

4-H SCHOLARSHIP RUBRIC

RESUME

The resume should represent a cumulative summary of the 4-H members background, skills, and accomplishments. The 4-H member should summarize their 4-H experience by highlighting their project involvement, activities, awards/recognitions, leadership experiences, community service, and non 4-H experiences. Each year, applicants will need to update their information, maintaining the most pertinent information over time. Content should be clearly identified as 4-H or non-4-H; style of resume and formatting are at the discretion of the applicant. Applicants should include contact information, county, school grade, and year in 4-H.

CONTENT	4-H PROJECT INVOLVEMENT	4-H ACTIVITIES & EXPERIENCES	4-H AWARDS & RECOGNITION	4-H LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE	4-H COMMUNITY SERVICE	NON 4-H EXPERIENCES	OVERALL FORMATTING PUNCTUATION GRAMMAR CONTACT INFO	TOTAL
POINTS	/20	/20	/10	/20	/15	/5	/10	/100
JUDGE'S COMMENTS								

COVER LETTER

The cover letter should be a narrative to accompany the resume. When applying for different 4-H contests, leadership roles, etc., the cover letter should be tailored to the requirements of the application. Each application must have the outlined responsibilities posted, similar to a job application. Rubric should be tailored to specific responsibilities/objectives.

CONTENT	OBJECTIVE 1:	OBJECTIVE 2:	OBJECTIVE 3:	OBJECTIVE 4:	OVERALL FORMATTING PUNCTUATION GRAMMAR	TOTAL
POINTS	/20	/20	/20	/20	/20	/100
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4-H SCHOLARSHIP COVER LETTER OBJECTIVES

BECKY MITCHELL 4-H SCHOLARSHIP

- Describe how your 4-H Volunteer Leader influenced your life.
- Why is volunteering important?
- How have you volunteered in 4-H?
- How will you donate your time in the future?

GARDNER - ELLIS SCHOLARSHIP

- Explain how you became involved with 4-H.
- Describe your 4-H experience.
- Describe how your 4-H experience has influenced your life.
- Explain how you will continue to be involved with 4-H.

FERN SHIPLEY KELLEY SCHOLARSHIP

- Describe your 4-H leadership experience.
- Describe your 4-H citizenship experience.
- Describe your 4-H projects related to Family Life.
- Describe how your overall 4-H experience has influenced your life.

AMY KEARSLEY MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

- Describe your 4-H leadership experience.
- Describe your 4-H citizenship experience.
- Describe your 4-H projects related to Family Life.
- Describe your 4-H projects related to Agriculture.

COUNTY SCHOLARSHIPS

- Summarize what project(s) you have participated in 4-H and what knowledge and skills you have gained.
- What would you consider the most significant 4-H experience you have had and why?
- Explain how your involvement in 4-H has influenced your life for the better.
- Explain what you have done in 4-H that has challenge you to grow, and pushed you out of you comfort zone.