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Future Educators Association®  
Application for National Student Officer Candidacy

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# INTRODUCTION AND HOW TO APPLY

## Why should FEA have national student officers?

As a federally recognized Career and Technical Student Organization (CTSO), the goal of the Future Educators Association® is to attract promising students to pursue education-related careers and to help them develop the skills and strong leadership traits that are found in high-quality educators. In addition to providing students with valuable leadership opportunities, the FEA national student officers program is an important way for FEA to include student voices in key decisions regarding the direction of the association. Students acting as national officers will serve as ambassadors for the association and will have multiple opportunities to engage in activities to build their leadership skills. We encourage all eligible students to consider applying for candidacy as an FEA national student officer.

## What are the requirements to apply?

To apply for candidacy, you must:

- Be a good-standing member of the Future Educators Association® (Students do not have to be affiliated with a chapter to run for office.)
- Have a 3.0 (or equivalent) GPA
- Be a high school sophomore, junior, or senior at the time of application
- Submit a completed application and all required materials (see “Materials Description and Submission Checklist” on page II) by 5 p.m. EST on November 1, 2011

## How does the application process work?

This application is for national officer **candidacy**. That means it’s an application to be selected **as a candidate** for one of five national student officer roles. Student officer roles include:

- One Future Educators Association® national student president
- Four Future Educators Association® regional student vice presidents, each serving a designated region that contains their home state/country (see “Applicant Biographical Information” on page 1 for a breakdown of FEA regions)

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**Only one candidacy application will be accepted per chapter for each office. However, students do not have to be affiliated with a chapter to apply.**

The FEA nominating committee will review all applications to determine the slate of candidates eligible for each national office. (For more information about the FEA nominating committee, visit [www.feaofficers.org](http://www.feaofficers.org).) The slate shall consist of no more than **three** candidates for president and no more than **two** candidates for each regional vice president position. (For a list of defined regions, see page 1.)

## If I’m selected as a candidate, what happens next?

Students applying for a regional vice president position will be notified whether they have been selected as a candidate no later than November 21, 2011. Students applying for national student president will be notified whether they qualified for the interview phase of the application process no later than November 21, 2011. Students participating in the interview process will be notified by December 9, 2011, whether they have been selected as a candidate for the office of president.

If you are appointed as a candidate, you will be invited to conduct your election campaign (as described on page VI) with guidance from the FEA national office.

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# MATERIALS DESCRIPTION AND SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

Below is a complete description of **all materials you must submit ONLINE when applying for national student officer candidacy**. You may use this as a checklist to make sure you have all materials prepared correctly.

- Résumé** (*This should focus on your work and academic experiences and highlight the skills and accomplishments that make you an exemplary candidate for an national student officer position.*)
  - Are you prepared to upload the completed document?
- Cover Letter** (*This should complement your résumé and introduce you to the FEA nominating committee.*)
  - Are you prepared to upload the completed document?
- Applicant Biographical Information** (Page 1)
  - Do you have all the information you need to answer these questions online?
- Statements of Understanding** (Page 2)
  - Did you initial next to every statement?
  - Did you sign and date it and insert your name?
  - Did your advisor sign and date it and insert his/her name (if applicable)?
  - Did your parent/guardian sign and date it and insert his/her name?
  - Are you prepared to upload the completed document?
- Essay** (Page 3)
  - Did you write 300-500 words that thoroughly and articulately answer the essay prompt?
  - Are you prepared to upload your essay in Word or PDF format?
- Video Statement** (Page 3)
  - Are you prepared to upload your video in .MP4 or .FLV format?
- Administrator Approval Form** (Page 5)
  - Did the administrator initial next to every statement?
  - Did (s)he sign and date it and insert his/her name and title?
  - Are you prepared to upload the completed document?
- Transcript Release Agreement** (Page 6)
  - Did you insert your name?
  - Did your parent/guardian sign and date it and insert his/her name?
  - Are you prepared to upload the completed document?
- Most Recent Transcript Available** (*A photocopy or scanned image is acceptable.*)
  - Are you prepared to upload a copy of your transcript?
- Photo Consent and Release Agreement** (Page 7)
  - Did you insert your name in each required blank?
  - Did you sign and date it?
  - Did your parent/guardian sign and date it and insert his/her name?
  - Are you prepared to upload the completed document?
- Photo** (*Please upload a high-resolution headshot or school portrait-style photo, preferably in color.*)
- Two Signed Letters of Recommendation** (*Each must be from an adult who is not a relative or parent/guardian and should explain why you are an excellent candidate for an national student officer position. You should ask for the letters in PDF format.*)
  - Are you prepared to upload the the PDFs of your two letters of recommendation?

