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### **Family and Consumer Sciences Teacher, Catherine Robinson, is Honored with the Educated Adviser Award at Virtual National Leadership Conference**

**Reston, VA** – Catherine Robinson, a Family and Consumer Sciences (FCS) educator at Flagstaff High School in Flagstaff, Arizona, is one of two Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) adviser recipients who will be recognized with the 2019-2020 Educated Adviser Award. FCCLA will honor Catherine at FCCLA's first-ever Virtual National Leadership Conference, July 7-9, 2020.

FCCLA's Educated Adviser Award recognizes the performance of a current chapter adviser who exceeds all expectations in their professional development activities and participation throughout the school year. To be considered for this award, advisers must complete a minimum of 5 CEUs, or 50 PDUs, from FCCLA specific events.



"I am constantly amazed by our FCCLA advisers," said Sandy Spavone, Executive Director of FCCLA. "Specifically, Educated Advisers are individuals who lead by example in and out of the classroom. They are fully committed to representing FCCLA's purpose through hard work and dedication, and they symbolize everything FCCLA stands for."

Educated Advisers embody FCCLA's mission to promote personal growth and leadership development through Family and Consumer Science education. Their work ethic is an epitome for all FCCLA students and advisers across the nation. These noteworthy individuals dedicate themselves to FCCLA to ensure members develop strong characters and skills that work to serve their school, community, and state.

#### **About FCCLA**

Family, Career and Community Leaders of America ([FCCLA](http://fccla.org)) is a dynamic and effective national student organization that helps young men and women become leaders and address important personal, family, work, and societal issues through Family and Consumer Sciences education. FCCLA has more than 182,000 members and 5,253 chapters from 48 state associations, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

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