



OKLAHOMA 4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

STATE 4-H ROUNDUP

2022 Cloverbowl Study Guide

Objective

The objective of the Cloverbowl is to provide an opportunity for youth enrolled in 4-H to develop and demonstrate their knowledge of 4-H history in a competitive setting where attitudes of friendliness and fairness prevail.

Description

This packet contains a bunch of general information to help 4-H'ers succeed in the 2022 Cloverbowl! Although questions and answers are not exactly the same as the contest, we hope that they will be a good indication of what to expect for the contest. Even studying a few questions could make a huge impact; not to mention, you'll know more about the 4-H program!

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In accordance with the 4-H ritual, what does the 4 “H”’s represent?

Answer: “They represent the equal training of the head, heart, hands and health of every member.”

In what year was the four-leaf clover chosen as the symbol for 4-H?

Answer: 1911

In what year was the National 4-H Center in Chevy Chase, Maryland, established?

Answer: 1959

During which decade did 4-H begin expansion to urban communities?

Answer: 1950’s

What is the name of the 4-H youth culinary challenge where three member teams compete to create a dish while demonstrating their knowledge in foods and nutrition, kitchen safety, equipment, and creativity in food preparation?

Answer: Food Showdown

Each leaf of the original 4-H emblem, the three-leaf clover, had an imprinted “H”. What did these H’s represent?

Answer: Head, heart and hands

For what purpose did Mr. O.B. Martin, a former Superintendent of Education in South Carolina, suggest a four leaf clover to be used as the 4-H emblem?

Answer: It would bring good luck

In which city did 4-H first begin in Oklahoma?

Answer: Tishomingo

According to the 4-H Club Ritual, for what are the hands trained?

Answer: “To be useful, to be helpful, to be skillful”

Name the author of the 4-H pledge.

Answer: Otis Hall

What year were the 4-H pledge and motto formally adopted by State 4-H Leaders?

Answer: 1927

The opportunity for 4-H members from Oklahoma to compete nationally while encouraging teamwork and self-confidence, and while focusing on the 4-H Mission Mandates is given through which trip?

Answer: Denver Western National Roundup

4-H membership is open to people between what ages?

Answer: 8-18

Who does the Oklahoma Cooperative Extension Service contract with to maintain officers in each of the Oklahoma counties?

Answer: County Commissioners

Where is the State 4-H Office located?

Answer: Stillwater, Oklahoma



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In what city was the original home of the headquarters for demonstration work in Oklahoma located?

Answer: Tishomingo

From what grade can youth participate in Oklahoma 4-H?

Answer: 3rd grade

For the purpose of providing age appropriate activities, 4-H programs are divided into two grade specific categories. Name these two categories and the grades included in each.

Answer: Juniors 3rd – 7th and Seniors 8th – 12th

For the purpose of providing age appropriate activities, traditional eight through eighteen 4-H programs are divided into two age categories. Name these two age categories and the ages included in each.

Answer: Juniors 8-13 and Seniors 14-18

What kind of 4-H clubs began in the 1960's to educate youth over a large area by airing sets of episodes dealing with specific topics?

Answer: Television Clubs

What famous Caddo County 4-H'er and Cincinnati Reds Hall of Fame Catcher was honored as a distinguished 4-H alumni at the 1973 Roundup?

Answer: Johnny Bench

Name one of the four main buildings at the National 4-H Center.

Answer: J.C. Penny Hall, W.K. Kellogg Hall, McCormick Hall, or Firestone Hall

During what decade were the words "Our World" added to the 4-H pledge?

Answer: 1970's

In what year did the system of county agents evolve in the North?

Answer: 1912

In 1912, how many thousand canning clubs were organized throughout the South?

Answer: 23,000

What 4-H program supported deployed National Guard, Army Reserve and Active Duty soldier's children living in communities across the county?

Answer: Operation Military Kids

By 1918, club membership totals had passed what milestone number?

Answer: 500,000

According to the 4-H Club Ritual, for what is the health trained?

Answer: To resist disease, to enjoy life and to make for efficiency

What is the copyright code present on each valid 4-H Emblem?

Answer: 18 USC 707

What state began their own 4-H foundation, the first, in 1945?

Answer: West Virginia



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For what is the head trained according to the 4-H Club Ritual?

Answer: To think, to plan, to reason

According to the 4-H club ritual, in what way can we be a help in our home life?

Answer: "By striving to train for a home life that represents true character, comfort and contentment."

In what year did 4-H begin in Oklahoma?

Answer: 1909

Name the daughter of President Nixon that assisted with the 1970 ground-breaking ceremony for the expansion of the National 4-H Center?

Answer: Tricia Nixon

In what year was the 4-H and Student Activities building dedicated?

Answer: 1939

Which Oklahoma A & M College President gave dedicatory remarks for the 4-H and Student Activities Building?

