

B.C. 4-H

AWARD OPPORTUNITIES



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The 4-H Motto

“Learn to Do by Doing”

The 4-H Pledge

I pledge

My Head to clearer thinking

My Heart to greater loyalty,

My Hands to larger service,

My Health to better living,

For my club, my community, and my country.

The 4-H Grace

(Tune of Auld Lang Syne)

*We thank thee, Lord, for blessings great
on this, our own fair land.*

*Teach us to serve thee joyfully,
with head, heart, health and hand.*

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WHY AWARDS?

Purpose

The purpose of an award in 4-H Club work is two-fold:

1. To help motivate members to gain certain skills and knowledge.
2. To recognize their achievements

Recognition is basic human need – and a sense of personal importance is particularly important to youth.

Recognition can take many forms – awards being only a part of the recognition that should be given to your 4-H members. Day-by-day recognition of all club members is essential to a satisfying 4-H club experience and to the development of each boy and girl. Pats on the back, or a simple thank-you; they may not appear important to you, but for the club member they can be a real boost. Giving a member some leadership responsibility or asking for assistance in planning programs helps he/she gain that feeling of personal importance.

The Awards System

The 4-H awards program here in B.C. is designed to allow each club member the opportunity to earn an award for his/her efforts. All who achieve are recognized – not just the top few.

It is important that you, as club leaders, understand what awards are available and the requirements for obtaining each. You can make certain that award recognition is given to a member as a result of a genuine effort on his/her part.

The awards program includes badges, certificates, ribbons, pins, trips, and scholarships.

- * Briefly, junior members receive recognition for mastering certain skills in the form of badges. A mark of 60% is necessary to earn a badge.
- ** A 60% mark on a Junior Proficiency exam entitles a member to a Junior Proficiency certificate.
- *** Senior members are eligible for senior skill certificates upon obtaining a mark of 75%.

RECORD KEEPING

Purpose

If a 4-H leader is to use the 4-H Awards Program as a “tool” to motivate young people, some method of record keeping of a member’s progress is necessary. The key to successful use and understanding of 4-H awards is keeping accurate records, which is the responsibility of all 4-H members and leaders.

The following options are available to assist leaders and members:

4-H member: 4-H Member Personal Achievement Record Book #118.

4-H leader: 4-H Leader’s Record Book #113, and/or 4-H Member Award Cards #125.

In addition, 4-H Member Award Cards will be kept by District Awards Coordinators as a back-up to leader and member records.

JUNIOR AWARDS

Introduction

Junior 4-H members completing required skills receive badges. The following criteria are used:

1. 60% is required in order to receive a badge.
2. A member will receive a badge only once.
3. Project badges only for members currently enrolled in that project.

NOTE: *Members have four years to obtain several badges so standards should be high enough to spread awarding of badges over four years.*

PROGRAM BADGES



201

Demonstrator

- Team of two
- 8-10 minutes
- See *Demonstration Score Card* (Publication # 148A)
- Club, District, or Regional Demonstration



202

Orator

- 3-5 minute speech
- See *Public Speaking Score Card* (Publication # 148E)
- Club, District, or Regional 4-H Public Speaking



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Educational Display

- Credit can be given to a single person, team of two, or one person in charge of the creation of the display. (ie. Educational Display Committee chairperson)
- See *Educational Display Score Card* (Publication # 148C)
- Must be displayed at the Club Achievement Day plus one non-4-H public venue



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Speak and Show

- Required time as per guide
- See *Speak and Show Score Card* (Publication # 148W)
- Club or open venue

PROJECT BADGES

ADOPT-A-GRANDPARENT



#242



#243



#233

Adopt-A-Grandparent

- See *Adopt-A-Grandparent Score Card* (Publication #148S)
- Club Achievement Day

Adopt-A-Grandparent Judge

- Judge two different classes of four
- 60% Score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Club Achievement Day

AQUACULTURE



#233

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Club Achievement Day

(Others “under construction” as/when required)

BEEF



#204



#205



#203

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year of project at the member's home by project leader or designate
- See *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140C)

Beef Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be beef animals)
- 60% Score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H showmanship classes

BICYCLE



#234



#235



#238

Mechanic

- General maintenance
- Inspection
- Lubrication
- Tire pressure
- Cable tension
- Lights, etc.
- Adjustment and /or replacement of: brakes, chain, seat, handlebar, height, accessories, etc.
- Club Achievement Day

Safety

- Pre-trip inspection
- Safety device, lights, reflector, etc.
- Knowledge of rules of road
- Safe operation and handling
- Evaluation throughout the year by the project leader

Mechanic Judge

- Judge two different classes of four
- 60% Score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

CAVY



#204



#253



#203

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year at member's home by Leader or designate
- See *Small Animal Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140J)

Cavy Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be cavy animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Rabbit & Cavy Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148Q)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H showmanship classes

CLOTHING



#222



#229



#224

Sewing

- See *Clothing Score Card* (Publication #148O)
- Club Achievement Day

Clothing Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be sewn articles)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Fashion Revue (Dress Revue)

- Model and 1-2 minute commentary on current years project; See *Fashion Revue Score Card* (Publication #148L)
- Club Achievement Day, District, or Regional

CLOVERBUD



#361 Green



#362 Orange



#363 Blue

Unit I

- Completion of scrapbook for outdoor living, beef, honeybee, horticulture, safety at home, poultry and sheep
- Club Achievement Day

Unit II

- Completion of scrapbook for rabbit, foods, small engines, safety on the farm, llama, crafts and dairy
- Club Achievement Day

Unit III

- Completion of scrapbook for swine, clothing, horse, bicycle, safety, goat, dog, and photography
- Club Achievement Day

CRAFTS AND WOOLCRAFT



#226



#227



#233

Craft

- See *Craft Score Card* (Publication #148J)
- Club Achievement Day

Crafts Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be craft articles)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Club Achievement Day

