

Nevada Association of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America

# STUDENT/ADVISER PARTICIPATION FORMS

Covering all In-State Nevada FCCLA Sponsored Events for the 2019-2020 School Year

# 2019-2020

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### Why do we have this packet?

Risks cannot be eliminated, but can be managed. CTE has worked with the Nevada Division of Risk Management and the Attorney General's office to determine what risks are covered by the State and what risks are our responsibility with Career Technical Student Organizations. There is now in place an insurance policy designed to cover the types of activities inherent in CTSOs, such as program management (Executive Council and Board of Directors) and event management (district conferences, our State Leadership Conference and officer trainings).

### Why do we need to have additional forms and why so many?

These forms show, when completed and assurances provided, that due diligence has been taken to prepare participants for Nevada FCCLA State sponsored events. In the past, advisers requested that we reduce the paperwork as much as possible, which we did. However, it left Nevada FCCLA without the protection needed for the State Association. When advisers fulfill the requirements of their school district by filling out school district forms, these forms protect only the school district. School district forms do not protect the State Association for our State sponsored activities.

We have worked to make this process as easy for you as possible. We've tried to make the directions easy to follow and minimize duplication where possible. We have also added the Dress Code Policy to help keep event requirements all in one packet.

Form	Purpose	When it is Due	Where it is to be Sent/Kept
<u>Form 1</u> Nevada FCCLA Delegate Permission/Medical Release Form	To make sure students and parents understand requirements and to provide releases for medical care, etc.	Before attendance at any FCCLA State sponsored event/activity	<b>Keep</b> in your possession and <b>bring</b> to the FCCLA State sponsored event
<u>Form 2</u> Adviser Conduct Code Form <u>Form 3</u> Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code Form	To ensure that each adviser, chaperone, guest and /or alumni understand his/her role and responsibilities as an adviser at a Nevada FCCLA State sponsored event	Two weeks before adviser's attendance at their first State sponsored event of the school year School year refers to July 1-June 30	Adviser Conduct Code Form needs to be sent to the Nevada FCCLA State Director at stateadviser@nevadafccla.org Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code Form needs to be kept in adviser's possession
<u>Form 4</u> Adviser Statement of Assurance Form	To assure Nevada FCCLA that the adviser has collected and will be bringing the Nevada FCCLA Delegate Permission and Chaperone/Guest/Alumni signed forms	Two Weeks before attendance at each State sponsored event of the school year School year refers to July 1 – June 30	This form needs to be <b>sent to</b> the Nevada FCCLA State Director at <u>stateadviser@nevadafccla.org</u>

## **The Four Forms**



## Nevada FCCLA Student, Chaperone/Guest/Alumni and Adviser Participation Forms Instructions

The Student Permission/Medical Release Form, Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code Form and Adviser Conduct Code Form contained in this packet apply to all Nevada FCCLA sponsored events for the 2018-2019 school year.

For each State sponsored event, (District and State conference, Executive Council Meetings, CTSO Summit officer training) advisers are required to indicate they have in their possession the combined Student Permission/Medical Release Form and Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code form by completing the Adviser Statement of Assurance form in this packet and sending a copy of it to the State Director two weeks before each state-sponsored event.

The following guidelines govern the process to be used with these four forms:

 Each FCCLA member must <u>complete and submit to their adviser the Student Permission/Medical Release</u> <u>Form</u> contained in this packet. This form encompasses the Conduct Code Endorsement, Permissions to Attend Nevada FCCLA sponsored activities, authorization for Nevada FCCLA to use pictures or student name in publications, Release of Claim for Damages and Emergency Medical Treatment Authorization.

Advisers do not have to submit the signed Student Permission /Medical Release Form to Nevada FCCLA, but must bring them with them to each in-State Nevada FCCLA event and keep them in their possession throughout the event. Once a \*student has completed this form the same form can be used for the duration of the school year in which it is submitted. A new form must be collected at the start of the school year for returning students (i.e. the previous year's form cannot be used). \*When a student turns 18 during the school year a new Student Permission/Medical Release Form must be filled out by the student. This new form should not have a parent/guardian's signature.

