**SAY YES TO FCS EDUCATION**

Research Summary Instructions

Instructions: Research three (3) postsecondary institutions in or outside of your state that offer Family and Consumer Sciences Education programs, and complete the table below. Provide your state’s educational data by answering the questions below the table. Include this completed summary in the hardcopy or electronic portfolio.

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|  | **Institution #1** | **Institution #2** | **Institution #3** |
| **Name** |  |  |  |
| **Location (City and State)** |  |  |  |
| **FCS Teacher Educator Contact Information** |  |  |  |
| **College/ Department offering FCS Education Degree** |  |  |  |
| **Average Yearly Cost (In-State and Out-State)** |  |  |  |
| **Minimum Program Entry Requirements** |  |  |  |
| **Minimum Graduation Requirement (Hours)** |  |  |  |

**STATE EDUCATION DATA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

*(name of state)*

Number of Family and Consumer Sciences programs in your state (Elementary, Middle, or High School):

What is the job outlook for Family and Consumer Sciences Educators in your state?

What is the beginning teacher’s salary in your state?

What is the average teacher’s salary in your state? What impacts salaries for teachers in your state?

What continuing education or professional development is required to maintain certification in order to teach in your state?