DAIRY



#204



#206



#203

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year at member's home by project leader or designate
- See *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140C)

Dairy Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be dairy animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H showmanship classes

DOG



#204



#237



#203



#236

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year at member's home by project leader or designate
- See *Small Animal Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140J)

Dog Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be dog animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Dog Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #5420H)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Dog Obedience

- Completion of Unit I requirements
- See *Unit 1 Beginner Obedience Score Card* (Publication #5420B)
- Club Achievement Day

ENVIRONMENT



#233

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Club Achievement Day

(Others “Under Construction” as/when required)

FIELD CROPS (GRAIN)



#204



#209



#233

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year by project leader or designate
- See *Grain Plots Score Card* (Publication # 140B)

Grain Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be grains)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
 - Club Achievement Day
-

FOODS



#223



#228



#225

Foods

- See *Foods Score Card* (Publication #148H)
- Club Achievement Day

Foods Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be food products)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Food Review

- See *Food Review Score Card* (Publication # 148K)
 - Club Achievement Day
-

GARDEN



#204



#207



#233

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year by project leader or designate
- See *4-H Garden Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140A)

Garden Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be garden produce)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
 - Club Achievement Day
-

GOAT



#204



#208



#203

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year at member's home by project leader or designate
- See *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140C)

Goat Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be goat animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
 - Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes
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HONEYBEE



#204



#210



#233

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year of project by project leader or designate
- Condition of hive (20 marks)
- Hive care, management (25 marks)
- Location of hives (15 marks)
- Knowledge of care (25 marks)
- Records (15 marks)
- Total 100 (marks)

Honeybee Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be honey)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Club Achievement Day

HORSE



#204



#216



#203



#232

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year at member's home by project leader or designate
- See *Horse Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140D)

Horse Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be horse animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Horse Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148N)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Equitation

- See *Horse Equitation Score Card* (Publication #148M)
- Club Achievement Day

LEATHERCRAFT



#231



#230



#233

Leathercraft

- See *Crafts Score Card* (Publication # 148J)
- Club Achievement Day

Leathercraft Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be leathercraft products)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Club Achievement Day

LLAMA



#204



#244



#203



#245

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year at member's home by project leader or designate
- See *Husbandry Inspection Score Card* (Publication # 140C)

Llama Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be llama animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Performance

- See *Llama Performance Score Card* (Publication #148V)
- Club Achievement Day

OUTDOOR LIVING



#220



#219



#221

Outdoor Living

- See *Crafts Score Card* (Publication # 148J) and *Foods Score Card* (Publication #148H) for example
- Club Achievement Day

Outdoor Living Judge

- Judge two different classes of four
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Outdoor Living Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Club Achievement Day

PHOTOGRAPHY



#241



#240



#233

Photography Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be photographs)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Photographer

- Club Achievement Day
- Completion of Unit II

Display

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Unit II or higher, Club Achievement Day

POULTRY



#204



#211



#203

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year by project leader or designate
- See *Small Animal Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140J)

Poultry Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be poultry animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Poultry Showmanship Score Card* (4-H Poultry Manual Publication #1110)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

RABBIT



#204



#212



#203

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year by project leader or designate
- See *Small Animal Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140J)

Rabbit Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be rabbit animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Rabbit & Cavy Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148Q)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

SHEEP



#204



#213



#203

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year by project leader or designate
- See *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140C)

Sheep Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be sheep animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

SELF-DETERMINED



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Self-determined

- Planning, development, and completion of Unit I (Junior) or Unit II (Group)
- 60% score or over on project and record book as evaluated by the project leader and Youth Development Staff
- See *4-H Self-Determined Project Score Card* (Publication #140H)

SMALL ENGINES



#234



#238



#235



#203

Mechanic

- General maintenance
- Inspection
- Lubrication
- Fuelling
- Radiator/air filter
- Oil level
- Batter, tire pressure, etc.
- Adjustment and/or replacement of: spark plugs, air cleaner, fan belt, battery, change oil and filter
- Club Achievement Day

Mechanic Judge

- Judge two different classes of four
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Safety

- Handling and storage of fuel
- Use of safety devices, shields, etc.
- Safe operating and handling
- Use of tools
- Evaluation throughout the year by the project leader

Showman

- See *Project Display Score Card* (Publication # 148B)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

SWINE



#204



#214



#203

Husbandry

- Two inspections per year by project leader or designate
- See *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140C)

Swine Judge

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be swine animals)
- 60% score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Showman

- See *Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

TRACTOR



#234



#238



#235



#215

Mechanic

- General maintenance
- Inspection
- Fuelling and lubrication, etc.
- Proper use of tools
- Fluid levels
- Battery and tire pressure
- Air cleaner and fan belt
- Club Achievement Day

Mechanic Judge

- Judge two different classes of four
- 60% Score or over on each class
- Club, District, or Regional Judging

Safety

- Pre-trip inspection
- Safety equipment, tools
- Clothing
- Safe operation and handling
- Evaluation throughout the year by the project leader

Tractor Driver

- Required manoeuvres as set out in an obstacle course: backing, turning, parking with two wheel trailer and four wheel wagon
 - Club Achievement Day
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4-H FARM SAFETY PROGRAM PARTICIPATION BADGES



#248



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#252



#251



#249

Educational Display

Farm Safety Participation Badge

- For farm safety educational displays
- Participants at club level
- (Green)

Demonstrations

Farm Safety Participation Badge

- For farm safety demonstrations
- Participants at club level
- (Red)

Public Speaking

Farm Safety Participation Badge

- For farm safety speeches
- Participants at club level
- (Blue)

Walkabout

Farm Safety Participation Badge

- For farm safety walkabouts
- Participants at Club level
- Completion of *Farm and Home Safety Walkabout Score Card* (Publication # 148U), with at least one 4-H family/farm plus one non-4-H family/farm
- (Orange)

Speak and Show

Farm Safety Participation Badge

- For farm safety speak and show presentations
- Participants at club level
- (Purple)

“Safety Rules, OK...”