- Each adviser must submit the <u>Adviser Conduct Form</u> before participating in their first Nevada FCCLA sponsored event of the year. Once this form is submitted it is valid for the duration of the school year. A new form must be submitted at the start of the next school year. Submit via E-mail to <u>statedirector@nevadafccla.org</u>, *two* weeks prior to the first event of the year.
- 3. Each chaperone, guest and alumni must submit to you the <u>Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code Form</u>. Once completed, it can be used for all events during the school year. A new form must be collected at the start of each school year. The signed form is to be kept by the adviser and brought to each State-sponsored event.
- 4. Each adviser **must submit a** *separate* <u>Statement of Assurance Form</u> two week prior to each in-state Nevada FCCLA sponsored event. This Statement indicates that the adviser has the Permission/Medical Release Form and the Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code form for every delegate who will be participating in that event and that he/she will bring those forms with them to the event.

Submit the Statement of Assurance Form via E-mail to <u>statedirector@nevadafccla.org</u>, two weeks prior to each event.

\*\*\*Please note that National FCCLA sponsored events (e.g. Cluster Meeting, National Leadership Conference, etc.) have their own required forms, which means that different forms are required for National events.

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As leaders and teachers of young professionals, it is important that we prepare our students for the events to come. The intent of these forms it to protect you, your students and Nevada FCCLA.

#### **On-site Chaperoning During Nevada FCCLA Sponsored Events**

It is the responsibility of the local adviser to oversee the conduct of their students throughout the event. Advisers are responsible for ensuring that their students stay engage, fully participate, and abide by the Student Code of Conduct for every event.

Having your **students check in with you at least three times per day** is vital when participating in FCCLA-sponsored activities. As their Adviser, you can help to eliminate frustrations on the part of your students. It also makes things run more smoothly for your chapter. It is important that you ask your students how things are going and about any challenges or frustrations they are experiencing. Asking your officers to help with chapter management can be a great support.

Let your students know of your whereabouts. Be sure that they are aware of your event assignments so that they can quickly locate you if a challenge arises. Have your students work together to help each other in case of conflicts and to remind each other of the times and locations for their activities. When you are assisting with an activity, have your students mark their programs as to where you will be located.

For overnight trips, advisers are responsible for **conducting curfew checks** and ensuring that their students know of the requirement that they remain in their rooms throughout the night.

Remind students to **thank** those who conduct their events. All event staff and judges are volunteers. If you plan to use chaperones, let your officers plan a special way to thank them at the conference.

#### Publicity

Your chapter and Nevada FCCLA need all of the positive publicity we can get. Use participation in Nevada FCCLA sponsored activities to generate some publicity. A news release for your chapter distribution to local and school press outlets is always a good idea.

#### **Students with Special Needs**

Nevada FCCLA makes every attempt to accommodate students with special needs at state events. If you contact us prior to any scheduled event, we can make the conference and competition as barrier-free as possible. If possible, two weeks advance notice would be helpful.

#### **Standards of Behavior**

A concern at any student event is the standard of conduct. State staff has worked hard to let the facilities staff know how important their role is in making our event a success, so the **image** students and advisers present during FCCLA events **is vital**. It is extremely important that our members exhibit a business-like image to all facilities staff, other chapters' members, alumni, presenters, judges, school district administrators, volunteers and guests.

#### Visibility

Drop in and check on your students. Performing a "head count" from time to time is important. Be sure to physically see every student during each session/activity of the event. Ask questions about events and have a conversation with them so you can see how things are going.



#### Listed below are discipline guidelines that FCCLA State staff will follow

#### Cheating

- 1) Adviser notification
- 2) Parent and school notification
- 3) Disqualification from event (could include removal from State or chapter office) 4) Possible disqualification from participation in future Nevada FCCLA events

#### Leaving Conference Area During Scheduled Event Times without Adviser Permission

- 1) Adviser, parent and school notification
- 2) Student sent home at school or parent expense
- 3) Disqualification from event (could include removal from State or chapter office) 4) Possible disqualification from participation in future Nevada FCCLA events

#### Stealing/Shoplifting

- 1) Adviser, parent and school notification
- 2) Student sent home at school or parent expense
- 3) Disqualification from event (could include removal from State or chapter office)
- 4) Possible disqualification from participation in future Nevada FCCLA events

#### Use, Possession of, or in the Presence of Others Using or Possessing Drugs/Alcohol/Smoking

- 1) Adviser, parent and school notification
- 2) Student sent home at school or parent expense
- 3) Disqualification from event (could include removal from State or chapter office)
- 4) Possible disqualification from participation in future Nevada FCCLA events

