



North Carolina 4-H Achievement Plan



NAME _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

Address _____

_____ ZIP _____

Name of Club _____ Years in Club _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Do you set goals for yourself or do others set them for you? How do you feel when you accomplish something? Does what you accomplish make a difference to you? How can you plan and work to do a better job of meeting your goals? When you reach a goal, and feel some satisfaction in reaching that goal, does this help you set new goals? What if you are not quite satisfied with your accomplishments? How can you get the most out of 4-H and receive satisfaction for your goals?

The 4-H Achievement Plan will help you with these things. It will help in:

1. Setting your goals and making plans to reach them.
2. Enriching your 4-H program as you grow.
3. Evaluating your own efforts and accomplishments and by taking a look with your leader as to how well you have met your goals.
4. Reaching more of your goals.
5. Setting new goals that will help you grow and develop your skills and personality.

To be successful your plan will require loyalty to your 4-H club, your county, state, nation, and world. Service to others is very important. Creativity, responsibility, and leadership will be required. The satisfaction you feel for your job well done will make it all worthwhile.

Planning – To achieve your highest goals, plan your 4-H participation and set your goals at the start of your year or immediately after achieving a lower level. Use this achievement form to talk with your family and 4-H Leaders. Ask their advice in helping to set your goals and to help you accomplish them.

Directions:

1. Check the suggestions in the “Planned” column that you plan to accomplish.
2. Fill out the “Date Accomplished” column when you complete a requirement.
3. Check the highest award listed below for which you are applying.
4. Turn this in to your 4-H leader when you meet the minimum requirements for a Level.
5. Only one level may be reached each year in 4-H
6. You may begin the Achievement Plan at any time in your 4-H career. You must be 9 years old to begin the Green Clover Award. It may take more than 1 year to finish a level.

4-H’ers who strive and excel in improving themselves, their clubs, and their communities shall be given appropriate awards as follows:

✓ _____	Award Name	Lee County Scholarship
_____	Cloverbud (5-6) Achievement Award	\$15
_____	Cloverbud (7-8) Achievement Award	\$15
_____	Green Clover Achievement Award (9-18)	\$25
_____	Bronze Achievement Award (9-18)	\$50
_____	Silver Achievement Award (9-18)	\$75
_____	Gold Achievement Award (9-18)	\$100
_____	Achievement Medal (13-18)	\$150

5-6 Year Old Cloverbud Achievement Award

To be eligible you must do Requirements 1- 3 and 2 optional activities.

Planned	Date Completed	
_____	_____	1. Attend at least 3/4th of the scheduled 4-H meetings.
_____	_____	2. Have a planning meeting with your 4-H Leader.
_____	_____	3. Learn and lead the 4-H Pledge.

Planned	Date Completed	Optional Activities
_____	_____	4. With your family's help, complete a Curriculum Book for ages 5-6. Book:
_____	_____	5. Learn and lead the 4-H motto.
_____	_____	6. Make a collage or draw a picture to show what you've learned in 4-H and bring to club meeting.
_____	_____	7. "Show and Tell" about something you've learned in 4-H with your family.

Upon completing requirements for this Level, sign your name below, have your parent/guardian sign, and give the total achievement plan to your club or group leader.

Your Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

I have evaluated and approved this application for the 5-6 Year old Cloverbud Achievement Award.

4-H Leader's Signature _____ Date _____

7-8 Year Old Cloverbud Achievement Award

To be eligible you must do Requirements 1- 4 and 3 optional activities.

Planned	Date Completed	
		1. Attend at least 3/4th of the scheduled 4-H meetings.
		2. Participate in at least 1 county 4-H event. Event:
		3. Learn and lead the 4-H Pledge.
		4. Have a planning meeting with your 4-H Leader.

