



Michigan 4-H State Awards Program



4-H State Award Recognition Areas

Beef Science
Birds & Poultry Science
Civic Engagement
Companion Animal Science
Consumer & Family Science
Dairy Science
Environmental & Outdoor Education
Equine Science
Food, Nutrition, Health & Fitness
Gardening & Horticulture
Goat Science
Leadership & Service
Rabbit & Cavy Science
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics
Sheep Science
Shooting Sports
Swine Science
Visual, Performing & Expressive Arts
Workforce Preparation
Group Award

The Michigan 4-H State Awards Program is an opportunity for 4-H members to develop workforce readiness skills such as goal setting, written and oral communication, critical thinking, time management and organization. Through the program, Michigan 4-H members have an opportunity to receive recognition while expanding their network and improving their leadership skills. At the conclusion of this program participants have a cover letter, resume, and a portfolio highlighting their 4-H experiences. Many of these tools will be transferable to future application essays for jobs, college, and scholarships. A select group of State Award applicants are invited to participate in the State Awards Program during 4-H Exploration, June 19-21, 2019.

Age Categories

- Mark of Excellence Essay Contest~11-12 year old 4-H members
- Junior State Award~13-15 year old 4-H members
- Senior State Award~16-19 year old 4-H members
- Group Award~13-19 year old 4-H members

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Applications for Michigan 4-H
State Awards are due
February 1

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