

Kentucky 4-H Achievement Application Rubric			
	Below Expectations	Meets Expectations	Exceeds Expectations
Overall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Significant spelling, grammar, and punctuation mistakes. Items counted more than once. Not enough details provide in application. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Filled out completely, but not detailed. Multiple spelling, grammar, and punctuation mistakes. Points are totaled correctly. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The application is organized by date and category. No more than minor spelling, grammar, and punctuation mistakes. Entries are only counted once.
Leadership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicant has two or fewer leadership experiences in 4-H. Applicant has not served as a counselor or mentor to younger 4-H member. Applicant does not describe skills/ knowledge gained in leadership activities or events. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicant has held officer or committee chair positions on the county level only. Applicant shows effort in leadership consistent with their age and experience. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicant exhibits leadership growth. Applicant coordinates 4-H programs and events. Applicant serves as a mentor to younger youth. Applicant presents information about 4-H to the community.
Civic Engagement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicant has two or fewer civic engagement experiences in 4-H. Applicant does not describe skills/knowledge gained in civic engagement activities or events. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicant has visited county level historical landmarks only (for an organized 4-H event). Applicant campaigns for offices at the county level. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicant demonstrates knowledge gained through touring, meeting, and attending local and state government buildings and meetings (for an organized 4-H Event). Applicant campaigns for 4-H offices on the county, area, and state/national level.

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<p>Communications/ Marketing</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Application has two or fewer communication/marketing experiences in 4-H. • Applicant has not participated in 4-H communications contest or given oral reasons in a competitive event. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant has participated in communications contest or given oral reasons in a competitive event at the county level. • Applicant promotes 4-H programs through agent approved social media. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant promotes 4-H through radio/television appearances, social or digital media communications, and has developed printed materials. • Applicant demonstrates public speaking and written skills involvement in 4-H at the county, area, and state level.
<p>Community Action</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant has two or fewer community action experiences in 4-H. • Applicant does not show engagement in community action projects. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant shows some community action participation. • Applicant has age-appropriate roles in 4-H fundraising events at the county level. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant has organized, planned, and implemented a sustainable 4-H community action project. • Applicant has led age-appropriate 4- fundraising event. • Applicant takes part in volunteer service projects on the county, area, and state or national level.
<p>Participation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant has two or fewer participation experiences in 4-H. • Applicant does not describe 4-H project involvement. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant demonstrates 4-H involvement on the county level only. • Applicant participates in a variety of 4-H programs. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant participates in events on the county, area, and state level. • Applicant has received 4-H special recognition awards on the county, area, and state level.

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