



Major Changes in the 2021-2022 STAR Events Guide

The following is a listing of the major changes in the 2021-2022 STAR Events Guide. It is in no way inclusive and participants and advisers should continue to **read the event rules carefully** to ensure eligibility and successful event completion and presentation.

The following events have been updated to reflect changes per level (scaffolding) as submitted by state associations. These events have multiple revisions in addition to updated rubrics. Please be sure that members understand their **level of competition** (1, 2, or 3). They are:

- Career Investigation
- Entrepreneurship
- Food Innovations
- Nutrition and Wellness
- Professional Presentation
- Public Policy Advocate
- Repurpose and Redesign
- Sports Nutrition
- Sustainability Challenge

- **ALL** events at state competition, with the exception of Chapter in Review, will be open to **two entries per chapter**, as space and time schedules allow. Priority will be given to chapters that register early.
- There will no longer be a run-off process at state competition. Standard deviation will be used for those events that require multiple groups.
- The Virginia FCCLA Board of Directors added a \$10 fee per entry for **Baking & Pastry, Chicken Fabrication, Classic Knife Cuts, and Culinary Arts** to cover the cost of food for competition.
- **Baking and Pastry** – a process for preliminary competition (if required) for National Leadership Conference has been established. A test is no longer part of the Point Summary Form. This is now an individual event.
- The state event, **Classic Knife Cuts** and **Chicken Fabrication**, will be split into two separate events, allowing for more entries from chapters.
- **Culinary Arts** – a process for preliminary competition (if required) for National Leadership Conference has been established. A test is no longer part of the Point Summary Form. This is now an individual event.
- **Public Policy Advocate** – projects must relate to an area concerning Family and Consumer Sciences and/or related occupations.
- At the National Leadership Conference, the top 10 finalists per event/level will be recognized.

Please read event rules carefully to ensure eligibility and receive the highest possible points.

For additional clarification of any of the rules in any of the Competitive Events Guides, please email competitiveevents@fcclainc.org.

