

4-H SUPPORT LEADER

VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTION

Kentucky 4-H Program The University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service The University of Kentucky

POSITION TITLE:

4-H Support Leader

TIME REQUIRED:

Varies according to the club or activity being supported

LOCATION:

Cooperative Extension Service office or other meeting place

GENERAL PURPOSE:

Assist 4-H club, project, and activity leaders by providing support as needed.

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES MAY INCLUDE BUT NOT NECESSARILY BE LIMITED TO:

- Providing transportation to 4-H activities and events
- Assisting with fund raising
- Serving as chaperones
- Assisting with club activities as needed and/or requested by club leader

QUALIFICATIONS:

• Must complete the Volunteer Application process and be approved by the Youth Protection/Risk Management Committee

• A sincere interest in sharing knowledge and experiences and skills with youth and adults in an informal educational setting

The ability to work and communicate effectively with both youth and adults

• A willingness to become familiar with and work with the philosophy and guidelines of the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service, Kentucky 4-H program and county 4-H program

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BENEFITS:

• The opportunity to work with youth and provide positive support and growth experiences

- To develop lifelong friendships with youth, parents and other volunteers
- To develop communication and leadership skills
- To learn organizational and time management skills
- Gain respect for community needs and civic responsibilities
- Appropriate recognition will be provided

SALARY:

Unsalaried; volunteer. This position does not imply employment with the University of Kentucky

MENTOR/SUPERVISING PROFESSIONAL

Name: Address: City, State, Zip: Phone: Fax: E-mail:

"I have read, understand and agree to fulfill the purpose and responsibilities of this volunteer position and further agree to accept guidance and direction from the supervisor. I am committing to involve individuals regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability or national origin in educational experiences in cooperation with other Extension volunteers and Extension personnel. I also understand that failure to fulfill the purpose and responsibilities of the volunteer position and to accept guidance and direction from the supervisor could result in suspension of my position. I also understand that this volunteer position is renewable annually; I will notify the supervising professional if I am no longer interested in serving."

Signature of Volunteer

Date

Signature of Extension Professional

Date