**PLEASE SAVE A COPY OF EVERYTHING YOU SUBMIT FOR YOUR OWN RECORDS.**

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Each year, Future Educators Association® constituents select a slate of up to three candidates for the office of national student president based on applications received by the annual deadline. From this slate of candidates, the national student president is elected at the FEA National Conference. For more information on candidacy and the elections process, visit [www.feaofficers.org](http://www.feaofficers.org).

## Future Educators Association® National Student President Job Description

**The primary responsibility of the national student president of FEA is that of ambassador.**

This individual is an articulate, self-motivated, conscientious FEA student with a passion for FEA's mission and vision who will promote the association as essential to the cultivation of tomorrow's great educators.

**In addition, the national student president of the Future Educators Association® will:**

- Travel up to six times throughout his/her term to FEA events, including but not limited to:
  - National education events in Washington, D.C.
  - National student officer/leadership training
  - State or regional FEA conference(s)
  - National conference
  - Meetings of the FEA national advisory panel (which includes recognized education experts and FEA staff), up to two times annually
- Help plan the annual national conference
- Attend the national conference, at which (s)he will:
  - Collaborate with student regional vice presidents to run the conference
  - Lead a workshop for students interested in FEA leadership roles
- Participate in regular conference calls with other national student officers and FEA staff
- As needed, develop and distribute meeting agendas for national student officers with help from an FEA staff member
- As needed, preside over national student officer meetings and/or conference calls, ensuring that the agenda is followed
- Write regular columns for FEA publications, including *Go Teach*, as well as columns for other organization's publications
- Participate in FEA social media campaigns, including blogging and posting regularly to FEA sites and other education organizations' sites
- Perform other duties as assigned



The national student president of FEA will accomplish these and other responsibilities and goals with the support of an FEA staff member who serves as the point of contact for all FEA national student officers.

Travel expenses for the national student president shall be reimbursed by FEA. The term of office shall be one year, beginning at the FEA National Conference at which the student is elected and ending at the conference the following year.

Each year, Future Educators Association® constituents select a slate of candidates for the four FEA regional student vice president offices based on applications received by the annual deadline. No more than two candidates for each regional vice president position will be named. From this slate of candidates, the regional student vice presidents are elected at the FEA National Conference. For more information on candidacy and the elections process, visit [www.feaofficers.org](http://www.feaofficers.org).

## Future Educators Association® Regional Student Vice President Job Description

**The primary responsibility of FEA's regional student vice presidents is to serve as ambassadors.** These four individuals are articulate, conscientious, self-motivated FEA students with a passion for FEA's mission and vision who will promote the association as essential to the cultivation of tomorrow's great educators. Each regional student vice president will represent a designated FEA region that contains his/her home state/country as outlined on page 1.

**In addition, the regional student vice presidents of the Future Educators Association® will:**

- Travel up to five times throughout his/her term to FEA events, including but not limited to:
  - National education events in Washington, D.C.
  - National student officer/leadership training
  - State and/or regional FEA conference(s)
  - National conference
- Help plan the annual national conference
- Attend the annual national conference, at which (s)he will:
  - Collaborate with other FEA national student officers to run the conference
  - Lead a workshop for students interested in FEA leadership roles
- Write regular columns for FEA publications, including *Go Teach*, as well as columns for other organization's publications
- Participate in FEA social media campaigns, including blogging and posting regularly to FEA sites and other education organizations' sites
- Participate in regular conference calls with other national student officers and FEA staff
- Perform other duties as assigned

The regional student vice presidents of FEA will accomplish these and other responsibilities and goals with the support of an FEA staff member who serves as the point of contact for all FEA national student officers. Travel expenses for the regional student vice presidents shall be reimbursed by FEA. The term of office shall be one year, beginning at the FEA National Conference at which the student is elected and ending at the conference the following year.