Answer: Dr. Henry G. Bennett

What famous Pittsburg County 4-H member and current country music superstar was honored at the 1985 Round Up?

Answer: Reba McIntire

What modern Oklahoma State University building was once known as the 4-H and Student Activities Building?

Answer: Gallagher-Iba Arena

From 1969 until 1972, there were 6 district officer teams each year. Name each of these districts.

Answer: Northeast, Northwest, Oklahoma City, Southeast, Southwest, and Tulsa

In what decade was the National 4-H Club Foundation created?

Answer: 1940's (specifically 1948)

What is the 4-H slogan?

Answer: Learning by doing

In what year did the term 4-H club first appear in a federal document?

Answer: 1918

When was the National 4-H Council established?

Answer: 1976

In what year was the first cotton club established in Oklahoma?

Answer: 1910

Near what town was the Oklahoma 4-H Centennial Corn Maze held?

Answer: Hydro, Oklahoma

Mississippi was the first state in which did the federal government sponsor and direct?

Answer: 4-H Club Work



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What United States President assisted with the dedication ceremonies for the National 4-H Center in Chevy Chase, Maryland in 1959.

Answer: Dwight D. Eisenhower

The records of Oklahoma demonstration work from 1907 to 1914 were burned in which building on the night of August 6, 1914?

Answer: Morrill Hall

Name the club that recognizes the accomplishments of top 4-H members across the state who are at least 15 years of age and possess leadership, loyalty, and a sense of responsibility to the total 4-H program.

Answer: Oklahoma 4-H Key Club

Name four of the five focus areas of Oklahoma 4-H Youth Development.

Answer: (four of the following) Health and Wellness, Natural Resource and Environmental Education, Science and Technology, Marketing and Visibility, and Leadership Development

In what year was the first National 4-H Congress held?

Answer: 1922

According to the ritual, what does the 5th "H" represent?

Answer: The Home

By what year did 4-H become recognized universally as the name of club work in the United States?

Answer: 1924

What two pledges are said during the 4-H Ritual?

Answer: Pledge of Allegiance and the 4-H Pledge

Name the largest single contributor to the National 4-H Center?

Answer: W.K. Kellogg Foundation

In 1911, O.H. Benson suggested what "H" be added as the 4th "H" on the clover, before being revised to "Health" later in the year?

Answer: Hustle

In what year was the first home agent appointed in Oklahoma?

Answer: 1912

Experts dreamed of what 3 types of livestock on each family farm?

Answer: chickens, hogs, and cattle

What President stated, "If every kid in America were in 4-H, we'd have about half the problems we've got. I believe that."?

Answer: Bill Clinton

The first boys and girls club were created for the sole purpose of helping farm boys and girls were created in what state and year?

Answer: Ohio, 1902



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In 1923, a state club leader from Tennessee suggested that the “tour” in Chicago be called what?

Answer: Club Congress

In what year and where was the first time that state leaders from northern and southern states meet formally?

Answer: 1927 at National 4-H Camp in Washington D.C.

In what year were the first “women agents” appointed for girls club work?

Answer: 1910

Name the project area created in 1964 by Georgian Charles Dobbins that gives 4-Her’s the opportunity to “learn the values of scientific research and its influence upon animals and their health”.

Answer: Veterinary Science

1924 was the year for what to be patented?

Answer: 4-leaf clover

There is evidence that boys’ and girls’ clubs existed in New York as early as what decade?

Answer: 1890’s (1893)

O.H. Benson of Iowa, developed a three-leaf clover pin representing what three natures of a child?

Answer: physical, intellectual, and moral natures

Name the important private business supporter of the 4-H program in the mid-1950’s that was president of Coats and Clark, Inc?

Answer: John B. Clark

During which decade were the age requirements for 4-H members changed from 10-21 to 9-19 years of age?

Answer: 1960’s

What was the greatest appeal for girls who canned tomatoes?

Answer: Profit and Extra Spending money

As male Extension workers were titled “farm demonstration workers”, what title was given to females?

Answer: “Home demonstration workers”

What member of Oklahoma Governor Kevin Stitt’s cabinet formerly served as the Oklahoma 4-H Foundation Director?

Answer: Blayne Arthur

What was the underlying purpose of the corn club philosophy?

Answer: Reaching the father through the son, and helping them both

Oscar Martin was appointed as the special agent in the Bureau of Plant Industry in 1909 with what specific duty?



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Answer: To develop corn club work

What was the original name of the “4-H Achievement Institute?”

Answer: “Boy’s and Girl’s Institute”

In what year did the idea of girls’ clubs catch on?

Answer: 1910

The first agriculture agent in a county in the North was who?

Answer: A.B. Ross

What was the name of the formally active national 4-H honor fraternity established by Washington State College in 1925?

Answer: Mu Beta Beta 4-H Club Fraternity

What vegetable was selected to be the focus of girls’ club work?

