

# CLOTHING CLUB PROJECT LEADER

## **VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTION:**

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

#### **POSITION TITLE:**

4-H Clothing Club Project Leader

#### TIME REQUIRED:

3.5 hours a week for six (6) months

#### LOCATION:

County Extension office and High School Home Economics/Family and Consumer Sciences Department

#### **GENERAL PURPOSE:**

See Project Leader form

## **SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Be committed to young people and their development in all areas
- Assist club members in all 4-H clothing projects and related areas
- Be aware of clothing projects available and help individual members select appropriate clothing projects
- Plan a 6-month program of clothing activities, including meeting dates, times, and locations
- Demonstrate proper sewing techniques to all club members
- Plan a two hour educational clothing program each week.
- Assist members with selection of appropriate fabric, patterns and supplies
- Make sure members are progressing with their clothing projects throughout the year
- Advise the 4-H professional or clothing coordinator regarding members project completion or progress
- Advise members of opportunities to showcase their completed clothing projects including dates, locations, and requirements
- Encourage parent's participation and support of 4-H meetings and activities
- Participate in one or more volunteer development opportunities throughout the year
- Continually provide positive feedback to members
- Follow all 4-H guidelines and policies of the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service, the Kentucky 4-H program, and the county 4-H program

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Must complete the Volunteer Application process and be approved by the Youth Protection/Risk Management Committee.
- Knowledge of basic sewing techniques
- Ability to organize information and materials
- Ability to work with minimal supervision from professional staff
- Ability to educate and motivate youth while nurturing positive self-esteem, decision
- making, responsibility and leadership in youth

#### **BENEFITS:**

- Appropriate manuals, pamphlets, audio visual aids, newsletters and other resource
- material will be provided
- Professionals will be available to consult with volunteers on a one to one basis
- Recognition and awards will be given to volunteers
- Opportunity to work with youth and provide support and growth experiences

## **SALARY:**

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

#### MENTOR/SUPERVISING PROFESSIONAL

- Clothing Coordinator
- 4-H 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

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