Red and Gold Pin

- One per 4-H member who has completed any three of the above five badges

ACHIEVEMENT

Purpose

Achievement certificates (Publication #350) are awarded on the basis of work done by the club member throughout the entire year. Scoring is done by the club leader and/or designated person. Those members receiving “satisfactory” in all three areas will be awarded an Achievement Certificate.

MANAGEMENT OF PROJECT

An inspection by club leader or designated person to determine the “manner in which the project work is progressing”.

During the year 4-H members will learn about the preparation and care of their project. For livestock clubs this is called “husbandry” and for non-livestock clubs it varies (i.e. display). This is one of the skills learned in 4-H that builds knowledge and responsibility in 4-H members.

COMPLETION OF PROJECT

A member must exhibit his/her completed project at Achievement Day.

Another important skill is “showmanship”, or the ability to show or tell others about the project or what has been learned through the project work over the year.

COMPLETION OF RECORD BOOK

A member must satisfactorily complete a project record book and turn it in to the club leader. Completion of the record book for each project is necessary to build skills in the areas of goal setting, record keeping and budgeting.

PROFICIENCY CERTIFICATE

Purpose

A *Proficiency Certificate* (Publication #250) is an indication that a 4-H member has a complete working knowledge of Junior 4-H work. It is a privilege to write a Junior Proficiency exam: a privilege given by the Leader when he/she feels a member has a complete working knowledge in project work, including Public Speaking, Demonstrations, Judging, etc. The Junior Proficiency exam is a closed book exam.

Requirements to Write

- Any time following a member’s thirteenth birthday.
- The member must have earned two badges.

Questions and Answers

Proficiency Master Guide of questions and answers are available for each Project for **4-H leaders only**. This is the basic requirement only. Project information in 4-H manuals, etc., should also be studied.

Exams

Leaders are to make up exams and mark them, based on Master Guides of questions and answers, and sample exams available from Key Leaders or on the B.C. 4-H website (Leaders Secured Site). The exam should include general 4-H knowledge questions 20/100 which include questions from the 4-H pledge, to 4-H Club Executive duties, to naming local 4-H and agriculture dignitaries for example. The second part is specific project knowledge questions 80/100, as well as questions that test the member’s complete working knowledge of their 4-H project. A score of 60% is required to pass. ***Submit marks and/or market tests to the DISTRICT 4-H AWARDS CO-ORDINATOR for certificate.*** The exam is a closed

book exam and may take the form of an oral discussion between the member and leader if a leader feels that it would be more appropriate for the member's learning style.

Junior Proficiency Deadline

To enrol as a Senior member, a member must write his/her proficiency exam prior to December 31st of the previous year. *Leaders must submit results to the DISTRICT 4-H AWARDS CO-ORDINATOR within a week of December 31st. DISTRICT 4-H AWARDS CO-ORDINATORS should check with all District 'A' Leaders to collect the Junior Proficiency scores within one week of the deadline.*

A member who writes his/her proficiency exam after December 31st **completes** the year as a Junior and is eligible to receive Senior Skill Certificates and privileges of the senior 4-H program **the following year**.

Exceptions

1. Members starting after 13th birthday:

It is recommended that members starting 4-H after their 13th birthday work in 4-H for **one year** prior to writing their Proficiency exam or follow the following guidelines: Members starting the Project after their 13th birthday may, at the discretion of the leader, write their Junior Proficiency exam without first obtaining two badges if they have a **complete working knowledge** of the junior work in the project. Public Speaking, Demonstration, Judging, knowledge and skills are considered part of this working knowledge as well as specific project work.

2. Transferring Members:

Senior members transferring between projects may write the Junior Proficiency exam in the new project as soon as the leader feels they are ready and continue with senior work, provided #1 above applies.

The Junior Proficiency exam must be written prior to **December 31st** of the previous year to be eligible as a senior member in the project during the following year, e.g., to obtain Project Senior Skill certificates and to be eligible to participate in the Provincial 4-H Programs.

Reasons for a member to obtain a Junior Proficiency Certificate

A member requires a Junior Proficiency Certificate to participate in the following 4-H Programs:

1. Provincial 4-H Public Speaking
2. Provincial 4-H Demonstrations (one team member)
3. District 4-H Junior Council Membership
4. 4-H Youth Action/ Food for Thought
5. Provincial 4-H Club Week/Agri-Career Quest
6. External 4-H grade 11 and 12 High school Credit courses

NOTE: Advice to 4-H Leaders and 4-H Key Leaders

Exceptions #1 and #2 **should** cover most examples of potential questions related to Junior Proficiency. Any additional "grey" areas of interpretation may be worked out by a 4-H club leader with advice of 4-H key leaders, if required, keeping in mind the following points:

*Maximize flexibility to fit particular situation of member.

*To not "take away" from the purpose of the Junior Proficiency exam and certificate in relation to standards in your 4-H club and between 4-H clubs.

SENIOR AWARDS

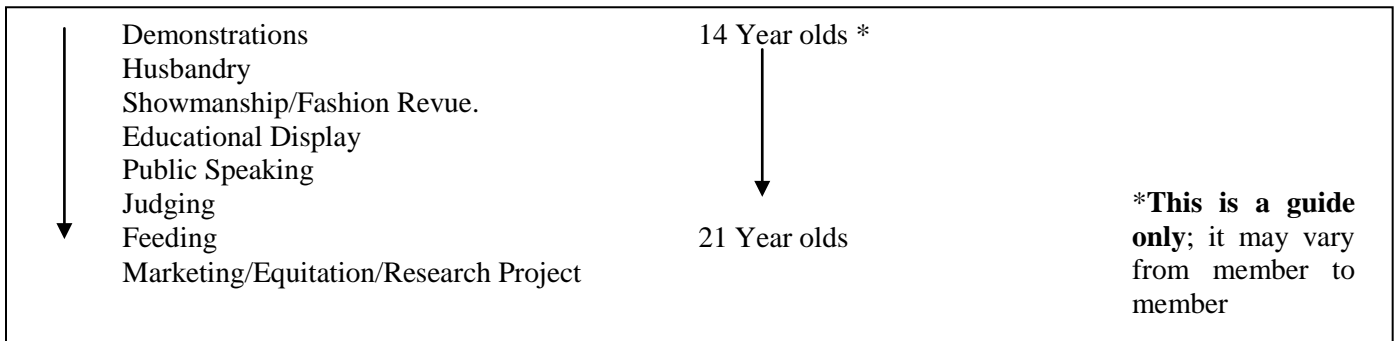
Introduction

Senior 4-H members completing required skills receive certificates. The following criteria are used:



