated chapter, district and state functions; local, district and state offices; and district and state proficiency events.

To encourage members to prepare for a career in home economics related occupations.

To provide financial assistance to members having appropriate qualifications.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS OF RECIPIENT(S) FOR SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:**

All recipients must be affiliated members in good standing of an affiliated chapter.

All recipients must have held or be holding an FCCLA chapter, city or county council, district, or state office, or have participated in proficiency events on state or national level

All recipients must be either a middle or high school student.

All recipients must have a passing grade in all subjects with at least an overall C average. Verification is required from the chapter or district advisor.

All recipients must have financial assistance from their families or another source for any additional personal expenses connected with attendance at this function. (Registration, room and board and travel at current state rates are covered.)

The recipient must include two letters of recommendations.



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**CAROLYN OWSLEY & VIRGINIA BERT LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT AWARD**

**DEADLINE: March 1<sup>st</sup> SUBMIT**

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**General Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
                            First  Middle  Last

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
                            Street  City                            State                            ZIP

Years in FCCLA: \_\_\_\_\_ Years in FCS: \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Unweighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

FCCLA Offices Held (Include Position Name and Year Held):

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Other Leadership Experiences:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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In 25 words or less, explain why you would like to attend a leadership conference:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\*Attach two letters of recommendation: (one from your chapter adviser and the other from a school or community leader).

I have financial assistance from \_\_\_\_\_ for any additional personal expenses in connection to attendance at this function.      Yes      No

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Signature of Applicant

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Date

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Signature of Principal

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Date

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Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Date