# TIMELINE AND DESCRIPTION OF THE ELECTIONS PROCESS

**August 31–November 1, 2011:** Students apply for national student officer candidacy.

- Only one application will be accepted per chapter for each office. Students do not have to be affiliated with a chapter to apply.
- **Each applicant must:**
  - Be a high school sophomore, junior, or senior at time of application
  - Be a good-standing member of FEA
  - Have a 3.0 (or equivalent) cumulative GPA
  - Submit all required information and materials to the Future Educators Association by November 1, 2011, at 5 p.m. EST

**November 2–20, 2011:** FEA nominating committee reviews all candidate applications

**November 21, 2011:** Deadline for the FEA office to inform regional vice president applicants whether they have been selected for candidacy

**November 21, 2011:** Deadline for the FEA office to inform student president applicants whether they have advanced to the interview phase

**November 28–December 9, 2011:** Students applying for candidacy as FEA student president participate in phone interviews with the nominating committee

**December 9, 2011:** Deadline for the FEA office to inform student president applicants whether they have been selected for candidacy

**January 6, 2012:** All candidate bios and video statements are posted to the FEA website

**January 9, 2012:** FEA office announces to entire membership that candidate bios and video statements are available for viewing

**January 14, 2012:** Deadline for student officer candidates to register for the FEA National Conference

**February 18, 2012:** All student officer candidates host campaign booths at the FEA conference

**February 19, 2012:** Student president candidates give campaign speeches at the FEA conference;  
Voting takes place on-site  
*(Chapters in attendance vote for the national officer positions. Each attending chapter gets one vote.)*

**February 20, 2012:** New FEA officers are announced at the FEA Conference Awards Ceremony  
*(Newly elected officers are expected to stay after the Awards Ceremony for a brief meeting where they will receive information and materials to help them get started in their new respective roles.)*

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# CAMPAIGN REQUIREMENTS AND GUIDELINES

Campaigning is an important part of the FEA elections process. Therefore, candidates are required to participate in several campaign activities. Additionally, in an effort to ensure fairness and equality, there are a number of campaign rules and regulations that all candidates must adhere to. Required activities, rules, and regulations are outlined below.

## Required Events for Candidates

If you are selected as a candidate for FEA student president or FEA regional vice president, you are required to participate in several campaign activities, some of which take place at the annual FEA National Conference. These events differ based on office.

If you are a candidate for FEA president, you must:

- Participate in the required candidate conference calls prior to the FEA National Conference;
- Prepare a short bio that will be posted to the FEA website ([www.futureeducators.org](http://www.futureeducators.org));
- Record a brief interview that will be posted to the FEA website ([www.futureeducators.org](http://www.futureeducators.org));
- Host a campaign booth at the FEA National Conference on Friday, February 17; and
- Give a campaign speech at the FEA National Conference on Saturday, February 18.

If you are a candidate for FEA regional vice president, you must:

- Participate in the required candidate conference calls prior to the FEA National Conference;
- Prepare a short bio that will be posted to the FEA website ([www.futureeducators.org](http://www.futureeducators.org));
- Record a brief interview that will be posted to the FEA website ([www.futureeducators.org](http://www.futureeducators.org)); and
- Host a campaign booth at the FEA National Conference on Friday, February 17.

**If a candidate misses any of the required campaign events, (s)he will be removed from the ballot.** FEA staff will take candidates' calendars into consideration when scheduling candidate conference calls. If a candidate is unable to participate in a conference call, (s)he must schedule a make-up phone call with the appropriate FEA staff member within 48 hours.

## Campaign Rules and Regulations

*(More details will be provided to all students who are selected for candidacy.)*

1. Candidates must be registered for the FEA National Conference by January 14, 2012.
2. Candidates' bios, photos, and recorded interviews will be posted to [www.futureeducators.org](http://www.futureeducators.org) by FEA staff no later than 30 days prior to the conference. **This is the only campaigning that is allowed prior to the conference; no other campaign activities may take place prior to Friday, February 17, 2012.**

### *Campaign Booths*

3. Each candidate will be given booth space at the annual FEA National Conference. Booths will consist of one 6-foot table with a white linen cover and black skirt and one chair.
4. Booths will be grouped by office. (FEA presidential candidates will be grouped together. Vice presidential candidates will be grouped together by region.) The FEA national office will assign each group of candidates a designated area. Candidates within that group may select their tables on a first-come, first-served basis.
5. Candidates can begin setting up booths as early as 8:00 a.m. EST on Friday, February 17, and must be on-site with their booths set up by 9:00 a.m. EST.
6. Candidates should use the tabletop to display all campaign materials. Candidates will not be allowed to hang any campaign materials on the walls, nor will candidates be allowed to assemble displays in front of their campaign booths.
7. Candidates may hold raffles at their campaign booths as long as the giveaways do not exceed the campaign finance limits. (For more information about campaign finance, see p. VII.) Any raffle prizes must be distributed prior to the opening general session on Friday evening.
8. Booths may not contain glitter, confetti, or food (unless the food is manufacturer-wrapped).