#### Vandalism (including pulling fire alarms)

- 1) Adviser, parent and school notification
- 2) Student sent home at school or parent expense
- 3) Disqualification from event (could include removal from State or chapter office) 4) Possible disqualification from participation in future Nevada FCCLA events

#### Decisions made by the State Director in consultation with the State Adviser are final.



## Nevada FCCLA Delegate Permission/Medical Release/ Claim Release/Publicity Authorization Form

#### This Student Permission/Medical Release Form Document Contains Four (4) Total Pages Including the Student Permission/Medical Release Form for All Nevada FCCLA Sponsored Activities for 2019-2020

### **Code of Conduct**

Attendance at any Nevada FCCLA sponsored conference or activity is a privilege. The following conduct policies will apply to all delegates: Students, alumni, advisers, chaperones, guest and any other authorized persons attending the activity. This form must be signed by each student attending a Nevada FCCLA activity and be submitted to his/her chapter adviser two weeks prior to the registration deadline of the first State sponsored event of the school year. (The school year is July 1<sup>st</sup> –June 30<sup>th</sup>.) The chapter adviser must have a completed copy of the Student Permission/Medical Release Form for each student attending in their possession for the duration of the event, including during travel to and from the event. *This form must be kept on file in the local school district after the conference/activity*.

#### The following shall be regarded as severe violations of the Nevada FCCLA Code of Conduct:

Should a Code of Conduct violation occur for item 1 through 8 below, regardless of when exposed, the violating student(s) will be sent home and will not be eligible to attend any other state, regional, or national conference during that school year. If the violation warrants it, law enforcement will be notified. Determination of penalties for violations will be at the discretion of the State Management Team and/or Board of Directors.

- 1. Alcohol, Drugs and Tobacco: A student shall not possess, use, transmit, be under the influence of, or show evidence of having used an alcoholic beverage, other drugs, substances or tobacco products capable of or intended, purported, or presumed to be capable of altering a student's mood, perception, behavior or judgment; other than properly used, over-the-counter pain relievers and medications prescribed by a physician for an individual student. Nor shall the student possess, use, sell or transmit paraphernalia associated with drugs, alcohol, or chemical substances in any form (including tobacco), at any time, or under any circumstances, on public or private properties. Any prescribed or over-the-counter medications must be on record with the adviser.
- 2. **Curfew:** Failing to be in your assigned hotel room from the curfew time designated in the conference program until 6 a.m.; causing any noise or other disturbance audible by anyone in adjoining rooms or the hallway after designated curfew time; ordering any food after the designated curfew time; causing any other unnecessary disturbance or participating in any other inappropriate activity after the designated curfew time.
- 3. **Willful Companionship:** Being in the willful companionship of someone who violates any portion of the Code of Conduct, or failing to report any direct knowledge (other than hearsay) of Code of Conduct violations.
- 4. **Personal Conduct:** Having a member of the opposite sex in a room if no adult chaperone is present and the room door is not visibly open (e.g. the door may be propped wide open); having an adviser, chaperone, or guest of the opposite sex in a room without a third person present and the door visibly open.
- 5. **Personal Conduct:** Cheating, dishonesty, or taking unfair advantage of others; participating in social activities other than those with conference participants; conducting acts and/or possession of weapons capable of causing bodily harm or fear of life, defacing or stealing any public or private property (for which financial responsibility will rest solely with offending individuals or their chapter); breaking the law; other serious violations of personal conduct regulations.
- 6. Severe Violations: Violations of the student conduct code of the school district or school that the student represents.
- 7. Abusive Behavior and Lewd Conduct: A student shall not engage in any lewd, indecent, sexual, or obscene act or expression or possess such materials. Students are prohibited from engaging in verbal, physical or sexual harassment, hazing, or name calling against any person on the basis of race, color, creed, national origin, ancestry, age, sex, sexual orientation, or disability.
- 8. **Private Transportation:** Delegates are encouraged to stay at the official event site to foster conference participation and reduce the risk of injury which may occur as students travel to and from the event site. Driving or riding in a private automobile during an event is discouraged. Occasionally a chapter adviser, under special circumstances, may allow a student to drive or ride in a



private automobile to an event. Student drivers are required to follow their school district policies. Students must give any (school district) Permission to use Private Transportation forms to their chapter adviser prior to the event.