1. 75% required to receive a certificate.
2. A member will receive a certificate only once.
3. Project certificates are only for members currently enrolled in that Project.
4. A member may begin to receive certificates in the first complete 4-H year after becoming a Senior member, i.e., Junior Proficiency written prior to December 31st of the previous year.

4-H members should have a complete working knowledge of the skill area prior to being awarded, and/or writing a Senior Skill exam. The following guide is suggested to assist a Senior member in planning their Senior skill work:



PROGRAM SKILLS

1. Public Speaking

- *5-7 minute speech, plus 1-2 minute impromptu
- see *Public Speaking Score Card* (Publication # 148E) and *Public Speaking Impromptu Score Card* (Publication #148P)
- Club, District or Regional Public Speaking
- * 75% score on impromptu speech plus 75% score on 5-7 minute speech (not necessarily in the same year) qualifies member for Senior Skill Certificate.

2. Demonstration

- team of two
- 8-10 minutes
- see *Demonstration Score Card* (Publication #148A)
- Club, District and Regional 4-H Demonstrations

3. Educational Display

- Credit can be given to a single person, team of 2, or one person in charge of the creation of the display (ie. Educational Display Committee Chairperson)
- See *Educational Display Score Card* (Publication #148C), marked at Club, District, or Regional
- Must be displayed at Club achievement day plus one non 4-H public venue

4. Provincial Program

- Participation certificate from either 4-H Youth Action, 4-H Food for Thought, Agri-Career Quest or Provincial 4-H Club Week

5. Speak & Show

- Required time as per guide
- see *Speak & Show Score Card* (Publication #148U)
- Club or open venue

PROGRAM PIN



#281

A member must have earned a Junior Proficiency Certificate plus four of possible five (maximum of one each of one to five) Communication Program Skills OR four 4-H Farm Safety Program Senior Skills (two from part A and two from part B).

Communications Program Skills and Farm Safety Program Skills may not be combined to earn a Program Pin.

PROJECT SKILLS

ADOPT-A-GRANDPARENT

Adopt-A-Grandparent

- Record Book
- Project Work
- See *4-H Adopt-A-Grandparent Score Card* (Publication #148S) and *4-H Record Book Score Card* (Publication #148F)
- Inspection by judge on Club Achievement Day

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Display

- Individual display related to current project
- See *4-H Project Display Card* (Publication #148B)
- Club Achievement Day

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your Project work
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

AQUACULTURE

Aquaculture

- Project work
- Record Book
- see *4-H Record Books Score Card* (Publication #148F)
- Inspection by Judge on Achievement Day

Display

- Individual display related to current Project
- see *4-H Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B)
- Club Achievement Day

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your Project work
 - 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
 - paper to presented orally to Club members
 - Marked by Youth Development Staff
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BEEF

Husbandry

- 75% score or better in total required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H Leader Evaluation)
- two inspections by Project Leader or designate, see *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140C)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: dehorning, identification, castration, trimming hooves

Part B

- 50/100 open book written Project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be beef animals)
- one class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, or Regional

Showmanship

- see *4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- marked by Youth Development Staff

Marketing

- Open book work project available from Provincial office to include questions on grading, inspection, marketing, channels, subsidies, care and distribution of product, supply and demand, etc.
- marked by Youth Development Staff

CAVY

Husbandry

- 75% Score or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H Leader Evaluation)
- Two inspections by Project Leader or designate, See *Small Animal Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140J)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: Identifying, palpating, determining sex, handling of cavy

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be cavy animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *Rabbit and Cavy 4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148Q)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Research Project

- Individual display related to current project
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

CLOTHING

Sewing Project (Units VI to VIII)

- Record Book
- Project Work
- See *Clothing Score Card* (Publication #148O) and *4-H Record Book Score Card* (Publication #148F)
- Inspection by judge on Club Achievement Day

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be sewn articles)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Fashion Revue

- Model and 1-2 minute commentary on your current project
- See *Fashion Revue Score Card* (Publication #148L)
- Club Achievement Day
- District or Regional

Textiles

- Open book project available from the Provincial Office with questions related to textiles
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Research Project

- Individual display related to current project
 - 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
 - Paper to be presented orally to club members
 - Marked by Youth Development Staff
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CRAFTS AND WOOLCRAFT

Crafts Project/ Woolcraft Project (above unit 1)

- Three crafts, articles, record book, detailed study of craft
- See *4-H Record Book Score Card* (Publication #148F) and *Crafts Score Card* (Publication #148J)
- Inspection by Judge on Club Achievement Day

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be crafted products)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Display

- Individual display related to current project
- See *4-H Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B)
- Club Achievement Day

Crafts Design Project/ Woolcraft Design Project

- Open book work project available from the B.C. 4-H Office with questions related to Craft design
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your project work
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

DAIRY

Husbandry

- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H Leader Evaluation)
- Two inspections by Project Leader or designate, see *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140C)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: dehorning, identification, removal of extra teats, trimming hooves

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be dairy animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

