

4-H Essay Contest - April 15

Students in 4th - 12th grade are invited to compete in the 4-H Essay Contest.

1. Student should write a 250-500 word essay on the theme "What being a 4-H member means to me." It can be handwritten or typed, but must be the student's work.
2. Register at <https://tiny.utk.edu/4Hessay> and upload completed essay to your 4-H Google Classroom on or before April 15.
3. Each essay will earn a blue, red or white ribbon.
4. The score on the essay will provide bonus points in selecting our 4-H'er of the Year winners.
 - (Blue) Excellent Essay - 20 bonus points
 - (Red) Good Essay - 10 bonus points
 - (White) Fair Essay - 5 bonus points
5. 1st - 3rd place medalists will be selected in each grade division: Junior (4th-5th), Jr. High (6th-8th), and Sr. High (9th - 12th).

ESSAY SCORECARD:

- Use of theme, "What being a 4-H'er means to me" – 40%
- Correct grammar, capitalization, punctuation & spelling – 40%
- Originality, creativity – 10%
- Follows Instructions – 10%