The following shall be considered <u>serious violations</u> of the Nevada FCCLA Code of Conduct: Should a conduct code violation occur for items 9-13 below, regardless of when exposed, the violating student(s) may be sent home and may not be eligible to attend any other state, regional or national conference during that school year. Determination of penalties for violations will be at the discretion of the State Management Team or the Board of Directors/Trustees or local adviser.

- 9. **Conference Conduct:** Failing to wear the supplied conference ID badge and wristband (when provided) at all times in the conference facility from arrival at the conference until departure at the end of the conference; leaving sessions prior to their conclusion (except in the case of emergency); failing to attend all general sessions and assigned activities (including workshops, competitive events, committee meetings, etc.) for which a delegate is registered (unless engaged in a specific assignment taking place at the same time); not abiding by the rules and regulations of Nevada FCCLA or school/district policies from the time he/she leaves his/her home or school for any activity and the time he/she returns to the same home or school following the activity.
- 10. **Dress:** Failing to abide by the dress code established for the conference, as outlined in the Dress Code above.
- 11. Serious Violations: Violation of the conduct of code of the school district or school that a student represents.
- 12. **Personal Conduct:** Failing to report accidents, injuries or illnesses immediately to the chapter adviser; failing to keep adult advisers informed of activities and whereabouts at all times; failure to comply with established grievance process for disputes about competitive events results/processes (including personally confronting judges or event administrators).
- 13. **Hotel Conduct:** Failing to meet the professional standards of housing facilities; accruing incidental room charges (i.e. phone calls, room service, pay-per-view movies, etc.) without settling the account prior to check-out; throwing objects out the window or into the hallway; moving hotel furniture from rooms (e.g., onto the balcony); failing to follow hotel rules and regulations. Disturbing non-FCCLA guests who are staying in the hotel.

More stringent school district policies may supersede this code of conduct.





### **National FCCLA Dress Code** Adopted by Nevada BOD for Nevada FCCLA

FCCLA is one of the career-technical student organizations sponsored by the United States Department of Education for the purpose of preparing youth for career and personal success. Specifically, FCCLA prepares young men and women for the multiple roles of family member, wage earner and community leader. Therefore, an important part of the educational experiences provided by FCCLA includes developing an understanding of appropriate behavior and dress for business meetings and functions.

**Professional Image:** FCCLA members and advisers are representing an outstanding student organization and should project the image of a leader. During the conference, members, advisers and guests are expected to remember the following guidelines listed below in relation to their conference attire. It should be noted that the official FCCLA uniform is always acceptable and encouraged for members during FCCLA events.

# This dress code applies to ALL participants attending Nevada FCCLA events. Advisers are responsible for enforcing the dress policy with their students. Delegates and guests not adhering to this policy will not be admitted into sessions.

<u>Dress Attire</u>	Men	Women
<b>Professional:</b> Business Meetings, Exhibits, Workshops, Competitive Events, General and Recognition Sessions	<ul> <li>Dress shirt, necktie, slacks, blazer – or suit – with dress shoes and socks OR</li> <li>Red blazer o Encouraged at all conferences; o Required at NLC</li> <li>Professional white shirt</li> <li>Red/black necktie</li> <li>Black dress pants</li> <li>Black belt/socks</li> <li>Black dress shoes</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Business dress or suit, dress pants, dress shirt, nylons and closed-toe shoes <ul> <li>OR</li> </ul> </li> <li>Red blazer o <i>Encouraged at all conferences;</i> o <i>Required at NLC</i></li> <li>Professional white shirt</li> <li>Red/black ascot</li> <li>Black dress pants/ skirt/sheath dress</li> <li>Nylons</li> <li>Black closed-toe dress shoes</li> </ul>
<b>Business Casual:</b> Any time at conferences when not in general sessions, workshops, or competing	<ul> <li>Red, black, or white polo shirt</li> <li>Black dress pants</li> <li>Black dress shoes/socks</li> <li>NO flip flops</li> <li>NO hats</li> <li>NO denim</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Red, black, or white polo shirt</li> <li>Black dress pants/skirt</li> <li>Black closed-toe dress shoes</li> <li><i>NO flip flops</i></li> <li><i>NO hats</i></li> <li><i>NO denim</i></li> </ul>
<b>Casual:</b> Travel to and from FCCLA functions, recreational tours, theme parks, and other casual activities	<ul> <li>Longer-length shorts/casual slacks</li> <li>Collared shirt, sweatshirt, t-shirt</li> <li>Casual footwear</li> <li><i>NO flip flops</i></li> <li><i>Nice Denim – is acceptable</i></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Longer-length shorts/casual slacks</li> <li>Collared shirt, sweatshirt, t-shirt</li> <li>Casual footwear</li> <li><i>NO flip flops</i></li> <li><i>Nice Denim – is acceptable</i></li> </ul>
<b>Formal/Semi-Formal:</b> SLC Grand Achievement Awards Dinner and/or National Leadership Conference Gala	<ul> <li>Dress shirt</li> <li>Necktie</li> <li>Blazer and slacks or suit</li> <li>Socks</li> <li>Dress shoes</li> <li><i>Tuxedo - Optional</i></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Dress (long/short) o NO bare midriffs or backs o No underwear should be visible</li> <li>Pant suits are also appropriate</li> <li>Dress shoes</li> </ul>