Planned	Date Completed	Optional Activities
		5. With your family's help, complete a Curriculum. Book for ages 7-8. Book:
		6. Lead the American Pledge at a 4-H meeting.
		7. Create a craft item that shows what you like about 4-H and bring to a club meeting.
		8. "Show and Tell" about something you've learned in 4-H with your family.
		9. Participate in one community service project. List:
		10. Attend County Activity Day

Upon completing requirements for this Level, sign your name below, have your parent/guardian sign, and give the total achievement plan to your club or group leader.

Your Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

I have evaluated and approved this application for the 7-8 Year old Cloverbud Achievement Award.

4-H Leader's Signature _____ Date _____

Green Clover Achievement Award (For ages 9-18)

To be eligible you must do Requirements 1- 4 and 4 optional activities.

Planned	Date Completed	
		1. Attend at least 3/4th of the scheduled 4-H meetings
		2. Complete and turn in at least one project record book to your 4-H leader. Project:
		3. Participate in at least 1 county 4-H event. Event:
		4. Have a planning meeting with your 4-H Leader.
Optional Activities		
		5. Have a parent or other adult to attend at least two club or group meetings.
		6. Learn what county and 4-H district you are in: _____
		7. Exhibit at least one 4-H project. What exhibited: Where:
		8. Give a talk about your 4-H project before a group. Topic: _____ Where: _____
		9. Participate in one community service project. List:
		10. Attend 4-H District Activity Day.
		11. Leader approved activity. Describe: _____

Upon completing requirements for this Level, sign your name below, have your parent/guardian sign, and give the total achievement plan to your club or group leader.

Your Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

I have evaluated and approved this application for the Green Clover Achievement Award.

4-H Leader's Signature _____ Date _____

Bronze Achievement Award (For ages 9-18)

**You must have already received the Green Clover Achievement Award.
To be eligible you must do Requirements 1- 5 and 5 optional activities.**

Planned	Date Completed	
_____	_____	0. Received Green Clover Achievement Award
_____	_____	1. Attend at least 3/4th of the scheduled 4-H meetings
_____	_____	2. Complete and turn in at least one project record book to your 4-H leader. Project1:
_____	_____	3. Give a presentation or talk at a 4-H meeting. Topic:
_____	_____	4. Participate in at least one community service project. Project:
_____	_____	5. Have a planning meeting with your 4-H Leader.

Planned	Date Completed	Optional Activities
_____	_____	6. Work on a committee in your club or county. List:
_____	_____	7. Attend County Achievement Program.
_____	_____	8. Participate in a county, district, or state contest (speaking, talent, judging, shows). Type:
_____	_____	9. Participate in another countywide activity. List:
_____	_____	10. Be on a program at a local club meeting (ex: Lions, Ruritans.) Date:
_____	_____	11. Self-Determined goal; approved by 4-H Club Leader. Explain:
_____	_____	12. Participate in NC 4-H Congress.
_____	_____	13. Exhibit at least one 4-H project. What exhibited: _____
		Where: _____

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- _____ 14. Self-Determined goal; approved by 4-H Club Leader.
_____ Explain:
_____ 15. Complete and turn in a second project book. Project 2:
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_____ 16. Complete and turn in a third project book. Project 3:
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Upon completing requirements for this Level, sign your name below, have your parent/guardian sign, and give the total achievement plan to your club or group leader.

Your Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

I have evaluated and approved this application for the Bronze Achievement Award.

4-H Leader's Signature _____ Date _____

Silver Achievement Award (For ages 9-18)

You must have already received the Green Clover Achievement Award

You must have already received the Bronze Achievement Award

To be eligible you must do Requirements 1-7 and 8 optional activities.

Planned	Date Completed	
_____	_____	0. Received Green Clover Achievement Award
_____	_____	0. Received Bronze Achievement Award
_____	_____	1. Attend at least 3/4th of the scheduled 4-H meetings
_____	_____	2. Complete and turn in at least two project record books to your 4-H leader. Project1: Project2:
_____	_____	3. Give a presentation or talk at a 4-H meeting. Topic:
_____	_____	4. Participate in at least two community service projects. Projects:
_____	_____	5. Work on a committee in your club our county. List:
_____	_____	6. Attend at least one County Council Meeting. Date:
_____	_____	7. Have a planning meeting with your 4-H Leader.

