



ALL county fair and state fair exhibitors MUST be Youth for the Quality Care of Animals (YQCA) certified by July 1 before they can exhibit projects in the following categories: Beef, Swine, Dairy Cattle, Dairy Goat, Sheep, Poultry, Meat Goat, Rabbit and Bucket Bottle Calves

If you are already certified in FSQA by taking a class or testing out you will be certified until your certification becomes expired. Contact the Extension Office if you are unsure if your certification has expired or not.

4-H members will have two options to complete the YQCA Training to become certified. They can attend an Instructor Led YQCA training (face-to-face) OR they can become certified by doing a Web-Based Training (online).

YQCA Instructor Led Training (face-to-face)

- Thursday, April 4 from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. at the Clayton County Extension Office
 - Tuesday, April 23 from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. at the Clayton County Extension Office
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- You must pre-register online at <https://yqca.learnrow.io/Account/Login> Click "Sign in with 4honline" and use your 4honline email and password to login. The cost of the Instructor Led Training is \$3. Pay with a credit card or stop by the Extension Office to purchase a coupon. Class Size is limited to 25 youth.
- Help sheet is located at:
<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4hfiles/agriculture/YQCA/YQCAInstructorLedMemberInstructions.pdf>
 - Once you are registered, mark your calendar and attend the training you signed up for!

YQCA Web-Based Training (online)

- Online course is open to all youth of all ages. Visit <https://yqca.learnrow.io/Account/Login> to get started! Click "Sign in with 4honline" and use your 4honline email and password to login.
- The learning materials and modules are organized by age. Select the course based on your age as of January 1, 2019. The online course will take you through a series of slides and quizzes.
- The cost of the Web-Based Training is \$12. Pay with a credit card or stop by the Extension Office to purchase a coupon.
- Help sheet is located at:
<https://www.extension.iastate.edu/4hfiles/agriculture/YQCA/YQCAWebBasedMemberInstructions.pdf>
- Once you pass your online course, be sure to get your certificate online and report your certification number to the Extension Office in order to receive credit. Call 563-245-1451 or email tamuller@iastate.edu to report your certification number.

If you do not have access to a computer, contact the Extension Office to schedule a time to come in and complete the Web-Based Training. If you have any questions, please contact the Clayton County Extension Office at 563-245-1451.