<b>Pool Attire:</b> <i>For SLC and NLC</i>	<ul> <li>Swim trunks (no speedos)</li> <li>Shirt and shoes must be worn to and from pool area</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Conservative swimsuit (one piece or moderately cut two piece)</li> <li><i>Cover-up and shoes must be worn to and from pool area</i></li> </ul>
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### <u>Form 1</u>

### Nevada FCCLA Delegate Permission/Medical Release/ Claim Release/Publicity Authorization Form

Students and Alumni (Alumni under age 21) who are invited by a chapter to attend events are collectively referred to as "Delegate" in this document

Conduct Code Endorsement | Permission to Attend Nevada FCCLA Sponsored Activities, and Authorization to use pictures or student/alumni name in publications Emergency Medical Treatment Authorization and Release of Claim for Damages:

Name of Delegate	Date:	
Home Address	Phone:	
	Date of Birth:	
Name of School	Adviser Cell Phone:	

Adviser(s) in Charge

This is to certify that the above-named delegate has my permission to attend Nevada FCCLA State sponsored activities during the 20182019 school year. (The school year is considered July 1, 2017- June 30, 2018.) I also do hereby, on behalf of the above-named delegate absolve and **release** Nevada FCCLA, the school officials, the FCCLA chapter advisers, conference staff, and Nevada FCCLA staff from any **claims** for personal injuries/damages which might be sustained while he/she is en route to and from or during the FCLA sponsored activity.

I **authorize** the above-named adviser or the Nevada FCCLA staff to secure the services of a doctor or hospital for the above named delegate. I will incur the expenses for necessary services in the event of accident or illness and provide for the payment of these costs. I **grant permission** to Nevada FCCLA and its staff/contractors, State Department of Education, and sponsors/supporters to use the above delegate's name and likeness (including photographs, video footage, silhouettes, and audio clips) in publications, productions, promotions and on websites for informational, promotional and other related purposes without further consider, and acknowledge the right of Nevada FCCLA to crop, treat, edit, or otherwise modify the photographs, video footage, silhouettes, and audio clips at their discretion.

I also **understand** that the chapter adviser determines the criteria at the local site, for individual students and alumni to attend and participate at all FCCLA activities.

We have read and agree to abide by the supplied Nevada FCCLA Conduct Code and Dress Code. Should a conduct code violation occur, law enforcement personnel and or security may be called to assist, and a conduct code committee may be called with the ultimate punishment being that the student may be disqualified and sent home at their/their family's expense and/or be removed from office if in an officer status. If the delegate is to be sent home reasonable care shall be exercised to ensure a safe, expedient, and financially feasible mode of transportation back to the delegate's home community. We are aware of the consequences that will result from violation of any of the above guidelines.

