

LYON COUNTY 4-H JUNIOR AMBASSADOR APPLICATION

**Deadline to be submitted to Lyon County Extension Office:
October 2, 2023**

- Must currently be in the 8th grade.
- This is a one-year term.
- All information on this Application will be kept confidential and reviewed only by the Lyon County 4-H Ambassador Selection Committee.
- Please use **ONLY** the spaces provided to respond to the questions, **NO extra pages** are to be added to the Application.
- Applications will be screened, and qualified candidates will be asked to schedule a professional interview planned for the evening of TBA.
- **The Junior Ambassador Program is a large commitment for 4-H'ers and their families. Please take time to carefully consider all the time commitment to the program before applying.**
- Objectives of the Junior Ambassador Program:
 - To support and help the current Lyon County Ambassadors.
 - To promote and strengthen Lyon County 4-H Clubs and the county wide 4-H program activities and events – tell the 4-H story.
 - A sincere desire to promote 4-H, willingness to interact with the general public, interest in improving one's communication skills, commitment of time and energy.
 - Help facilitate county 4-H events including promotional activities.
 - Develop personal leadership skills and self-confidence.
 - Help others develop leadership skills.
- If selected, **you will be required to attend** the Ambassador Training (TBA). If selected, Junior Ambassadors **will also be required to present** either a Demonstration or participate in Public Speaking at county 4-H Club Day the first Saturday in March (competition in other club day activities is encouraged, but will not count for this requirement). Communication, having confidence and sharing the word about 4-H is a vital role of a 4-H Ambassador. Help will be provided to Ambassadors if needed to complete this requirement with confidence and ease.

REFERENCES: Please submit one reference with your application. The reference should be written by your community club leader, but **should not** be a relative.

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Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Email Address: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Parent or Guardian's Name: _____

Phone: _____ 4-H Club: _____ Years in 4-H: _____

Year in School: _____ Name of School: _____

Major 4-H projects. Include the number of years in each project.

What offices have you held in your 4-H Club or at school?

What things are currently in the Lyon County 4-H Program that you would be enthusiastic in promoting? Why?

What is the single most important item to remember while representing Lyon County 4-H as a Junior Ambassador?

Why do you want to be a Junior Ambassador?

Date: _____

4-Her's Signature

Date: _____

Parent or Guardian's Signature

LYON COUNTY 4-H AMBASSADOR REFERENCE

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When completed, please place in an envelope, sign the seal, and give back to the 4-Her to turn in with their application.

Reference for: _____

Your Name: _____

How long have you known this 4-Her? _____

How would the above listed 4-Her benefit from the Junior Ambassador Program?

Please make a brief statement about this 4-Her's ability to work with people, handle responsibility and initiative.

In your opinion, is this 4-Her reliable and dependable?

If you were in a position to hire this 4-Her, would you do so?

Date

Signature