### *Campaign Materials and Distribution*

9. Novelty items and handouts may be distributed as long as they do not interfere with the conference activities being conducted. (For example, you may not disrupt a breakout session or general session to distribute campaign materials.)
10. Candidates are not allowed to hang any campaign materials inside the hotel. (This includes, but is not limited to, walls, windows, elevators, doors, curtains, or any other surface.)
11. Campaign materials cannot be distributed inside the general session room at any time.
12. Campaigning (the distribution of materials or otherwise) is not allowed within 20 feet of the voting area.
13. Campaign materials must not violate your school's policies about language, profanity, etc.

### *Campaign Speeches (applicable only to FEA presidential candidates)*

14. Each FEA presidential candidate will deliver a campaign speech during the morning general session at the FEA National Conference on Saturday, February 18.
15. Candidates' speeches should be based on the essay they submitted with their candidacy applications.
16. Candidates may use notes when delivering the speech at the conference. There will be no prompter or assistance.
17. Speeches must begin with an introduction that includes:
  - Candidate's name
  - Candidate's school, city, and state
  - The office for which the candidate is running
18. Candidates' speeches can be up to 10 minutes in length, but it cannot exceed the 10-minute limit. An unbiased, third-party will serve as the timekeeper. Candidates will be notified by the timekeeper when they have three minutes left, and again when they have 60 seconds left. At the end of the allotted time, the timekeeper will ask the candidate to leave the stage if the candidate has not already done so.

### *Campaign Finance*

19. Candidates must fund their conference travel and campaign booth contents through their FEA chapter treasury, private donation(s), and/or money generated by fundraising efforts.
20. Campaign expenditures for a candidate must be limited to two-hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00) actual expenditures (not including conference travel costs). This includes all items associated with a candidate's campaign, such as items distributed on behalf of the candidate's campaign, booth materials, giveaways, and donated items.
21. Candidates may accept donated items. However, these donated items must be counted against the \$250 total.
22. Receipts for all campaign materials, including proof of current market value of the donated items, must be attached to the Campaign Financial Statement. (To review the Campaign Financial Report document, see p. 4.) The Campaign Financial Report must be submitted to the FEA national office by 5:00 p.m. EST on Friday, February 4, 2012.
23. The FEA national office encourages you to consider creative and low-cost ways to bring a meaningful message to attendees about your goals as an FEA national student officer candidate.

If you have questions or concerns about the FEA Student Officer Campaign Requirements and Guidelines, please contact the FEA national office at 800-766-1156 or [fea@pdkintl.org](mailto:fea@pdkintl.org).



# FEA NATIONAL STUDENT OFFICER CANDIDATE APPLICATION: APPLICANT BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

When you apply online, you will be asked the following personal information. The asterisk symbol denotes that the information is required.

- First/Last Name\*
- FEA Member ID
- Birth date (month/day/year)\*
- Anticipated graduation date\* (Only students who are high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors may apply.)
- Cumulative GPA (on a 4.0 scale)\*
- Email address\*
- Home phone\*
- Home address\*
- Name(s) of parent(s)/guardian(s)\*

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When you apply online, you will be asked the following school information. The asterisk symbol denotes that the information is required.

- School name\*
- School address\*
- Is FEA part of a co-curricular course for you?\* (Yes or No)

If you are an FEA student member affiliated with an FEA chapter, you will also be asked to provide the following information:

- FEA Advisor Name\*
- FEA Advisor Email\*
- FEA Advisor Phone\*

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When you apply online, you will be asked to select the office for which you'd like to run **if selected as a candidate**. You may select only **one** office. Regional student vice presidents serve the region in which their home state/country is represented (as identified below).

