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Chapter FCCLA Website

**“Connecting Lives, Learning and
Leadership”**

IDENTIFY CONCERNS



Our concerns as a middle school chapter relate to the method in which the students and staff have been communicating since March 2020. Last year, as a hopeful state FCCLA competitor, COVID caused Colorado State Conference to be cancelled. Inspired by this setback, I kept pushing to make a user-friendly port for all of Holmes FCCLA Chapter information. With the completion of this website, students will have a resource to gather historical and current information about Holmes FCCLA and will have information to learn how to get involved with the Ultimate Leadership Experience.

SET A GOAL



My goal is to utilize my love for technology to build a Holmes FCCLA website that will be linked to the Holmes Middle School website. I will build this Holmes FCCLA utilizing the suggestions links and information so our members, parents, and future members can see what FCCLA has to offer.

FORM A PLAN (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, HOW, COST, RESOURCES, AND EVALUATION)



Who: Bennett Sufak, 7th grader, 2nd year FCCLA member

What: Creating a user-friendly Holmes FCCLA Website – informative & creative

When: Beginning in December 2020 and until March 8, 2021

Where: Home Residence and Holmes Middle School, Colorado Springs, CO

How: By utilizing national & state FCCLA websites, technology skills, chapter information, and Holmes Media team's assistance

Cost: \$0

Resources: <https://fcclainc.org>, <http://fccla.cccs.edu/> and GoDaddy Website Builder

ACT



I enjoy technology, so I thought this would be a good fit for my interests. I started gathering FCCLA information with the assistance of my adviser, Kelly Gauck. Building the web links and making sure it was easy to find tabs, I continue to get feedback from family members who have business websites. The suggestions provided were helpful. By January, I had the basic website created. During February, I continued to have pieces to the website that were required for the project. During this time, I realized I learned many facts about FCCLA I didn't know. It has been a helpful tool to have rubric to follow. Being the competition is all virtual this 2021 year, the extended dates provided more time for me to complete this project.

FOLLOW UP



As I came near to the completion of this project, I learned that web design is a great skill that takes time and creativity. I have stretched my comfort zones and have learned many new skills. I have learned from others who are professional and willing to take constructive criticism to improve. It is my desire to do well at state and earn a position to compete at nationals. I have learned that outstanding projects take time. If I would change anything, I would have studied the details of the rubric more carefully, so I had all the components at my fingertips when I started. I would have started in November, to have more time updated on the look of the website. I want to thank Mrs. Bohn, Media Specialist, Amy Sufak, my aunt & business owner, and Kelly Gauck, my FCCLA Adviser for helping me along this FCCLA virtual & technical journey. I am proud of myself for creating this useful FCCLA Chapter website. From here on, members will have their resources found easily in one location.