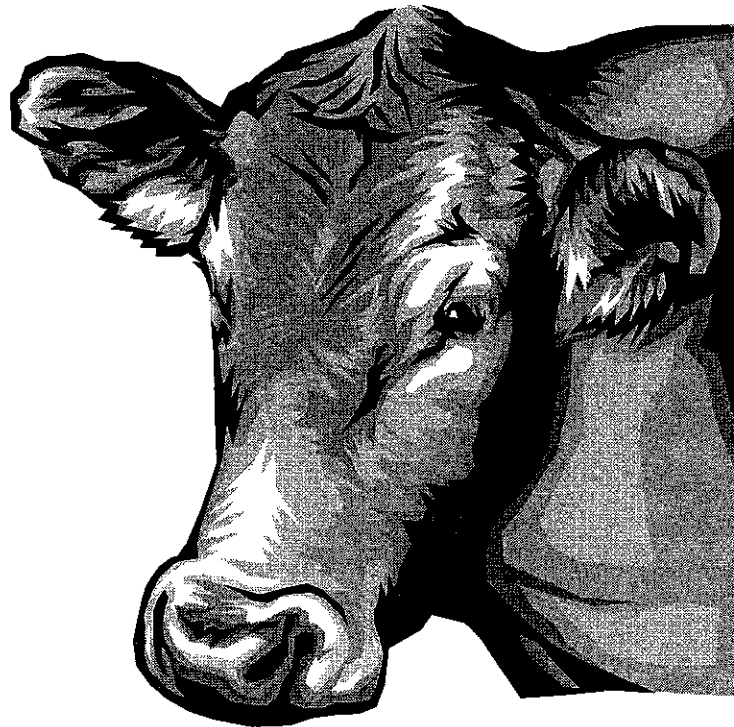


# **Douglas/ Sarpy 4-H Bucket Calf Project**





## Calf Care:

What did you feed your calf each day for the first 90 days? \_\_\_\_\_

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What did you feed your calf each day for 90 to 180 days? \_\_\_\_\_

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What do you feed your calf now? \_\_\_\_\_

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What equipment and supplies did you need to care for your calf? \_\_\_\_\_

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## Expenses:

How many dollars did you pay for your calf? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

How much did the total feed cost? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

What were the other expenses? (veterinarian, rent, equipment) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

What was the total expenses? (Add the three amounts together.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Future Plans:

What do you plan to do with your calf now? \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you plan to take the bucket calf project again next year? \_\_\_\_\_

# 4-H Bucket Calf Project Record

## Exhibitor Information:

Name\_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate\_\_\_\_\_Age\_\_\_\_\_Years in 4-H\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

City\_\_\_\_\_State\_\_\_\_\_Zip Code\_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Name(s)\_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club Name\_\_\_\_\_

## Calf Information:

Name\_\_\_\_\_Birth Date\_\_\_\_\_

Sex of calf? Circle choice:      Heifer                      Steer                      Bull

Kind of calf? Circle choice:      Beef                      Dairy                      Crossbred

Kind of identification?  
Circle choice:      Eartag                      Tatoo Number      I.D. Sheet

Breed of calf?\_\_\_\_\_Color of calf?\_\_\_\_\_

Where did you buy your calf?\_\_\_\_\_

When did you get your calf?\_\_\_\_\_

How much did your calf weigh when you bought it?\_\_\_\_\_

How much does your calf weigh now?\_\_\_\_\_

How many pounds did your calf gain?  
(Subtract purchase weight from current weight)\_\_\_\_\_

**Beginning Picture**

(optional)

**Ending Picture**

(optional)

Write a short story about where you got your calf, shots or medicine given to your calf, what you have learned from this project, and the fun you had raising your calf.

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
(project leader) (parent/guardian)

# 4-H Bucket Calf Scoresheet

Exhibitor Name \_\_\_\_\_ Exhibitor Number \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor's Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Years in 4-H \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

4-H Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

<u>Category</u>	<u>Possible Points</u>	<u>Points Awarded</u>
Record Book (Evaluation of the Completed Record)	35	_____
Exhibitor's Knowledge (Evaluation of Member's Knowledge by Interview)	35	_____
Animal's Appearance (Quality and Condition of Animal)	15	_____
Showmanship (Evidence of Training and Showing)	15	_____
	_____	_____
	<b>Total</b>	
	<b>100</b>	_____

Ribbon Awarded (Circle):      Purple      Blue      Red      White

Additional Comments \_\_\_\_\_

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Judge's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Why is beef production important to Nebraska?

What are some of the byproducts produced by beef cattle?

What are the positive traits of the breed of your calf?

