



Edgecombe County 4-H

4-H Teen Leader Internship Application

Summer 2019



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Teen Leader Internship Requirements

Must be age 13-18 as of January 1, 2019 to apply.

Once accepted, all teen leaders are required to have a current enrollment profile at nc.4honline.com

- Friday, May 10: Application due** in 4-H Office (this includes presentation sign-up)
- Monday, May 13 at 6:00pm: Attend orientation** meeting with a parent/guardian
- Wed-Fri, May 29-31: County Activity Days** (Choose a day to practice your presentation!)
- June-August: Volunteer** (~30 hours, as scheduled)
- Monday, June 17: Leadership Training Retreat**
- Saturday, June 22: District Activity Day** (Presentations and grilling)
- Sat-Tues July 20-23: NC 4-H Congress!!!** (Attendance at 4-H Congress is encouraged, but not required. Scholarships will be provided to attend.)
- Friday, August 30: Leadership Project Record Book due** at 4-H Office (Encouraged)

About Me

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Parent or Guardian Names _____

School _____

Age (as of Jan 1, 2019) _____ Date of Birth _____ Grade _____

Teen's Email Address _____

Parent's Email Address _____

Name of 4-H Club (If Applicable) _____

My Professional Experience & Goals

List all of the jobs/volunteer positions you have held (include previous 4-H leadership positions, if applicable):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

List Other Activities/Organizations (including 4-H) you are involved in *and* describe leadership role, if applicable:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

What are some of your hobbies and interests? _____

Why are you interested in the 4-H Teen Leader Internship?

What would you like to gain from participating in the 4-H Teen Leader Internship?

Presentation & Grilling Sign-Up

Rank your 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choices for presentation category. (*Note: this does not guarantee that you will get your top choice(s)...but we will work with you!*)

Animal Science

- Horse
- Horse Public Speaking
- Livestock & Dairy Production
- Small & Companion Animals
- Poultry

Citizenship & Civic Education

- Citizenship/Community Service

Communication & Expressive Arts

- Arts & Communication
- Public Speaking

Family & Consumer Sciences

- Family & Consumer Sciences
- Hospitality, Etiquette & Social Graces

Environmental Science

- Entomology
- Fisheries & Aquatics
- Forestry & Wildlife
- Environmental Science (Soil & Water)

Healthy Lifestyles

- Health/Fitness
- Foods & Nutrition
- Turkey Char Grill
- Chicken Char Grill
- Beef Char Grill
- Pork Char Grill
- Safety
- Fruits & Vegetable Use

Healthy Lifestyles Continued

- Egg Cookery
- Peanut Foods
- Dairy Foods

Personal Development

- Open Class
- Careers & Entrepreneurship

Plant Science

- Horticulture Science

Science & Technology

- Agriculture Science (Crops)
- Wheels & Engines
- Science & Technology
- Electric

Parent: If accepted, my son/daughter has permission to participate in this program. I understand that I will be responsible to transport my youth to the required programs for completion of this internship.

Parent Print Name _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____

Teen: If accepted, I commit to:

- Attend the orientation meeting *with my parent/guardian* on May 13 at 6:00 at the Livestock Arena (1175 Kingsboro Rd, Rocky Mount).
- Complete a presentation/grilling project (County Activity Days May 29-31; District Activity Day June 22).
- Participate in the Leadership Training Retreat on Monday, June 17.
- Complete the internship hours agreed upon through the Edgecombe County 4-H Summer Fun Program.
- Attend NC 4-H Congress (July 20-23- Attendance strongly encouraged! Scholarships will help offset the cost of attendance; teen will be responsible for some cost. Additional funding may be available if requested.)

Applicant Signature _____ Date _____

IMPORTANT:

1. Submit completed application to the Edgecombe County 4-H office by May 10th. *If you are not currently enrolled in 4-H, you must also submit a letter of recommendation in a sealed envelope or have it emailed to misty_varnell@ncsu.edu.*

2. Bring your calendar with all of your available dates to the Orientation Meeting on May 13th – we will begin scheduling your summer internship hours (you will get to sign off on them before they are made final).

Note: If you have conflicts with any of the internship requirements, please let us know when you submit your application – we may be able to work out an alternate plan with you!