Planned	Date Completed	Optional Activities
_____	_____	8. Attend County Achievement Program List:
_____	_____	9. Assist with county 4-H Camps if possible. List:
_____	_____	10. Participate in a county 4-H entertains. Act:

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- _____ 11. Give a Presentation at County 4-H Activity Day.
List:
_____ 12. Participate in a District Retreat.
Date:
_____ 13. Give a 4-H talk or presentation at a local club meeting.
(ex: Lions, Ruritans) Date:
_____ 14. Give a speech at 4-H Meeting/Activity Contest. Title:

_____ 15. Serve as a Club Officer.
Office:
_____ 16. Self-Determined goal; approved by 4-H Club Leader.
Explain:
_____ 17. Self-Determined goal; approved by 4-H Club Leader.
Explain:
_____ 18. Participate in North Carolina 4-H Congress.

_____ 19. Exhibit at least one 4-H project. What exhibited?
Where?
_____ 20. Participate in district or state 4-H Activity. What:

_____ 21. Recruit one young person for your club. Name:

_____ 22. Complete and turn in a third project book. Project 3:

Upon completing requirements for this Level, sign your name below, have your parent/guardian sign, and give the total achievement plan to your club or group leader.

Your Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

I have evaluated and approved this application for the Silver Achievement Award.

4-H Leader's Signature _____ Date _____

Gold Achievement Award (For ages 9-18)

You must have already received the Green Clover Achievement Award.

You must have already received the Bronze Achievement Award.

You must have already received the Silver Achievement Award.

To be eligible you must do Requirements 1- 7 and 10 optional activities.

	Date Completed	
Planned		0. Received Green Clover Achievement Award
		0. Received Bronze Achievement Award
		0. Received Silver Achievement Award
		1. Serve as Junior/Teen Leader in County Event or Activity or at your club. List:
		2. Complete and turn in at least three project record books or one Cumulative Record to 4-H Club leader. List:
		3. Give Presentation or talk at 4-H meeting or other group. Topic:
		4. Participate in at least two community service projects. Projects:
		5. Serve as a chairman of a committee in your club or county. List:
		6. Attend at least one County Council Meeting. Date:
		7. Have a planning meeting with your 4-H Leader

	Date Completed	Optional Activities
Planned		8. Serve as a Leader in Training (LIT) at a State 4-H Camp.

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- _____ 9. Volunteer at a community agency.
Hours: _____
- _____ 10. Participate in a county 4-H Entertains. Act: _____
- _____ 11. Publish a news article related to 4-H. _____
- _____ 12. Participate in District Retreat.
Date: _____
- _____ 13. Give a 4-H talk or presentation at a local club meeting
(ex: Lions, Ruritans). Date _____
- _____ 14. Give a speech at 4-H Meeting/Activity Contest.
Title: _____
- _____ 15. Serve as a County Council Officer and attend 2/3 of the
meetings. Office: _____
- _____ 16. Self-Determined goal; approved by 4-H Club Leader.
Explain: _____
- _____ 17. Self-Determined goal; approved by 4-H Club Leader.
Explain: _____
- _____ 18. Self-Determined goal; approved by 4-H Club Leader.
Explain: _____
- _____ 19. Plan and carry out an individual community service
project. Explain: _____
- _____ 20. Exhibit at least one 4-H project. What exhibited?
Where? _____
- _____ 21. Attend NC Citizenship Focus. _____
- _____ 22. Assist other 4-H'ers with a project.
List: _____
- _____ 23. Participate in the Application, Resume & Interview
process. _____
- _____ 24. Attended National 4-H Congress.
Date: _____
- _____ 25. Attended National 4-H Conference.
Date: _____
- _____ 26. Participate as a delegate in a 4-H Exchange Trip with
another county or state or serve as a host to a 4-H
delegate from another county or state.