Answer: the tomato

Why was corn selected as the focus of the first “4-H like” clubs?

Answer: It could be used as stock feed on the farms

Name one of the projects girls participated in by 1909.

Answer: Needle work, baking, and preserves

What act mandated “Land Grant” colleges to develop programs so all people would have education?

Answer: Morrill Act

4-H reached its all-time high enrollment in 1974. Approximately how many 4-H members were enrolled then?

Answer: 7.1 million

From 1969 until 1972, there were 6 district officer teams each year. Name each of these districts.

Answer: Northeast, Northwest, Tulsa, Oklahoma City, Southeast, Southwest.

What are the three pillars of a land grant universities, through which programs like 4-H are run?

Answer: Education, Extension, and Research

Oklahoma 4-H: Honoring. Celebrating. Envisioning. was the theme for what major Oklahoma 4-H event?

Answer: Oklahoma 4-H Centennial

What 4-H program’s mission to enhance world understanding and global citizenship through high-quality 4-H international cultural immersion and exchange programs for 4-H aged youth

Answer: States’ 4-H International Exchange Program

As a part of 4-H, youth ages 5 to 8 can be involved in which non-competitive educational program?

Answer: Cloverbuds



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What was the original name of Gallagher-Iba Arena

Answer: 4-H and Student Activities Building

What project area, based on the 4th H, began in 1922 with contests for boys and girls?

Answer: Health

What project, created in 1964, allows 4-Hers to make up their own outline and program of study?

Answer: self-determined

According to the 4-H Club Ritual, in what way can we be a help in our home life?

Answer: By striving to train for a home life that represents true character, comfort, and contentment.

The National 4-H Council was the merger of what two sponsors?

Answer: The National 4-H Service Committee and the National 4-H Foundation

Name the US President that helped 4-H celebrate its 50th National 4-H Congress in Chicago in 1971?

Answer: Richard Nixon

What entity guides the 4-H Program in the United States?

Answer: Cooperative Extension System or Cooperative Extension Service

In what year was the current form of the Oklahoma 4-H Leadership Council adopted?

Answer: 2009

Along with white, what official shade of green makes up the 4-H colors?

Answer: Kelly Green

How many counties have Cooperative Extension Offices in Oklahoma?

Answer: 77

In the 4-H pledge what do you pledge your head for?

Answer: Clearer thinking

In the 4-H ritual, name the order of the pledges in which they are said?

Answer: The Pledge of Allegiance then 4-H Pledge

In what city was the original home of headquarters for demonstration work in Oklahoma located?

Answer: Tishomingo

What act passed in 1914, establishing the Cooperative Extension Service System?

Answer: Smith-Lever Act

The first state club leaders in the South turned to what program to make corn club work possible?

Answer: rural schools

Name one of the projects boys participated in by 1909.

Answer: Corn, cotton, and poultry projects

What was the significance of the year 2014 in the Cooperative Extension Service?



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Answer: The Smith-Lever Act Centennial

What was the main objective of the first corn clubs?

Answer: To tie school work more closely with the farm

What does ECOP stand for?

Answer: Extension Committee on Organization and Policy

The Hatch Act of 1887 establishes what?

Answer: Agricultural Experiment Stations

In what hotel did they hold the Oklahoma 4-H Centennial Green Tie Gala?

Answer: The Skirvin or The Skirvin Hotel

In what year were girls' Tomato and Canning clubs first organized in Oklahoma?

Answer: 1912

In 1932 what state 4-H club agent established the community 4-H club?

Answer: B. A. Pratt

What is the name of the endowment created in 2018 to help cover the cost of the State 4-H Ambassador Program?

Answer: MSS70 Sanders Endowment

The Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program submitted a bill that was approved by Congress to receive \$30 million. How much of that money to the nearest million was designated for 4-H use?

Answer: \$8 million (Exactly \$7.5 million)

In 1972, 4-H was given an additional \$7.5 million appropriation. What were the funds designated for?

Answer: Expand general 4-H programs in urban areas and 4-H community rural development

Cooperative Extension represents a partnership between what three levels of government?

Answer: Federal, State and Local Government

What are the primary purpose of the Oklahoma Cooperative Extension Service?

Answer: Education

Name the popular school enrichment program whose purpose is to help familiarize school children and teachers with the food and fiber industry?

Answer: Oklahoma Ag in the Classroom

Name the 1890 Act that established "Land Grant" colleges for Black students.

Answer: Morrill Act

Through which agency of the United States Department Agriculture is the 4-H program run?

Answer: NIFA, or the National Institute of Food and Agriculture



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Other Helpful Resources

[4-H's Wikipedia page](#)

[4-H.org](#)

[4h.okstate.edu](#)

[USDA.gov](#)

[ag.ok.gov](#)

National, state, and district 4-H Facebook pages