



Check List of Requirements for the Appanoose County Fair



BEEF (MARKET)

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Weigh animal in at December Weigh In. Weigh-In is when you ID Market Beef projects and also where you get your 4-H ear tag
3. FSQA Training
4. If showing at the Iowa State Fair, must have a retinal image taken at a county weigh-in with a retinal machine
5. If showing at the Iowa State Fair, you must verify the information entered by the County Youth Coordinator in 4-H Online
6. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline

BEEF (BREEDING/BOTTLE CALF/COW-CALF)

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Must obtain 4-H Ear Tags from the Extension Office or have animal tattooed
3. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15
4. FSQA Training
5. Register for Iowa State Fair by July 1
6. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline

DAIRY COW/DAIRY GOAT

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Must obtain 4-H Ear Tags from the Extension Office or have animal tattooed
3. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15
4. FSQA Training
5. Register for Iowa State Fair by July 1
6. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline

DOG

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15 (must include photo of dog)
3. Animal must be up to date on all vaccinations.
4. Register for Iowa State Fair by July 1
5. Must complete pre-fair entry at the Extension Office by county deadline

GOAT (MARKET)

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15
3. Must obtain 4-H Ear Tags from the Extension Office or have animal tattooed
4. If showing at the Iowa State Fair, weigh animal in at May Weigh In
5. FSQA Training
6. Scrapie tag required before bringing to the fair.
7. Must be enrolled via 4-H Online or enrollment papers turned in BEFORE May weigh in
8. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline

GOAT (BREEDING)

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Must obtain 4-H Ear Tags from the Extension Office or have animal tattooed
3. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15.
4. FSQA Training
5. Scrapie tag required before bringing to the fair
6. Register for Iowa State Fair by July 1
7. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline
8. Breeding Goats shown by breed must have registration papers.

HORSE/PONY/MULE

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15 (Must include photo or sketch)
3. Register for Iowa State Fair by July 1
4. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline
5. Required to wear ASTM/SEI horse helmets at all times during 4-H events at the Appanoose County Fairgrounds

POULTRY

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Must obtain legbands from the Extension Office
3. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15
4. FSQA Training
5. Register for Iowa State Fair by July 1
6. Must be enrolled via 4-H Online or enrollment papers turned in BEFORE May 15
7. Must have a negative Pullorum/Typhoid Test done within 90 days of exhibition date. Pullorum testing will be provided by the Extension Office ONCE.
8. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline

RABBITS

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15
3. Identify animals showing at the Iowa State Fair in 4-H Online by May 15 for Breeding & July 1 for Fryers
4. FSQA Training
5. Register for Iowa State Fair by July 1
6. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline

SHEEP (MARKET)

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Weigh animal in at May Weigh In. Weigh-In is when you ID Market Sheep projects and also where you get your 4-H ear tag
3. FSQA Training
4. Scrapie tag required before bringing to the fair for ewe and ram lambs
5. If showing at the Iowa State Fair, must have a retinal image taken at a county with a retinal machine
6. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline
7. All market sheep must be slick shorn and show ready upon arrival at the fairgrounds
8. All sheep must be inspected by the official fair veterinarian prior to unloading at the fairgrounds.

SHEEP (BREEDING/BUCKET BOTTLE)

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Must obtain 4-H Ear Tags from the Extension Office or have animal tattooed
3. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15
4. FSQA Training
5. Scrapie tag required before bringing to the fair.
6. If showing at the Iowa State Fair, must have a retinal image taken at a county with a retinal machine
7. Register for Iowa State Fair by July 1
8. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline
9. All sheep must be inspected by the official fair veterinarian prior to unloading at the fairgrounds.

SWINE

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Must obtain 4-H Ear Tags from the Extension Office
3. FSQA Training
4. Intent to participate at State Fair Due in March
5. If showing at the Iowa State Fair, must obtain state fair DNA Ear Tag and paperwork from the Extension Office
6. Must complete pre-fair entry and pay stall fees at the Extension Office by county deadline

CATS & PETS

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. Identify animals in 4-H Online or by id form by May 15 (must include photo of cat/pet)
3. Must complete pre-fair entry at the Extension Office by county deadline
4. Must have current distemper and rabies vaccination at start of the Fair

STATIC EXHIBITS

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. NO PRE-FAIR ENTRY
3. All Exhibits must be listed on the Ribbon Placement Form provided at the Fair
4. Exhibits are to be judged during the designated time assigned
5. If selected for the Iowa State Fair, information will be provided at the conclusion of the County Fair

COMMUNICATIONS

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. NO PRE-FAIR ENTRY
3. Exhibitors must be present at the designated time for presentations
4. If selected for the Iowa State Fair, information will be provided at the conclusion of the County Fair

CLOTHING EVENTS

1. Must be enrolled in 4-H Online
2. NO PRE-FAIR ENTRY
3. Exhibitors must be present at the designated time for Clothing Event
4. If selected for the Iowa State Fair, information will be provided at the conclusion of the County Fair

ALL EVENTS

1. You must attend 1/2 of your club meetings per year to be eligible to show at the Appanoose County Fair
2. An exhibitor may show in the county in which they reside or in the county in which his or her club is located. They may only show in one or the other, but not both
3. Exhibitors must wear the official 4-H t-shirts while exhibiting at the Appanoose County Fair.
4. It is the rule that the 4-H'er take responsibility for caring for and grooming his/her own animals. If assistance is needed it shall be aimed at helping the 4-H'er learn new skills and be done by a family member and/or another Iowa 4-H'er. Family members include and are limited to: Parent/Step-Parent/legal guardian/foster parent, Grandparent, brother, sister or step-sibling, aunt or uncle.

**BE SURE TO CHECK
FAIR BOOK
FOR ADDITIONAL RULES**