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_____ 27. Assist in organizing a new 4-H club. Explain your part in planning for and helping with the organization of the club.

Upon completing requirements for this Level, sign your name below, have your parent/guardian sign, and give the total achievement plan to your club or group leader.

Your Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

I have evaluated and approved this application for the Gold Achievement Award.

4-H Leader's Signature _____ Date _____

Achievement Medal (For ages 13-18)

You must have already received the Green Clover Achievement Award.

You must have already received the Bronze Achievement Award.

You must have already received the Silver Achievement Award.

You must have already received the Gold Achievement Award.

The Achievement Medal is a special award for outstanding older 4-H'ers.

To be eligible you must:

Planned	Date Completed	
_____	_____	0. Received Green Clover Achievement Award
_____	_____	0. Received Bronze Achievement Award
_____	_____	0. Received Silver Achievement Award
_____	_____	0. Received Gold Achievement Award
_____	_____	1. Meet Guidelines 1-7 for the Gold Achievement Award (must be repeated)
_____	_____	1. Serve as Junior/Teen Leader in County Event or activity or at your club. List:
_____	_____	2. Complete and turn in at least three project record books or one Cumulative Record to 4-H Club leader. List:
_____	_____	3. Give Presentation or talk at 4-H meeting or other group. Topic:
_____	_____	4. Participate in at least two community service projects. Projects:
_____	_____	5. Serve as a chairman of a committee in your club or county. List:
_____	_____	6. Attend at least one County Council Meeting. Date:
_____	_____	7. Have a planning meeting with your 4-H Leader

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		<p>2. Complete 20 optional activities. These can be selected from activities in the silver or gold achievement Awards. Items # 22 & 23 may not be repeated. The same type of events may not be repeated twice. (Example: Silver #10 and Gold #10)</p>
Planned	Date Completed	Required Activities
		<p>1. Serve as Junior/Teen Leader in County Event or activity or at your club. List:</p>
		<p>2. Complete and turn in at least three project record books or one Cumulative Record to 4-H Club leader. Books:</p>
		<p>3. Give Presentation or talk at 4-H meeting or other group. Topic:</p>
		<p>4. Participate in at least two community service projects. Projects:</p>
		<p>5. Serve as a chairman of a committee in your club or county. List:</p>
		<p>6. Attend at least one County Council Meeting. Date:</p>
		<p>7. Have a planning meeting with your 4-H Leader.</p>

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Silver Optional Activities

Planned	Date Completed	Activity
_____	_____	1. _____
_____	_____	2. _____
_____	_____	3. _____
_____	_____	4. _____
_____	_____	5. _____
_____	_____	6. _____
_____	_____	7. _____
_____	_____	8. _____
_____	_____	9. _____
_____	_____	10. _____
_____	_____	11. _____
_____	_____	12. _____
_____	_____	13. _____
_____	_____	14. _____
_____	_____	15. _____
_____	_____	16. _____
_____	_____	17. _____
_____	_____	18. _____
_____	_____	19. _____
_____	_____	20. _____

Gold Optional Activities

Planned	Date Completed	Activity
_____	_____	1. _____
_____	_____	2. _____
_____	_____	3. _____
_____	_____	4. _____
_____	_____	5. _____
_____	_____	6. _____
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_____	_____	15. _____
_____	_____	16. _____
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_____	_____	18. _____
_____	_____	19. _____
_____	_____	20. _____
_____	_____	21. _____
_____	_____	22. _____
_____	_____	23. _____
_____	_____	24. _____
_____	_____	25. _____

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Upon completing requirements for this Level, sign your name below, have your parent/guardian sign, and give the total achievement plan to your club or group leader.

Your Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian Signature _____

I have evaluated and approved this application for the Achievement Medal.

4-H Leader's Signature _____ Date _____

Agent's Signature _____ Date _____