Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) is a national nonprofit student organization that helps youth develop leadership and workplace skills to prepare for both college and careers through peer-to-peer education, community engagement, and the application of skills learned in the Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS) classroom.

**FCCLA ENGAGES:**
- Students through career exploration and leadership development
- Teachers to support FCS education
- Business and industry leaders to enhance opportunities for members

**FCCLA EMPOWERS STUDENTS TO:**
- Balance career and family responsibilities
- Develop leadership skills
- Practice STEM skills
- Build technical skills in Family and Consumer Sciences related careers

**FCCLA MEMBERS LEARN EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS BY:**
- Developing teamwork, creativity, leadership, responsibility, and time management skills
- Practicing and demonstrating technical skills for FCS-related careers
- Learning directly from industry professionals
- Exploring opportunities to practice and develop these skills

**KEY DATA**
- 182,000+ members annually
- 6,600+ Family and Consumer Sciences advisers
- 5,200+ chapters across the nation
- 3,500+ Competitive Event participants annually
- 16,000,000+ U.S. citizens on average are reached annually through community service and youth-led projects
- $2 Million+ in scholarships and awards provided annually

**IMPACT FACTS**
- 85% of FCCLA members have a 3.0 or higher GPA
- 73% of FCCLA members take advanced courses
- 59% of FCS teachers believe FCCLA has made teaching more meaningful and engaging to students

*Citation: myCollegeOptions®/FCCLA research study (2019). National sample includes 25,558 high school FCS students and 449 FCS educators.*