- Future Educators Association® national student president
- Future Educators Association® regional student vice president: **North Atlantic Region** (Connecticut, Delaware, D.C., Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, West Virginia, and Canada)
- Future Educators Association® regional student vice president: **Southern Region** (Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands)
- Future Educators Association® regional student vice president: **Central Region** (Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin, and Department of Defense Schools)
- Future Educators Association® regional student vice president: **Western Region** (California, Arizona, Oregon, Colorado, New Mexico, Nevada, Idaho, Utah, Montana, Alaska, Hawaii, Washington, Wyoming, American Samoa, Northern Mariana Islands, and Guam)

# FEA NATIONAL STUDENT OFFICER CANDIDATE APPLICATION: STATEMENTS OF UNDERSTANDING

Please read the statements below thoroughly. Next to each statement, write your initials to affirm your understanding. You will be asked to upload this completed document when applying online.

I understand that this is an application for FEA national officer candidacy, and that my candidacy is **not guaranteed** unless and until I receive confirmation from FEA staff that I have been selected for national officer **candidacy**.

\_\_\_\_\_ APPLICANT INITIALS

I understand that FEA staff will notify me no later than November 21, 2011 (for regional vice president candidates) or December 9, 2011 (for presidential candidates), whether I have been selected for national officer **candidacy**.

\_\_\_\_\_ APPLICANT INITIALS

I understand that if I am selected for **candidacy**, I will be responsible for conducting an election campaign, which includes a candidate booth at the FEA National Conference in Baltimore, Maryland. I understand that I am responsible for funding this campaign through private donations, use of my FEA chapter's treasury, and/or fundraising efforts. \_\_\_\_\_ APPLICANT INITIALS

I understand that if I am selected for **candidacy**, I must attend the FEA National Conference, which will be held February 17-19, 2012, in Baltimore, Maryland, where the election will take place. I understand that if I am selected for **candidacy**, I must register for the conference by **January 14, 2012**. \_\_\_\_\_ APPLICANT INITIALS

I have read the requirements and job descriptions for national officers, and I agree to abide by them **if elected to office at the FEA National Conference**. \_\_\_\_\_ APPLICANT INITIALS

I understand that FEA national student officers are required to travel up to six times during the term of office. **If elected to office at the FEA National Conference**, I agree to cooperate with FEA in arranging travel through a third-party agency with expenses paid by FEA. \_\_\_\_\_ APPLICANT INITIALS

I understand that, **if elected to office at the FEA National Conference**, legal or school-based serious disciplinary action (e.g. suspension or expulsion) may be cause to relieve me of said office. Such actions will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis by FEA international staff. \_\_\_\_\_ APPLICANT INITIALS

I understand that FEA national student officers are required to travel up to six times during the term of office. **If elected to office at the FEA National Conference**, I agree to take the necessary steps to ensure that all school absences and missed work are pre-approved by my school administration. \_\_\_\_\_ APPLICANT INITIALS

I understand and agree to abide by all of the above statements.

Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Name (Please print or type) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

I understand and agree to support my student in abiding by all of the above statements.

Advisor Signature (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor Name (Please print or type) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

I understand and agree to support the applicant in abiding by all the above statements.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name (Please print or type) \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## FEA NATIONAL STUDENT OFFICER CANDIDATE APPLICATION: ESSAY PROMPT

Applicants must submit a 300-500 word essay that explains what aspect of education or teaching you are most passionate about. You may type your response and upload it in Word or PDF format. **Please be careful to avoid spelling and grammar errors. Your application for national student officer candidacy may be disqualified if your essay is poorly crafted.**

In essay format, please explain what aspect of education or teaching you are most passionate about. (For example, you may wish to teach in an urban setting, become a special education teacher, or work primarily with ELL students.) Whatever your area of interest, this should be something that you care about deeply, and if elected as an FEA officer, this topic would be your platform (i.e. it would be what you would write about, talk about in interviews, etc.).

In your essay, you should demonstrate your knowledge of the topic and explain why it is important. You should also identify a few of your personal goals related to this topic and explain how serving as an FEA officer will help you achieve those goals.

You will be asked to upload your essay in Word or PDF format when applying online at [www.feaofficers.org](http://www.feaofficers.org).

## FEA NATIONAL STUDENT OFFICER CANDIDATE APPLICATION: VIDEO STATEMENT

Applicants must provide a 2-3 minute video statement. In the video, you should explain why you want to be an FEA officer, what education issue you plan to focus on if elected, and what you hope to accomplish during your term if elected. This is an opportunity to showcase your public speaking skills.

