

4-H Silver Pin Application Hints and Suggestions

Required:

1. Exhibit one or more of your projects at a 4-H club tour, 4-H club exhibit day, the county fair, or an event similar to a county fair but with another title.
 - This must be a physical exhibit, not a speech
 - Please fill in both blanks
 - Examples for Event where exhibited: Geary County Fair, club tour, Tri-County Fair, Kansas Junior Livestock Show, spring shows (please specify which spring show you exhibited at), Kansas State Fair

2. Attend a majority (more than half) of the regularly scheduled meetings of your 4-H club. For new members, the majority of meetings will be computed based on the number of meetings remaining following enrollment into the club.
 - Must have attended at least one more than half of the meetings to earn this pin

3. Give a presentation at a 4-H project meeting or at another 4-H club or 4-H group meeting.
 - This must be a presentation for a 4-H group
 - Please fill in both blanks

Optional:

1. Serve on a committee in your 4-H club or 4-H group.
 - Can be a standing or special committee

2. Attend a 4-H day camp, county 4-H camp, and/or other state or area 4-H camp.
 - Examples of Camps: County Camp (camper or counselor), State Photography Camp, Horse Panorama, Horse Judging Camp, Livestock Judging Camp, Campference

3. Attend a county or club 4-H achievement program.
 - The only events that count for this optional requirement are the county 4-H Achievement Celebration or your 4-H club achievement program if one is held

4. Take part in a county or club 4-H quiz bowl or judging school or contest.
 - Please fill in both blanks
 - This only includes club and county 4-H events
 - Examples of events that count here: 4-H Day Photography Judging, 4-H Day Family and Consumer Sciences Judging, Fair Photography Judging, Fair Family and Consumer Sciences Judging, Fair Livestock Judging, Fair Horticulture Judging, Tri-Rivers Rabbit Judging

5. Take part in county 4-H Day as a contestant.
 - Please specify which event you participated in
 - Examples of Events: Project Talk, Public Speaking, Demonstration, Illustrated Talk, Show and Tell, Reading, Solo Acting, Model Meeting, Gavel Games, Instrumental Music, Vocal Music, Dance, Talent, Play, Skit

6. Take part in a county 4-H event that is not already listed as a requirement.
 - This must be an event sponsored by the Geary County 4-H program
 - Examples of Events: Geary County Fair, 4-H Club Day, Officer Training, Public Revue, Achievement Celebration, 4-H/Senior Citizens' Center Building Fundraiser, County 4-H Camp, 4-H Foundation events, Tri-Rivers 4-H Rabbit Show, county Project Meeting Evenings

7. Attend Regional 4-H Day, or a similar 4-H event, to encourage your club or members and/or as a contestant.
 - This must be a 4-H event
 - County 4-H Day does not count for this requirement

9. Participate in National 4-H Week.
 - National 4-H Week is held the first full week in October
 - Some clubs use this week to promote 4-H. You can participate in your club's activities or participate on your own. Ideas include promoting 4-H in your school with a poster or display, asking local businesses to use their signs to promote 4-H, writing an article for the paper about 4-H, putting up a 4-H promotional window display in a business