

Pierce County

2021 Impact At-A-Glance



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Because technology will have a huge impact on agriculture, local FFA members show 3rd and 4th graders how to effectively use drones during the Life on the Farm Event.

The Pierce County Life on the Farm event teaches 3rd and 4th graders from local schools how food goes from “farm to plate.” Volunteers taught aspects of agriculture including hands on experience with beef, dairy, sheep, goats, horses, crops and soil, and the use of technology . Each presenter engaged students by asking questions, involving children in care of animals, or performing experiments. FFA members used drones to show how they can check animals or weather. Teacher comment: “We use technology in the classroom, and it was cool for them to see how farmers can use it, too.”

Programs At-A-Glance

- 4 communities completed the Entrepreneurial Community Activation Process (ECAP), resulting in priority setting, new businesses, grants, and residents invested for the future.
- The Healthy Habits grant provided 4-Hers with materials to bake a whole grain bread loaf. Participants learned what makes a food whole grain, and basic baking skills.

63% youth who were reached in 4-H clubs and after school programs via in-person and virtual classes.

109 students were taught food safety skills using national ServSafe® materials.

150 potential 4-H members learned to care for animals in the Summer Reading program at local libraries.