Student Signature		Date	
Parent/Guardian Signature			
Parent signature is not needed if			
Chapter Adviser Signature		Date	
School Official Signature	Title		
Medi	cal Information		
Known allergies (drug or natural)			
Medication being taken			
Date of last tetanus shot			
History of heart condition, diabetes, asthma, epilepsy or rheun			
Any physical or food restrictions			
Other conditions			
Family doctor		Phone	
	ance Information		
Health Insurance Company Name		Policy Number	
Health Insurance Company Phone Number		Policy Holder's Name	

#### Nevada Family, Career and Community Leaders of America



# <u>FORM 2</u> Adviser Conduct Code Form

Nevada FCCLA's programs offer training and leadership development opportunities to students who have educational goals in the areas of Family and Consumer Sciences and related career and technical fields. Individual conduct and appearance is an integral part of this training. Attendance at any Nevada FCCLA sponsored conference or activity is a privilege. Setting a good example is an essential part of teaching. Students participating in Nevada FCCLA conferences and activities are impressionable; therefore, a code of conduct is set for advisers. By signing this agreement, the adviser also agrees to the tenants of the Adviser Conduct Code and the Dress Code. Violations of these practices and procedures, as established, will be referred to the State Director, State Adviser, the Nevada FCCLA Board of Directors and/or the adviser's school administrator.

- 1. Advisers or school designees must be on-site for the entire Nevada FCCLA State-sponsored event.
- 2. Each chapter is required to have a minimum of one adviser/designee/chaperone for every 15 students attending, (Your district/school/or the event may require fewer students per adult.)
- 3. Advisers are responsible for being available to their students and other delegates 24 hours per day. This responsibility begins from the time parents/guardians leave students with the adviser until the time they pick them up after the activity.
- 4. Advisers are responsible for knowing the whereabouts of all of their students at all times.
- 5. Advisers are responsible for following and communicating to students, chaperones and guests, all behavior, conduct and dress code requirements.
- 6. Advisers who are sent/come to learn more about the FCCLA program, even without students, are expected to attend all sessions and workshops and to fulfill all assigned responsibilities.
- 7. Advisers are responsible for their delegates' actions. Advisers are required to take appropriate disciplinary steps when members of their delegation are not following requirements.
- 8. Advisers must ensure that all of their student delegates attend and participate in all sessions, workshops and activities.
- 9. Each primary chapter adviser must attend all adviser meetings.
- 10. When an adviser is assigned a job duty it is his/her responsibility to promptly carry out those duties or advise the State Director that he/she will not be able to fulfill the responsibility.
- 11. Each adviser must have with them at all Nevada FCCLA State Sponsored events:
  - Each participant's signed Nevada FCCLA Delegate Permission/Medical Release Form;
  - A list of each student's name, parent/guardian names, and phone numbers; and
  - Each chaperone, guest or alumni's signed Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code form.
- 12. Advisers must report any conduct violations to the Nevada FCCLA State Director or State Adviser.
- 13. No alcohol is to be consumed by any adviser during the event/activity, even if the adult in not "on duty" or responsible for student delegates.
- 14. All judges' decisions are final.

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15. Concerns about event management and/or judging may be communicated through writing to the State Director no later than one month from the last day of the event.

By signing the Nevada FCCLA Adviser Conduct Code, the adviser agrees to abide by the rules set forth in this document. Additionally, the adviser agrees to abide by the judgment set down by the Nevada FCCLA State Director in any disciplinary action. Advisers may appeal a ruling with a letter to the State Executive Director giving an explanation of circumstances that may have been outside of the adviser's control, within one month after the ruling. In addition to the consequences stated in the Advisers Conduct Code, any violation of these codes will also result in the adviser to student ratio being reduced for a period of time to be designated. This signed form is required in order to attend all recognized Nevada State FCCLA activities.

#### Typing/writing your name in the box below serves as your signature and confirmation of understanding.

Adviser Signature:	
Chapter Name:	
Date:	



## **Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code Form**

Nevada FCCLA's programs offer training and leadership development opportunities to students who have educational goals in the areas of Family and Consumer Sciences and related career and technical fields. Individual conduct and appearance is an integral part of this training. Attendance at any Nevada FCCLA sponsored conference or activity is a privilege. Setting a good example is an essential part of teaching. Students participating in Nevada FCCLA conferences and activities are impressionable; therefore, a code of conduct is set for advisers. By signing this agreement, the adviser also agrees to the tenants of the Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code and the Dress Code. It is important that participants understand that although it may have cost a substantial amount of money for you to participate in this event it is a leadership development opportunity for our student delegates and not a personal vacation. Violations of these practices and procedures, as established, will be referred to the State Director, State Adviser, the Nevada FCCLA Board of Directors, and/or the adviser's school administrator.