DOG

Husbandry

- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H Leader Evaluation)
- Two inspections by Project Leader or designate, see *Small Animal Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140J)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: trimming nails, washing and grooming, identification, supplemental feeding of puppies, care at whelping

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be dog animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *Dog Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #5420H)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Obedience

- 50/100 Achievement Day requirements as set out by leader and/or official judge. See *Obedience Score Card* (Publication # 5420C – G)
- 50/100 open book work project, marked by Youth Development Staff
- 75% score or better in total, to pass

Feeding

- Open book work project available from Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

ENVIRONMENT

Environment

- Record Book, See *4-H Record Book Score Card* (Publication #148F)
- Project Work, inspection by judge on Club Achievement Day

Display

- Individual display related to current project
- See *4-H Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B)
- Club Achievement Day

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your project work
 - 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
 - Paper to be presented orally to Club members
 - Marked by Youth Development Staff
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FIELD CROP (GRAIN)

Husbandry

- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H Leader Evaluation)
- Two inspections by project leader or designate, see *Grain Plots Score Card* (Publication #140B)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: equipment, soil testing, use of herbicides, roguing

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be grains)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Display

- See *4-H Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B)
- Club Achievement Day

Marketing

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on grading, inspection, marketing channels, subsidies, distribution of project, supply and demand, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

FOODS

Foods Project

- Tea, luncheon, or buffet meal Record Book
- See *4-H Record Book Score Card* (Publication #148F), *Foods Product Score Card* (Publication #148G), and *Foods Hostessing Score Card* (Publication #148I)

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be food products)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Food Review

- See *Food Review Score Card* (Publication #148K)
- Club Achievement Day

Nutrition Project

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office with questions related to nutrition
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your project work
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

GARDEN

Husbandry

- 75% score or better in total required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H Leader Evaluation)
- Two inspections by project leader or designate, see *Garden Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140A)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedures on two of: equipment, transplanting, preparation for exhibition, use of pesticides

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be garden produce)
- One class of written reasons; one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, or Regional

Display

- Preparation, quality of sample, overall appearance and planning of exhibit considered
- *Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B) may be used as a guide to marking

Marketing

- Open book exam available from Provincial Office to include questions on the marketing of vegetable and flower products in B.C.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

GOAT

Husbandry

- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- Two inspections by project leader or designate, see *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140C)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: identification, trimming hooves, milking a goat, disbudding

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be goat animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

HONEYBEE

Husbandry

- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- Two inspections by Project Leader or designate, to include oral questions on beehive construction, feeding bees, wintering bees, re-queening, bee poisoning, diseases, enemies of bees, etc.
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: wintering bees, transferring bees, moving bees, honey production, pollen collection

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Display

- Attention to be given to preparation of samples
- Liquid, comb, chunk, or pollen as required
- Appearance and planning of overall exhibit to be considered
- See *4-H Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B) to use as a guide to marking
- Club Achievement Day

Marketing

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on grading, inspection, marketing channels, subsidies, distribution of project, supply and demand, etc.
 - Marked by Youth Development Staff
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HORSE

Husbandry

- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- Two inspections by Project Leader or designate, see *Horse Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140D)
- Demonstration /explanation of tools and procedure on one of: shoeing, worming, clipping

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be horse animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *4-H Horse Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148N)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Equitation

- 75% score or better in total required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- Demonstration of equitation skills, see *Horse Equitation Score Card* (Publication #148M)

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

JUNIOR LEADERSHIP

See Junior Leadership Regulations (Publication #5101) for Project requirements

- Project is to be carried for **four to six months**
- Complete Junior Leader application and receive approval of 4-H leader and Youth Development Program Staff before starting Project
- Develop and carry out Project
- Complete *Junior Leader Record Book* (Publication #5110) to be evaluated by 4-H leader and Youth Development Program Staff
- See *Junior Leader Project Score Card* (Publication #140G)
- Maximum of one Junior Leadership Project per member in a year
- 1st year: bronze award, 2nd year: silver award, 3rd year: gold award
- Junior Leader pin available to order after completion of Junior Leader Project



LEATHERCRAFT

Leathercraft Project

- Project work
- Record book
- See *4-H Record Book Score Card* (Publication #148F) and *Crafts Score Card* (Publication #148J)
- Inspection by judge on Club Achievement Day

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be leather craft product)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Display

- Individual display related to current project
- See *4-H Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B)
- Club Achievement Day

Leathercraft Design Project

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office with questions related to Leathercraft design
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your Project work
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

LLAMA

Husbandry

- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H Leader Evaluation)
- Two inspections by Project Leader or designate, see *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140C)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: fighting teeth removal, trimming toenails, vaccination, shearing

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be llama animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Performance

- Advance performance presentation in packing
- Advance performance presentation in obstacle

OUTDOOR LIVING

Outdoor Living Project

- Project work
- Record Book
- See *4-H Record Book Score Card* (Publication 148F)
- Inspection by Judge on Club Achievement Day

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four
- One class of written reasons; one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District or Regional

Outdoor Living Display

- Individual display related to current Project
- See *4-H Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B)
- Club Achievement Day

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your Project work
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development staff

PHOTOGRAPHY

Photography Project

- Completion of Unit 3 including Record book
- See *4-H Record Book Score Card* (Publication #148F) and *Crafts Score Card* (Publication #148J)
- Inspection by Judge on Club Achievement Day

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be photos)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Photography Display

- Individual display related to current Project
- See *4-H Project Display Score Card* (Publication #148B)
- Club Achievement Day

Photography Techniques

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office with questions related to: how a camera works, theory of light and photographic process, photo composition, darkroom procedures and safety, artistry, framing, enlarging, mounting, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your Project work
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

POULTRY

Husbandry

- 75% score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- Two inspections by Project Leader or designate, see *Small Animal Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140J)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: identification, debeaking, culling, brooding

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be poultry animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Marketing

