

Fillmore County 4-H Award Application

Name:	Birth Date (MDY)	Years in 4-H:
Street Address:	Phone:	
City & Zip:	School:	

CHECK THE AREA(S) IN WHICH YOU ARE APPLYING

You may apply for up to 2 county areas

Once you have won a county medal **in your age division**, you may not apply for that award again.

State applicants' must be 15-18 years old by January 1 of the current year.

You must be enrolled in the area in which you apply for recognition.

Age divisions: Jr. 8-12 Sr. 13-18

Jr.	Sr.	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Agriculture
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	STEM-Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Leadership and Entrepreneurship
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Healthy Living
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	College and Career Preparation for My Future

	Special Awards
<input type="checkbox"/>	First Year 4-H'er
<input type="checkbox"/>	Outstanding Senior Award
<input type="checkbox"/>	I Dare You Award
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hard Luck Award

I personally prepared this application and certify that it accurately reflects my work.

Date: _____ Signature of Member: _____

We have reviewed this application and believe it to be correct.

Date: _____ Signature of Parent/ Guardian: _____

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The 4-H application is an organized presentation of what has been learned and accomplished in 4-H. When accurately and carefully assembled, it is a useful tool for determining progress and personal growth. Award selection is based on the growth, leadership and citizenship that a 4-H'er has shown in their projects.

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY

- All 4-H members and Clover Kids are eligible to apply for awards. See Awards Application for a full list.

COUNTY COMPETITION

- 4-H member must be enrolled in the project in which they are applying.
- A county medal may only be won once in a project area per age division.
- Only Senior level 4-Hers 15-18 4-H age are allowed to apply at the state level.

HOW DO I APPLY?

- Download the application at <https://4h.unl.edu/achievement-application>
- Use the prompting questions and your creativity to create your 4-H story using words and photos
- For the county level we would like the application handed in by Oct. 2nd as a printed copy
- For seniors applying at the State Level for Nebraska 4-H Foundation Scholarships, National 4-H Conference & National 4-H Congress those applications will be e-mailed by the youth to 4HAchieves@unl.edu by January 15th

First Year 4-H'er-All first year 4-H'er record books will be judged against each other and will not be eligible to receive a county medal. The judging committee will pick one from all first year entries that shows the most knowledge gained, participation and leadership.

Outstanding Senior Award-Two individuals will be chosen for the outstanding senior award. Also these individuals will be the candidates for the Tribland Award that is based on the 4-H Career Portfolio information.

I Dare You Award-Recipients should possess personal integrity, live a balanced life, and hold potential leadership abilities. Young people are dared to achieve their highest potential and to influence others through leadership and service. Winner of this award will receive a personalized award certificate, a copy of *I Dare You!*, William H Danforth's classic motivation book and an invitation to join other young leaders at the National Leadership Conference. The Fillmore County 4-H Council will pay \$200 of the cost to attend. Awardees must be 15-18 years of age by January 1st. This will be selected from those who complete their career portfolio.

Hard Luck Award-Include a separate story in front of your portfolio describing your "Hard Luck" story. Winner of this award will receive a special award. ½ to 1 page in length.

8. **Diamond Clover Applications**-This is a separate application that can be found online or at the Extension Office. Place the application loose in the front of your Achievement Application.