

RECOGNITION OF SENIOR 4-H MEMBERS

DANFORTH "I DARE YOU" AWARD

The Danforth "I Dare You" Award is offered as recognition of excellence in character and well-balanced personal development as well as demonstrating leadership skills. It is given to (1) senior 4-H member each year.

- Eligibility:**
1. Must be a senior 4-H member during the current 4-H year.
 2. Must have completed two consecutive years as a 4-H member.
- Materials Required:**
1. Application
 2. 4-H Recordbook
- Rules:**
1. Must complete 4-H Recordbook
 2. Must meet eligibility requirements listed above
 3. Must submit Application
- Selection by:** Out of county judges will review 4-H Recordbook and Application.
- Judging Criteria:**
1. Recordbook
*Achievement, leadership & community service
Involvement
 2. 4-H member who best exemplifies four-fold development-
Physical, mental, social and spiritual.
 3. Heavy emphasis will be put on leadership development.

Suitable award will be secured and presented.

4-H Danforth "I Dare You" Award Application Form

1. Applicant _____
Last Name First Name Middle
2. Mailing Address _____

3. Parent's Name _____
4. County _____ Number of Years in 4-H Club Work _____
5. Name of Your 4-H Club _____
6. Age (as of Sept.1) _____ Date of Birth: _____
7. What project/s do you consider to be your primary area/s of involvement over the past one to four years? _____

8. What life skills (i.e. record keeping, public speaking, etc.) have you learned through this/these project/s? _____

9. What influence has your 4-H involvement had on your family? _____

10. What do you consider to be your most meaningful 4-H experience? _____

11. Has 4-H helped you in making future plans and goals. If so, what are your plans and goals at this time? (Example: school, career, family, project goals) _____

12. What is the most meaningful award/recognition you have received as a result of your 4-H involvement? _____

13. How have others gained from your leadership experiences? _____

14. What suggestion/s would you make to change your county's 4-H program & what would you be willing to do to help make this change? _____

(Signature of applicant)

(Date)

POSSIBLE DANFORTH INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

- How has 4-H affected your life?
- What has been the highlight of your 4-H career?
- Discuss your main 4-H project.
- Discuss other projects you have had in 4-H.
- Discuss your citizenship experiences in 4-H.
- Discuss your leadership experiences in 4-H.
- Why should you be considered for the Danforth Award?

SCORECARD FOR DANFORTH AWARD

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY

ZIP CODE

TELEPHONE: _____ AWARD: _____

	<u>POSSIBLE SCORE</u>	<u>ACTUAL SCORE</u>
RECORDBOOK 60%	60 points	_____
WRITTEN APPLICATION 40%	40 points	_____
AVERAGE OF JUDGE'S SCORES	_____	
	Average Score	
RANKING OF APPLICANT:	_____	