

Food Science Institute Student - To - Student Program

Mission:

The FSI Student - To - Student Program is a student volunteer organization dedicated to giving future students an inside look at the K-State Food Science Program. The program selects two Food Science undergraduate students each year to serve as Student-To-Student Recruiting Leaders. These students will represent the Food Science Institute and undergraduate program at campus events, high school presentations, industry visits, and Food Science events.

Benefits:

Students selected to serve as Student - To - Student Recruiting Leaders will learn essential leadership skills, sharpen time management skills, gain experience in speaking, presenting, and communicating about Food Science, become a role model on campus, and have opportunities for a scholarship/travel stipend.

Application Procedure:

May 5, 2008:

1. Complete Food Science Institute Student – To – Student Program Application Form

Return the FSI Student-To-Student Application along with a current transcript (unofficial acceptable) to Call Hall 216 by 3 p.m. on May 5, 2008. Sign up sheet for interviews will be available at that time.

May 7, 2008:

1. Complete interview process

Application Requirements:

1. Complete a FSI Student – To – Student Application Form

- Return to Call Hall 216 by 3 p.m. on May 5, 2008.

2. Complete an interview

- Interviews conducted in Call Hall 206 on May 7, 2008.

3. Maintain good academic standing and show enthusiasm and a desire to serve the Food Science Institute and the College of Agriculture.

4. Be available for training in August 2008.**

Recruiting Leader Responsibilities:

Obligations for the FSI Student-To-Student Program will be as follows:

- 1. Fall Watermelon Feed (Fall Activity)**
 - a. Set up display and/or help club with activities
- 2. Academic Majors Fair (Fall Activity)**
 - a. Set up display and talk with prospective students
- 3. Cattleman's Day (Spring Activity)**
 - a. Set up the display and hand out promotional material
- 4. Open House (Spring Activity)**
 - a. Set up booth and hand out promotional material
 - b. Assist with company donations for giveaways
- 5. Set up and present presentations to high school each semester**
 - a. Develop food science power point presentation (10-20 minutes)
 - b. Assist in high school tour
- 6. Work two hours per week conducting recruiting office work**
 - a. Call prospective students
 - b. Write letters to students after on-campus visits
 - c. Send out informational packets
 - d. Prepare informational packets, make copies, buy promotional gifts, etc.
 - e. Call companies for campus visits/interviews and donations
- 7. Coordinate one community service event for Food Science Club**
- 8. Assist with new promotional material**
 - a. One idea per year
- 9. FFA Support and Participation**
 - a. Call / E-mail KS FFA Advisors
 - b. Attend one FFA event (local, regional, or state Food Science contest)
- 10. Promote the Food Science Institute at other various events including but not limited to community college visits, high school visits, elementary and middle school presentations, and other events that may arise.**

FSI Student – To – Student Recruiting Leaders will perform the above duties with emphasis on informing prospective food science students, but will at all times be representing the College of Agriculture and Student-To-Student mission statement.

Program duties can be altered with approval of Kirstin Veith, coordinator.