

Colorado Family, Career and Community Leaders of America

2026 Promise Award Scholarship

The Promise Award Scholarship is to honor a Colorado FCCLA member who is a senior (and not a state officer) who has shown promising potential in supporting the mission of FCCLA. The winner of this award should be a member who has led her or his chapter, community and or district and state with her or his commitment and inspiration over the past year or years.

Evaluative Criteria

Evaluation will be based on 2 components (100 pts.): (to include completeness, support materials, etc.)

1. Candidate Application **50 Points**
2. Two (2) letters of support (25 points each) **50 Points**

Application Material

1. Complete the Candidate Application
2. Submit two (2) letters of support from the following categories (one from each category):
 - One from an adviser
 - One from a fellow chapter member

Submission Process

Application Material must be submitted on the [Promise Award Application Form](#) by **March 1, 2026**.

Recognition

The award will be presented to one individual during the 2026 State Leadership Conference. The recipient of this award will receive a \$1,000 scholarship. Current state officers are not eligible to apply.

Rules:

1. Applicant must meet the following eligibility requirements:
 - a. Graduating senior member in good standing
 - b. Minimum G.P.A. of 2.5
 - c. Must have held an FCCLA office in the organization (local, district, state, and/or national) in grades 9-12.
2. Scholarship recipient must use the scholarship to pursue a post-secondary program at an accredited college, university, career and technical school, junior college, or community college. The scholarship must be initiated the first quarter/semester of the same year the scholarship is awarded. The scholarship may only be used in the 2026-2027 academic year.
3. All entries become the property of the Colorado FCCLA and will not be returned. The association reserves the right to publish names and quotes from entries of scholarship recipient and any other entries in Colorado Comments and/or other Family and Consumer Sciences publications.
4. The recipient must show proof of tuition to the FCCLA office or have institution contact the FCCLA office by August 31, 2026 of the year the scholarship is awarded. In the event that the recipient does not provide proof of tuition by August 31, scholarship monies will be forfeited and will remain property of Colorado FCCLA.
5. Proof of tuition can be a copy of tuition receipt or a letter from the registrar's office. Submit documentation to jordan.sveen@cccs.edu. After receiving proof of tuition, scholarship monies will be mailed to the post-secondary institution in the recipient's name by September 15, 2026.
6. The recipient must write an article for the Fall Colorado Comments about their future plans and submit to jordan.sveen@cccs.edu before the scholarship will be distributed
7. An alternate may be chosen during the initial selection process in the event that the initial recipient is unable to accept the scholarship. The initial recipient must notify the FCCLA State Office on or before August 1, 2026 if unable to accept the scholarship.