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on grading, inspection, marketing channels, subsidies, distribution of project, supply and demand, etc.
 - Marked by Youth Development Staff
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RABBIT

Husbandry

- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- Two inspections by project leader or designate, see *Small Animal Husbandry Score Card* (Publication # 140J)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: Identifying, palpating, determining sex, handling a rabbit

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be rabbit animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *Rabbit and Cavy 4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148Q)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your project work
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

SELF-DETERMINED

- Planning, development and completion of 10-12 month project as **approved** by leader and Youth Development Program Staff
- See *Self-Determined Project Guide* (Publication #5010) and *Specific Regulations for Self-Determined Projects* (Publication #5001)
- Completion of project and presentation at Club meeting or field day
- Project to be evaluated by 4-H Leader and Youth Development Staff, see *4-H Self-Determined Project Score Card* (Publication #140H)
- Upon completion, the awarding of a certificate (Self-Determined Project)

Note: It is highly recommended that a Senior 4-H member make an appointment with a 4-H Key Leader or Youth Development Staff member to discuss this Project **prior** to starting the Project.

SHEEP

Husbandry

- 75% score or better in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H Leader Evaluation)
- Two inspections by Project Leader or designate, see *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140C)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: identification, castration, docking, trimming hooves

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be sheep animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Marketing

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on grading, inspection, marketing channels, subsidies, distribution of project, supply and demand, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Shearing

- Demonstration by member(s)
 - See *4-H Sheep Shearing Score Card* (Publication#148X)
 - Shear one sheep using hand or machine shears
 - Include care of fleece, handling, etc.
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SMALL ENGINES

Mechanic

- 75% score or better in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- On-site inspection by project leader or designate to review Project progress
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: carburetion, fuelling, lubrication, ignition systems

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional
- 75% Score, or better, in total is required

Safety

- 75% score or better in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- On-site inspection by Project Leader or designate to review safety practices while working on project
- Demonstration and explanation of safety and procedure on two of: storage and handling of fuel, machine guarding, machine operation, tool use

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Showmanship

- See *4-H Small Engines Senior Skill Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148T)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H Showmanship class

Research Project

- Individual display related to current project
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

SWINE

Husbandry

- 75% score or better in total is required

Part A

- 50/100 practical (4-H leader evaluation)
- Two inspections by project leader or designate, see *Livestock Husbandry Score Card* (Publication #140C)
- Demonstration and explanation of tools and procedure on two of: identification, castration, removal of eye teeth, iron supplement

Part B

- 50/100 open book written project marked by Youth Development Staff

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four (1 class must be swine animals)
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional

Showmanship

- See *4-H Showmanship Score Card* (Publication #148R)
- Club Achievement Day or other 4-H showmanship classes

Feeding

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on nutrition, feeds, supplements, balancing rations, nutritional problems, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

Marketing

- Open book work project available from the Provincial Office to include questions on grading, inspection, marketing channels, subsidies, distribution of project, supply and demand, etc.
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

TRACTOR

Tractor Driver

- Required manoeuvres as set out in obstacle course
- Backing, turning, parking with four-wheel wagon, etc.
- Club Achievement Day

Judging

- Judge two different classes of four
- One class of written reasons, one class of oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, Regional Judging

Tractor/Mechanics

- (“Under Construction”)

Safety Research Project

- Develop a topic related to your Project work
- 1,000 word paper, six month time limit
- Paper to be presented orally to Club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

WOOLCRAFT

See “Crafts”

4-H FARM SAFETY PROGRAM SENIOR SKILLS

To receive a Program Pin or Program Pin Certification a member must complete two Senior Skills from Part A and two Senior Skills from Part B with a score over 75% on each of them.

Part A Senior Skills

1. First Aid Certification

Member successfully completes First Aid Level 1 or Standard First Aid (5 hour minimum course) training with an accredited instructor and a copy of the certificate of successful completion is submitted.

2. FoodSafe

Member successfully completes FoodSafe Level 1 Training with an accredited instructor and a copy of the certificate of successful completion is submitted.

3. Safety Judging

- Judge two different classes of four
- One class must be written reasons, one class must be oral reasons
- 75% score or over on each
- Club, District, or Regional

4. Planning of Safety Workshops

One member will organize a safety day workshop for their Club, District, or Region. This day could include guest speakers from the local community, FARSHA, WorkSafe BC, or another appropriate speaker. Topics could include Animal Handling, Barnyard Safety, Proper ATV Use, or other topics related to home and farm safety. The member will complete a written thorough summary of the safety workshop including a brief summary of each presentation and safety tips learned for distribution to the Club and to the Youth Development Specialist.

Part B Senior Skills

1. Farm Safety Walkabout

Member must complete four Farm Safety Walkabouts, 4-H Publication #148U, with four different households/agricultural operations. In addition to completing the Farm Safety Walkabouts, member must follow up with households/operations after a period of no longer than four months, to re-evaluate. Completed Farm Safety Walkabouts must be sent to a Youth Development Specialist, along with a written report reflecting on the experience, for marking. Include what you learned, what you think other people learned, why you think exercises like this can be important, and any other information you think important.

2. Research Project

- Develop a topic related to farm or home safety
- 1,000 word paper with a six month time limit
- Paper must be completed and presented orally to club members
- Marked by Youth Development Staff

3. Emergency Preparedness Planning

Member must complete an emergency preparedness plan for at least four Club events over the course of one 4-H year. Of these four plans only one may be at a Club meeting. Others may be for the events such as Judging Rallies or Achievement Days. Member may use tools available in the B.C. 4-H Club Emergency Preparedness resources: the *4-H Farm and Family Emergency Planning Guide* (Publication #6611), and the *4-H Club Emergency Planning Guide* (Publication #6612). Emergency preparedness plans must be presented to Clubs orally before each event. The completed plans are marked by the Youth Development staff.

