Montana FCCLA

An opportunity for a Teen Peer to Peer Safety Partnership.
WHAT IS FCCLA?
A nonprofit national Career & Technical Student Organization (CTSO) for young men and women in Family & Consumer Sciences Education in public and private school through grade 12.
• To promote **personal growth and leadership development** through Family and Consumer Sciences education. Focusing on the multiple roles of family member, wage earner, and community leader, members develop skills for life through character development, creative and critical thinking, interpersonal communications, practical knowledge, and career preparation.
FCCLA across the Nation

~Over 160,000 members
~More than 5,300 chapters
~Active in 49 states, Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico
FCCLA in Montana

• Around 70 chapters and over 1,020 student members
• Found in schools with either middle and/or high school FCS programs
What year was FCCLA founded nationally?

A. 1896  
B. 1945  
C. 1989  
D. 1994
We are a Career and Technical Student Organization.

Our name changed to FCCLA in 1999; we were formally known as Future Homemakers of America.
What are names of other CTSOs in Montana?
Montana has 7 active CTSOs: BPA, DECA, FCCLA, FFA, HOSA, SkillsUSA and TSA.
FCCLA: Programming
Local and State Meetings

Local Chapter Meetings
Throughout the School Year

District Meetings
October-December, various locations

Leadership Rally
Early October, MSU-Bozeman or Fairmont

State Leadership Conference
Mid March, MSU-Bozeman
Involvement in FCCLA’s Competitive Events programs offers members the opportunity to expand their leadership potential and develop skills for life necessary in families, communities, and workplaces.

**STAR Events**  
(Students Taking Action with Recognition)

**Skill Demonstration Events**
Planning Process

1. Identify Concerns
2. Set a Goal
3. Form a Plan
4. ACT
5. Follow Up
8 National Programs

Address real-world problems

Enrich the well-being of individuals and families

Align with FCS Standards
National Programs

A national peer education program that empowers students with attitudes, skills, and resources in order to recognize, report, and reduce youth violence.

A national peer education program that helps young people learn to eat right, be fit, and make healthy choices.
National Programs

**POWER ONE**
A national program designed to help students find and use their personal power. Members set their own goals, work to achieve them, and enjoy the results.

**FINANCIAL FITNESS**
A national peer education program that involves students teaching one another how to make, save, and spend money wisely.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**
A national program that guides students to develop, plan, carry out, and evaluate projects that improve the quality of life in their communities.
National Programs

A national peer education program through which students gain a better understanding of how families work and learn skills to become strong family members.

A national program that guides students to link their options and skills for success in their families, careers, and communities.

A national program through which students strive to save lives by educating adults and young people about traffic safety and supporting enforcement of local rules and regulations regarding community traffic safety.
FCCLA & Vision Zero – Year 1

• Small grants offered to all chapters for projects as well as other high school student groups
  • Restrictions on spending

• 2 chapters participated
FCCLA & Vision Zero – Year 2

• Small grants offered to chapters
  • Again, restrictions on purchasing & limited involvement

• MDT purchased the newly updated FACTS national program curriculum for all active FCCLA chapters
  • Can be incorporated into the chapter activities as well as the classroom
FCCLA & Vision Zero – Year 3

• Made Vision Zero our Statewide Outreach Project

• Awarded over $18,000 in grant funding to 16 chapters!

• MDT received a $15,000 grant from Ford Driving Skills for Life to provide increased financial support to chapters
FCCLA & Vision Zero – Year 4

• Second year of Vision Zero as our Statewide Outreach Project

• MDT has secured $30,000 in grant funds to support chapter grants and programming
  • Ford Driving Skills for Life
  • National Road Safety Foundation

• In this cycle now, and chapters are currently creating chapter projects and grant applications
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