



4-H Youth Development Financial Assistance for Travel for 4-H Groups

The Iowa 4-H Foundation has approved funds for use by 4-H groups who need financial assistance to travel to the Iowa 4-H Center. These funds are intended to provide an opportunity for 4-H groups who otherwise would be financially unable to participate in camping experiences or field schools at the 4-H Center because of distance.

HOW TO APPLY

The following guidelines have been established for applying for financial assistance.

1. Any 4-H group who is interested in participating in camping experiences at the Iowa 4-H Center is eligible.
2. An Extension staff member or a volunteer leader may submit an application using the Financial Assistance Application for 4-H Groups, VI-980102-FS.
3. Groups must bear some portion of the travel cost. It has been our experience that those who pay a portion of the cost to participate in an event do so with a more positive attitude.
4. The Iowa 4-H Foundation has a limited amount of money for financial assistance. These funds will be allocated among as many different groups as feasible. Therefore, priority for groups requesting assistance will be based on distance from the 4-H Center and the number of participants. First time request will see highest priority.
5. January 10 or May 1 are the deadlines for submitting requests to county offices. This deadline will permit a careful analysis of requests and allocation of funds. Deadlines to the Iowa 4-H Foundation are January 20 or May 10, respectively.
6. Please include a statement by an Extension staff member or 4-H leader explaining the financial situation of the group. No funding will be provided without a financial statement.

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