4. Year-Long Farm and Home Safety Plan

Using the B.C. 4-H Farm and Home Safety plan as a guide, member will construct a (12 month) year-long Farm and Home Safety Plan for their Club. Completed Project will be approved by the Club Leaders and the topic from the appropriate month will be presented at the beginning of each Club meeting. The year-long plan will be marked by Youth Development staff.

4-H PROJECT PIN



A member must have earned a Junior Proficiency Certificate plus four Senior Skill Certificates in that Project.

***Note:** Demonstration, Public Speaking, Educational Display, Provincial Program, Speak and Show, Senior Skill Certificates **DO NOT** count as they are **Program** skills.

SENIOR MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATE



- Planning, development, and completion of 10-12 month project as approved by Leader and Youth Development Program Staff.
- See specific project regulations for designated Senior Management Units.
- Complete project and Senior Management Record Book and achieve 75%.
- See *Senior Management Livestock Record Book* (Publication #5050) or *Senior Management Non-Livestock Record Book* (Publication #5052)
- Project to be evaluated by 4-H Leader and Youth Development Staff
- See *Senior Management Project Score Card* (Publication #140I)

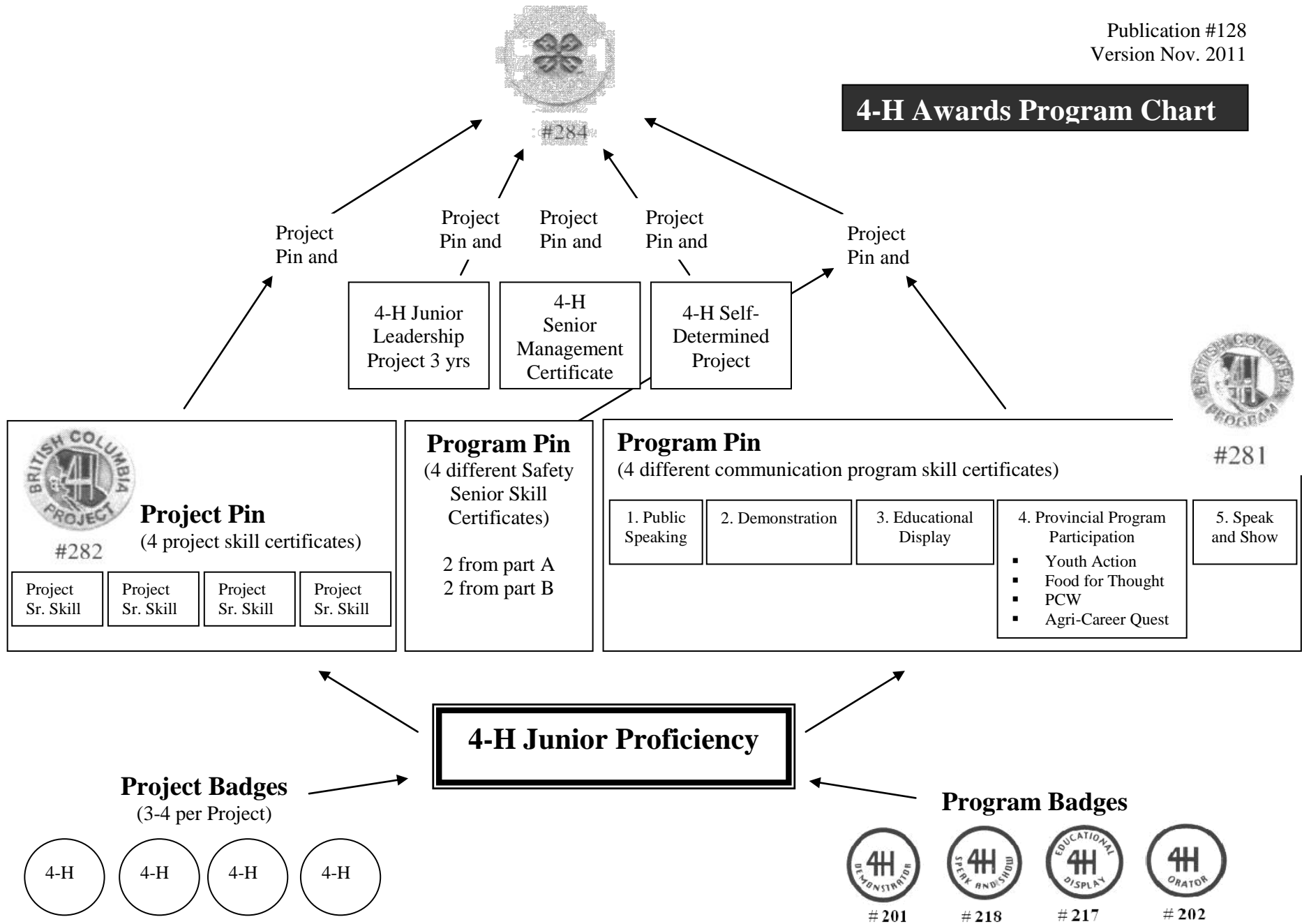
***Note:** It is recommended that Senior members make an appointment with a Key Leader or a Youth Development Staff member to discuss this Project **prior** to starting.

4-H HONOUR CLUB PIN



- Two project pins; e.g., four Senior Skill Certificates in Clothing Plus four in Beef (any two project combinations are eligible); OR
- One project pin plus one Program pin; OR
- One project pin plus one Senior Management Certificate; OR
- One Project pin plus one Self-Determined Project Certificate; OR
- One Project pin plus three years of Junior Leadership

4-H Awards Program Chart



EXTERNAL 4-H GRADES 11 & 12 COURSE INFORMATION

A B.C. Ministry of Education accepted External Course is a Ministry authorized course developed or offered outside the British Columbia School System. Students receive course credit towards graduation for successfully completing an External Course. The External 4-H Grade 11 and 12 courses are of equivalent standard to other Ministry authorized senior secondary courses. The 4-H course can only be earned through membership and completion of requirements in the 4-H program. The end credit could be:

External 4-H 11

A. Project Pin Certification **4 Credits**
Applied Skills
OR B. Program Pin Certification Applied Skills

External 4-H 12

4 Credits
Honour Club Pin Certification Applied Skills

A. Project Pin Certification Requirements for External 4-H Grade 11 Credit:

To achieve a Project pin, Senior 4-H members must enrol in a designated Project following the completion of their Junior Proficiency certificate and receive four Senior Skill certificates in that Project area.

