



NEWS, Short and Sweet

January 2026

For our teamwork moment: "If you want to go fast, go alone. If you want to go far, go together." - African proverb

JANUARY 12th: State Board Meeting, ZOOM @ 9:00 a.m. CST

Western: Leadership in Action, Jan 15
Central: Information Day, Jan 22
Eastern: Retreat, April 21-23

Congratulations to your 2025 TAFCE Officers

Emily Gordon, President
Esther Button, President Advisor
Kaycee Smith, VP for Programs
Pamela McIntyre-Albaro, VP for Public Policy
Sarah Sharp, Secretary
Peggy Richmond, Treasurer
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Vicki King, Fashion Revue

UT Extension Support

Dr. Janet Fox
Dr. Martha Keel
Heather Kyle
Carla Bush
Dr. Lynn Brookins
Terri Orr

Announcements

- This year Creative Writing entries should be submitted electronically to your region VP for Programs
- The TAFCE emphasis for 2026-27 will align with the National theme. During the first part of 2026, we will complete the Food Security initiative by putting the ideas we've gathered into action. Mid-year, we will begin developing resolutions that support the ACWW (Associated Country Women of the World) focus on addressing excessive screen time among children. Stay tuned for updates!

TAFCE Mission Statement

Our mission is to strengthen individuals, families, and communities through continuing education, leadership development, and community action.