

Pre-4H (Pre School – 3rd) Bucket Bottle Calf, Lamb & Goat ID Form

Must return and **also** enter for the fair online
in the FairEntry System (hancockdf.fairentry.com) by **JULY 1st**

Name of Exhibitor _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____ Age _____ Birthday _____

Grade (as of March 1) _____ T-Shirt Size _____

I Hereby certify that the following animals are owned, being fed, and cared for by me as a part of my bucket/bottle calf/lamb/goat project in accordance with the regulations provided. I have read the regulations, I understand that the animals which I exhibit at the Hancock County Fair during this year shall be described on this form.

Signature of Exhibitor

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Class Description <small>Check a box (may ID 2 head per species, show 1)</small>	Eartag or Tattoo	RE (Right ear) LE (left ear)	Birthdate <small>Month/Date/Year</small>	Sex <small>M or F</small>
<input type="checkbox"/> Bucket Bottle Calf <input type="checkbox"/> Bucket Bottle Lamb <input type="checkbox"/> Bucket Bottle Goat				
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Pre 4-H Youth Bucket Bottle

Pre 4-H Youth Class, (preschool thru 3rd grade)

1. The Open Class is for youth whom have not reached the eligible 4-H grade. These participants are age 3 thru 3rd grade.
2. Any newborn or orphan dairy or beef calf (steer or heifer), lamb, or goat born between March 1 and June 1 of the current year. Must be in possession of the participant within two weeks of birth.
3. Bucket/bottle calves/lambs/goats must be ID'ed by July 1st by turning in the ID form.
4. Bucket/bottle calves/lambs must enter the fair by July 1st by entering online in FairEntry at hancockdf.fairentry.com . A \$25 late fee is charged after July 1st.
5. Calf/lamb must be bucket or bottle fed. (No nursing permitted.)
6. Any participant may identify two (2) animals, and exhibit one (1) at the county fair. The calf/lamb/goat is not eligible to be sold at the Fair Auction. Eligible animals can be shown only in the Bucket/Bottle Calf class.
7. Calves, lambs, and goats will be shown at halter. Calves/lambs/goats may be divided into classes depending on number of entries at discretion of superintendents.
8. Judging will be based on:
 - a. What the member has learned about the care and raising of the calf/lamb/goat.
 - b. The fitting and showing of the calf/lamb/goat (only washing and brushing, no clipping) with emphasis on what member has learned.
 - c. General health, conditions and management of the calf/lamb/goat and 4-H'ers knowledge of this area.
 - d. Conformation or quality of the calf/lamb/goat **will not** be considered since purchase should not be on that basis.
9. See Health requirements in 2017 Health requirements document found at http://www.extension.iastate.edu/hancock/4h/hancockcounty_districtfair .
10. 3rd grade participants may keep animals for a project the following year. Returning bucket bottle animals must be weighed and tagged for the next year's fair.

For further details contact the Hancock County Extension Office, (641) 923-2856.

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Practice Questions:

1. How old was your calf/lamb/goat when it was purchased or put on the bottle, and when did you start it on the bottle?
2. What is the current value of your calf/lamb/goat?
3. What has the calf/lamb/goat been fed, and what did it cost?
4. What other expenses have you had with your calf/lamb/goat (purchase price, vet expenses, etc.)?
5. When was the calf/lamb/goat weaned from the bottle?
6. Did you have any special medical problems with your bucket calf/lamb/goat?
7. Why did you want to enter the bucket calf/lamb/goat project, what was your goal?
8. What have you learned by completing the bucket calf/lamb/goat project?
9. What will happen to you calf/lamb/goat after the fair?

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