The four Senior Skill exams are both written and practical with 75% required to pass the exams. Senior Skill requirements are as outlined in this publication in each Project heading.

The written exams are available from the B.C. 4-H Provincial Office.

B. Program Pin Certification Requirements for 4-H Grade 11 Credit:

Senior 4-H members enrolled in 4-H Clubs may present speeches, demonstrations, learn safety skills, prepare educational displays, and attend 4-H Youth Action, or Agri-Career Quest, or Food for Thought, and/or 4-H Provincial Club Week.

To complete Program certification, members must submit four certificates (maximum of one each of numbers 1. to 5. or four from 6.) to their District 4-H Awards Co-ordinator:

1. Public Speaking Senior Skill Certificate with a score over 75%
2. Demonstration Senior Skill Certificate with a score over 75%
3. Educational Display Senior Skill Certificate with a score over 75%
4. One provincial 4-H Conference Participation Certificate from 4-H Youth Action, 4-H Food for Thought, Agri-Career Quest, or 4-H Provincial Club Week
5. Speak and Show Senior Skill Certificate with a score over 75%
6. Four different Safety Senior Skill Certificates (two from part A and two from part B) each with a score over 75%

Honour Pin Certification Requirements and External 4-H Grade 12 Credit:

1. Two Project Pins; or
2. One Project Pin plus three years of 4-H Junior Leadership; or
3. One Project Pin plus one Senior Management Certificate; or
4. One Project Pin plus one Self-Determined Project Certificate; or
5. One Project Pin Certificate (A) plus one Program Pin Certificate (B)

Administration & Documentation for 4-H External Grades 11 & 12

All Project Pin and Program Pin Certification and Honour Club Pins are obtained by 4-H members through the regular Senior Skill exams and certificates of the B.C. 4-H Award Opportunities.

Once members have completed the requirements for either External 4-H 11 or External 4-H 12 course credit they can request the certificate necessary to present to their school through their District 4-H Awards Coordinator as follows:

1. 4-H member must present the 4-H Senior Skill or other certificates that verify completion of the requirements of the course to the District 4-H Awards Coordinator.
2. 4-H Awards Coordinator will send a copy of the member's award card (with 4-H member's home address) and with the necessary requirements for the course on it (already verified) to the B.C. 4-H Office at Box 490, Enderby, B.C. V0E 1V0.
3. Youth Development Assistant will issue Official Certificate with one of the following three titles; include the student's name, Program requirements, mark in percentage, verification signature and date.
 - 4-H Project Pin Certification
 - 4-H Program Pin Certification
 - 4-H Honour Pin Certification.
4. 4-H member will receive the 4-H Program Pin Certification, 4-H Project Pin Certification, or 4-H Honour Club Pin Certification directly to their home address.
5. 4-H member has responsibility to take the certificate to their school counsellor to receive the course credit.

The 4-H grading system is: **A 86-100%** **B 75-85%**

The school must decide whether to report the student's level of achievement as a school percent and letter grade, or as a Transfer Standing (TS) letter grade. TS have no negative or positive impact on a student's Grade Point Average (GPA).

EARNING 4-H GRADE 11 & 12 EXTERNAL CREDITS

Three Ways to Earn 4-H Grade 11 Credit

Maximum of four Grade 11 credits for one 4-H member

A Project Pin Certification (Four Project Skill certificates)				
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B1 Program Pin Certification (Four different Program Skill certificates)					
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OR

B2 Program Pin Certification (Four different Safety Senior Skill certificates) two from Part A two from Part B
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Five Ways To Earn 4-H Grade 12 Credit

Maximum of Four Grade 12 Credits for one 4-H member

1.	(A) Project Pin Certification (as shown above)	+	Another Project pin in a Project different than the first earned for Grade 11 credit. (e.g. a 4-H member that is enrolled in beef and swine project clubs earns both project pins).
2.	(A) Project Pin Certification (as shown above)	+	3 years 4-H Junior Leadership
3.	(A) Project Pin Certification (as shown above)	+	4-H Senior Management Certificate
4.	(A) Project Pin Certification (as shown above)	+	4-H Senior Self-Determined Project
5.	(A) Project Pin Certification (as shown above)	+	(B1 or B2) Program Pin Certification (as shown above)

PROGRAMS - SCHOLARSHIPS - TRAVEL

Information regarding available Provincial and Out-of-Province programs, scholarships, and travel opportunities, are all covered in *Opportunities Guide and Application Package* (Publication #129) which is produced on an annual basis.

LEADER AWARDS

Certificates and Pins

1. Leadership Certificates presented to leaders on completion of 5, 10, 15, 20, 30 and 35 years of service based on enrolment form information.
2. A Green Pin on completion of five years of leadership.
3. A special award on completion of 25 and 30 years of leadership.

Travel Opportunities for Leaders, Volunteers, and Alumni

1. Various Leaders' Conferences. See specific promotional material
 - Communications ongoing
2. Provincial 4-H Members Program Staff
 - Youth Action
 - Food for Thought
 - Agri-Career Quest
 - Provincial 4-H Club Week
3. Out-of-Province Leader Travel Awards
 - Opportunity to attend out-of-province 4-H leader events from time-to-time as chaperones
 - National Members Conference, etc.
4. Alberta Leaders Conference – a total of two attendees from Leaders, Volunteers, and Alumni
5. Additional opportunities that may vary from year to year.

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