

4-H Pledge

I pledge

My Head to clearer thinking

My Heart to greater loyalty.

My Hands to larger service, and

My Health to better living

For my club, my community, my
country and my world.



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What is 4-H?

- ◆ 4-H is the largest out of school Youth Development Program in the world
- ◆ 4-H is a volunteer led, educational program that supplements the teaching of parents and school.
- ◆ 4-H is a program for all youth from 2nd through their senior year. Cloverkids is a program for youth from Kindergarten through 3rd grade.
- ◆ 4-H utilizes adult volunteers to provide an arena for youth to learn & have fun while they develop physically, mentally & emotionally.
- ◆ 4-H is an educational program where 4-H members are expected to complete their club and project responsibilities for the time they are enrolled in 4-H. Parents are expected to support that commitment through their own example & encouragement.



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Winnebago County 4-H



Join 4-H Today...the Fun Starts Here!



Junior Camp (4th-6th Grade)

4-H Is for Everyone!

4-H offers youth opportunities in:

- ⇒ Communications,
- ⇒ Leadership
- ⇒ Career development
- ⇒ Livestock
- ⇒ Home improvement
- ⇒ Computer technology and many more opportunities

Programs are found in rural and urban areas throughout the world. The program is instrumental in building life skills in youth and making our communities better places to live and work. 4-H will continue to grow and develop with the head, heart, hands and health of youth around the world. The time commitment for 4-H members varies. Most clubs have one club meeting a month plus several project meetings. There are also other local and county 4-H activities as well as community service projects. You can spend as little time as you want. But remember, the more time a child invests in 4-H the more he or she will get out of it.



New Shooting Sports Program

4-H uses Shooting Sports to teach youth development. The skills required for the responsible use of firearms carries over into many other parts of life. If you would like more information contact the Extension office.



Learn archery, rifle, & shotgun skills.

Learn more through 4-H:

- ⇒ Astronomy & Aerospace
- ⇒ Computers & Technology
- ⇒ Welding & Woodworking
- ⇒ Drawing & Painting
- ⇒ Gardening & Photography
- ⇒ Fashion
- ⇒ Cooking
- ⇒ Backpacking/Camping/Fishing
- ⇒ Becoming a Leader
- ⇒ Meet New Friends!!



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What is a 4-H Project?

Some 4-H projects are learning experiences for 4-H members. Some projects are done at project meetings with project leaders and some are done with the help of parents. There are a wide variety of projects; the traditional agricultural areas such as livestock, small pets, horticulture, and vegetables. Other popular project areas are in food preparation and safety, textiles and clothing, computer, safety, wood science, aerospace, citizenship, arts & crafts, theatre arts...you name it, there is a 4-H project for everyone's interest!



To receive more information about 4-H return this card.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City & Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

Grade: _____

Parents Names: _____