- 1. Chaperones, guests, and alumni must be on-site for their entire assigned responsibilities for the Nevada FCCLA State-sponsored event.
- 2. Chaperones, in concert with their chapter adviser, are responsible for being available to their students and other delegates 24 hours each day. Supervision responsibilities begin from the time parents/guardians leave students with the adviser until the time they pick them up after the activity.
- 3. Chaperones, guests, and alumni are responsible to follow all behavior, conduct, and dress code requirements set forth for delegates at this event.
- 4. No alcohol is to be consumed by any chaperone, alumni or guest on the event site during the event, even if the adult is not "on duty" or responsible for student delegates.
- 5. When a chaperone, guest or alum is assigned job duties it is his/her responsibility to promptly carry out those duties or advise their chapter adviser or the State Director that he/she will not be able to fulfill their responsibility.
- 6. The Ice Cream Social and The Dance are activities for student delegates. Invited chaperones, guests, and alumni must behave in the role of an adult chaperone and not as a student delegate if assigned to attend these events.

By signing the Nevada FCCLA Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code, the adviser agrees to abide by the rules set forth in this document.

#### Typing/writing your name in the box below serves as your signature and confirmation of understanding.

Chaperone/Guest/Alum Signature (Please	
print):	
Chaperone/Guest/Alum Signature:	
Chapter Affiliation:	
Date:	



### Nevada FCCLA Adviser Statement of Assurance Form

Advisers attending Nevada FCCLA events must review, sign, and <u>return this statement of assurance</u> along with their registration materials <u>for each</u> Nevada FCCLA State Sponsored event.

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ As

the adviser responsible for the students, chaperones and guests attending this event I confirm that:

- I have reviewed this Student/Adviser Participation Forms packet with all delegates attending this event from my chapter.
- I have review the delegate Permission/Medical Release Form with my delegates who are under age 21 and I will have a completed copy, of the fully signed form for each student attending in my possession for the duration of the above event, including travel to and from this event.
- I have reviewed the Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code Form with each participant who will be attending in this capacity and I will have a signed copy of the form in my possession at this event.
- I will ensure that chaperones who will be assisting me will:
  - $\circ$  Be 21 or older;
  - Follow the Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code and Dress Code Act responsibly and interact appropriately with students
- I understand that proper completion of the Delegate Permission/Medical Release/Publicity Authorization Form provides the best protection for my delegates' needs and my liability during this Nevada FCCLA event.
- I understand that Nevada FCCLA will not collect the individual delegate forms for this event, that they are to be kept in my possession, and the Nevada FCCLA State Director or State Adviser might ask to see them.
- I have reviewed, signed and sent the State Director a copy of the Adviser Conduct Code before the first FCCLA State sponsored activity during this year, (July 1 June 30).
- If this is not the first State sponsored event of the year, I have recently reviewed the Adviser Conduct Code to refresh my memory on my responsibilities as an adviser for this event.
- I understand that students attending the above event may have the opportunity to participate in activities outside of the conference facility, thus requiring walking or further public transportation. If this is the case for this event, I have discussed this with my students and their parents/guardians and have also informed them of proper etiquette and safety precautions while traveling in/around metropolitan areas.
- I have checked with my administrator and have secured authorization for my chapter to travel to this event. I have reviewed and complied with all school/district policies regarding travel and supervision of students on trips and will abide by them.
- Nevada FCCLA requires a minimum chaperone to student ratio of 1:15 at all events. Our delegation meets this minimum requirement, unless our district has a lower chaperone to student ratio.
- I understand the responsibility for the safety of the delegates from this chapter rests with the adviser who signs this Statement of Assurance.
- I will participate in all general sessions, workshops and scheduled activities as well as fulfill all my assigned responsibilities during the conference.
- I will patrol the halls (even during the day, if necessary), stay up until students and/or halls are quiet, enforce the conference student Conduct Code and Dress Code, and regularly check-in with my students.
- I will ensure that my chaperones who will be assisting me will:
  - Be 21 or older;
  - Follow the Chaperone/Guest/Alumni Conduct Code and Dress Code Act responsibly and interact appropriately with students

I have read the above and hereby offer assurance that I understand and agree to comply with the policies stated on the Conduct Forms as indicated by my signature appearing below.

(Typing/writing your name in the box below serves as your signature and confirmation of understanding):

Adviser Name (Please print):	
Adviser Signature:	
Chapter Name:	
Date:	



