

Frequently Asked Questions for 2009-2010 4-H Clover Awards



Q.) If I am an At-Large Member do I need to have my Clover Awards signed?

A.) Yes. The 4-H Agent or the Adult Volunteer in charge of that particular event/activity should sign each event/activity on your Clover Awards.

Q.) Can I use a Wildcard as a substitute towards my Clover Awards?

A.) Yes, by making a poster OR doing a 4-H demonstration/presentation at the St. Johns County Fair can be substituted for one Clover Award requirement – although these **CANNOT SUBSTITUTE THE RECORD BOOK OR PORTFOLIO REQUIREMENT.**

Q.) If I do both the poster and demonstration/presentation at the SJC Fair, will they count as two Wildcards towards my Clover Awards?

A.) No, they will count as one Wildcard and can be used to substitute for one 4-H activity.

Q.) Can I count my summer 4-H experiences toward my clover awards?

A.) Yes, summer camp experiences can be counted toward clover awards, however each event can only be counted once.

Q.) If I attend a Horse Show or other event, and participate in 4 classes, can I count this as 4 competitions?

A.) No, it will count as one competition for the event.

Q.) If I participate in Consumer Choice Judging at two different fairs, can I count it as 2 competitive events?

A.) Yes, as each contest is a different event. If you participate in more than one judging event at the same fair, this would also be counted as two competitive events.

Q.) If I attend county council 5 different times, can I count this as 5 different activities?

A.) No, it will count as one activity.

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- Q.) I taught a craft at Camp Ocala, but I also participated in making crafts, can I count this as a district level teaching and an activity?**
- A.) No, it must be one or the other. Each event can only be counted once for Clover Awards.
- Q.) If I give a 4-H talk to my church or classroom, can it count as a talk to a community group?**
- A.) Yes, as long as your talk is about 4-H and/or your 4-H project. The talk should be at least 10 minutes long with an additional few minutes for questions and answers. It is recommended that you do a “hands on” activity with the group if possible.
- Q.) Can I count my clover award experiences toward 4-H Congress Scholarships Requirements?**
- A.) Yes, in addition to qualifying for a state competition, the requirements listed to earn a scholarship to 4-H Congress may be some of the same activities you choose to do for your clover awards. These requirements can be a part of, and not necessarily in addition to the requirements for the clover awards.
- Q.) I am not sure what counts for the clover award requirements?**
- A.) Read over the Events and Activities Examples sheet, call the 4-H Office for clarification or ask your 4-H leader. 😊 **Remember that all activities counted on the Clover Awards must be 4-H sponsored or affiliated with 4-H.**

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