

## 4-H Leadership Project

### Junior Level Leadership Project:

Any 4-H member age 12 and under is eligible to enroll in the Leadership project. At the Junior Level of the Leadership Project the member explores leadership styles and opportunities. Project curriculum materials are available. For more information contact the Extension Office or the club leader. The member has the option to enter the County Fair and complete a record book. For Leavenworth County Fair Classes see the Leadership pages of the current Fair Book.

### Senior Level Leadership Project:

Members 13 years or older are Senior Level. Kansas 4-H requires members to enroll and participate in 4-H Leadership as one of their projects when working towards Achievement Pins 7-9 (Leadership, Gold, and Gold Guard) or the 4-H Key Award. To apply for the Leavenworth County Leadership Scholarship Award the member must enroll and participate in the 4-H Leadership Project. Members qualify by choosing 1 of 2 ways to enroll and participate.

- Choice 1:**
- a. Enroll in the 4-H Leadership Project.
  - b. Develop and complete a 4-H Leadership Plan. Available on the LV Co website or at the Extension Office.
  - c. Enter and participate in the interview class found in the Fair Book.

**DUE May 1** in the Extension Office-

-A copy of Steps 1-3 from the 4-H Leadership Plan worksheet section, which includes how you will carry out your plan and improve on your leadership skills.

**DUE July 1** in the Extension Office –

- An updated summary of the progress on your plan or a summary of the completed plan.
- 2 reference letters regarding your plan (available on the LV Co website or in the Extension Office)

- Choice 2:**
- a. Enroll in the Leadership Project.
  - b. Participate as a leader throughout the 4-H year taking opportunities to develop leadership skills.
  - c. Complete and turn in to the Extension Office a Kansas Award Portfolio (KAP) for the leadership project, including completion of at least the minimum requirements for the 4-H record book (including, but not limited to the Personal Page, 4-H Story, Permanent Record, and optional supporting pictures).

### **DUE Jun 1-Jun 30**

- Online Fair entry completed with appropriate classes entered. Choose the Plan Interview, Project Interview and/or Educational Display. Classes can be found on the Leadership page of the Fair Book.

☀ 4-H members enrolled in either Jr. or Sr. Leadership levels can enter the Leavenworth County Fair by completing the online entry with the desired classes.