



4-H Gold Star Award or Danforth "I Dare You" Application Form – (Select only one)



Name of Member: _____ 4-H Year: _____
 Number of years in 4-H (including this year): _____
 Number of years as a Clover Club: _____
 Name of 4-H Club: _____
 Age: _____ Birth date: _____ Grade: _____
 Please indicate Award applying for:

_____ Gold Star _____ Danforth
 (Please make sure to turn in your 2 judged record books)

Eligibility for the award:

1. The member must be in grades 9-12 as of the current 4-H year and must have completed at least three (3) years in 4-H including the current year.
2. The 4-H member must submit 2 judged recordbook (or a copy of it) in the year he/she is to be considered for the award.
3. The 4-H member must have completed projects in 3 different project areas, including submission of appropriate record forms, and have participated in 2 or more activities in the appropriate areas.

Please answer these questions on a separate paper. Please type all answers.

- What project(s) do you consider to be your primary area(s) of involvement over the past one to four years?
- What life skills (i.e. record keeping, public speaking, etc.) have you learned through this/these project(s)? What did you enjoy most about the project(s)?
- What influence has your 4-H involvement had on your family?
- What do you consider to be your most meaningful 4-H experience?
- 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)
- What is the most meaningful award/recognition you have received as a result of your 4-H involvement?
- How have others gained from your leadership experiences?
- What suggestion(s) would you make to change your county's 4-H program and what would you be willing to do to help make this change?
- Also please include a paragraph that can be used for your introduction at the award ceremony. (250 word max)

Signature of applicant

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian or 4-H Leader

Date