You will be asked to upload your video in .MP4 or .FLV format when applying online at [www.feaofficers.org](http://www.feaofficers.org). (Acceptable file formats include .MP4 and .FLV. No other file format will be accepted.)





# FEA NATIONAL OFFICER APPLICATION: CAMPAIGN FINANCIAL REPORT

**THIS IS A SAMPLE.** You do not need to complete the campaign Financial Report to apply for candidacy. If selected as a national officer candidate, you will be required to submit a Campaign Financial Report to the FEA international office no later than February 4, 2012.

This Campaign Financial Report outline can be tailored to meet your needs. It is intended to serve as a guide for reporting procedures. You must include a receipt for each expenditure and a record of each donation. (If a receipt is not obtainable, a copy or statement will suffice.)

**Donated items and expenditures may not exceed \$250.00.** (This includes all items associated with a candidate's campaign, such as booth materials, giveaways, etc.) **Cash donations (revenue) may not exceed \$1,000.00.** Cash donations are to be used solely for campaign expenditures and travel-related costs, such as conference registration, airfare, and hotel room costs.

### REVENUE (Cash)

Source	Amount of donation
1. Ex: Local grocery store	\$ 75.00
2.	\$
3.	\$
4.	\$
<b>TOTAL:</b>	\$

(Not to exceed \$1,000.00)

### DONATED ITEMS (Material Items)

Item	Amount (what the item is worth)
1. Ex: Bouncy balls (for giveaways)	\$ 50.00
2.	\$
3.	\$
4.	\$
<b>TOTAL:</b>	\$

### EXPENDITURES

Expenditure/Item (must include receipt)	Quantity	Description	Amount
1. Ex: Printing flyers	1,000	2-color, 2-sided flyers to give away at conference	\$
2.			\$
3.			\$
4.			\$
<b>TOTAL:</b>			\$

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF DONATED ITEMS, PLUS TOTAL AMOUNT OF EXPENSES SHOULD NOT EXCEED \$250.00.**

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*I certify that the information above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that concealing donations or expenditures could result in disqualification and removal from the FEA national officer ballot.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Candidate Signature

# FEA NATIONAL STUDENT OFFICER CANDIDATE APPLICATION: ADMINISTRATOR APPROVAL FORM

Please read the statements below thoroughly. Next to each statement, write your initials to affirm your understanding. **You will be asked to upload this completed document when applying online.**

I understand that \_\_\_\_\_ is applying for consideration as a **candidate** for  
Applicant Name  
a national officer position in the Future Educators Association®.

**I understand** that if this student is selected for **candidacy**, (s)he will be responsible for conducting an election campaign, which includes a candidate booth at the FEA National Conference in Baltimore, Maryland. **I understand** that (s)he is responsible for funding this campaign through private donations, use of the FEA chapter's treasury, and/or fundraising efforts, **and I agree** to consent to fundraising activities in the school, as long as such activities do not violate school and/or district policies.

\_\_\_\_\_ ADMINISTRATOR INITIALS

**I understand** that if selected for **candidacy**, this student must attend the FEA National Conference, which will be held February 17-19, 2012, in Baltimore, Maryland, where the election will take place. **I agree** to allow this student to attend the conference without penalty to his/her attendance record, and to allow him/her to make up any work missed due to conference attendance. \_\_\_\_\_ ADMINISTRATOR INITIALS

**I understand** that FEA national student officers are required to travel up to six times during the term of office. If this student is **elected to office** at the FEA National Conference, I agree to allow this student to attend FEA events and training without penalty to his/her attendance record, and to allow him/her to make up any work missed due to said travel **both this academic year and next academic year.** \_\_\_\_\_ ADMINISTRATOR INITIALS

By signing below, I affirm my understanding of the requirements for the Future Educators Association® national student candidates and officers. I agree to support, to the greatest extent possible, this student's efforts to run for office (and serve as an national student officer, if elected to the position).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Administrator Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Administrator Name (Please print or type)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



# FEA NATIONAL STUDENT OFFICER CANDIDATE APPLICATION: TRANSCRIPT RELEASE AGREEMENT

You will be asked to upload this completed document when applying online.

**All applicants must complete and submit this form, regardless of their age at the time of application.**

Applicant Name \_\_\_\_\_

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