

Name	
County	District
Address	
City, State, Zip	
Email Address	
Grade	

Objective: The purpose of the award is to recognize 4-H members who have demonstrated consistent growth in their 4-H involvement, developed and applied their leadership skills, and actively participated in the functions of their 4-H club and community. It encourages the development of outstanding citizens through participation in a broad range of 4-H activities.

Eligibility: 4-H'ers are eligible for the Georgia 4-H Key Award beginning in 9th grade. 4-H'ers who achieve Level 4 are ineligible to receive the Georgia 4-H Key Award again.

Guidelines: This application must be typed. The application is divided into eight sections. Points are limited in each section based on the space provided; no additional pages/spaces may be added. Although eligibility begins in the 9th grade, points are cumulative starting in the 7th grade.

Prizes and Awards: The Key Award has four levels based on the total cumulative points of your application. 4-H'ers are encouraged to work their way through the levels until reaching Level 4.

Level 1	500 - 749	Key Award Certificate and Key Award Pin
Level 2	750 - 999	Bronze Medallion and Key Award Pin
Level 3	1,000 - 1,249	Silver Medallion and Key Award Pin
Level 4	1250+	Gold Medallion, Key Award Pin, and Master 4-H Status

Submitting Awards: Please submit completed award applications to: tinyurl.com/GA4HKeyAward



Section A:

Georgia 4-H Core Programs

Yearly Club Membership (20 Points Per Year)

Example: 2018 Emanuel County 4-H Member

20 (Minimum Required):

40:

60:

80:

100:

Statewide Summer Camp (20 Points Per Camp, Per Year)

Example: 2019 Junior Camp at Fortson 4-H Center

20 (Minimum Required):

40:

60:

80:

100:

120:

140:

160:

180:

200:



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State Council (20 Points Per Year)
Example: 2019 State Council

20 (Minimum Required):

40:

60:

80:

100:

District Project Achievement/State Congress (20 Points Per Event Per Year)
Example: 2020 Southeast Jr/Sr DPA
Example: 2020 State Congress

20 (Minimum Required):

40:

60:

80:

100:

120:

140:

160:

180:

200:

Section A Total Score

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Section B:

Leadership Positions Held and Teen Leader Opportunities

Opportunities listed here must be opportunities where you were participating in/representing 4-H.

Positions Held on County Level (3 Points Each Per Year)

<i>Example: 2019 Junior County President</i>	<i>Example: 2020 Senior County Vice President</i>
3:	33:
6:	36:
9:	39:
12:	42:
15:	45:
18:	48:
21:	51:
24:	54:
27:	57:
30:	60:

County Teen Leader Opportunities (3 Points Each Per Year)

<i>Example: 2019 Cloverleaf Dance Teen Leader</i>	<i>Example: 2020 Breakfast with Santa</i>
3:	33:
6:	36:
9:	39:
12:	42:
15:	45:
18:	48:
21:	51:
24:	54:
27:	57:
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Area/District Level (5 Points Each Per Year)	
<i>Example:</i> 2020-2021 District Officer	<i>Example:</i> 2019 CloverJam Teen Leader
5:	55:
10:	60:
15:	65:
20:	70:
25:	75:
30:	80:
35:	85:
40:	90:
45:	95:
50:	100:

State Level (10 Points Each Per Year)	
<i>Example:</i> 2019 Georgia National Fair Ambassador	<i>Example:</i> 2020-2021 State 4-H Officer
10:	110:
20:	120:
30:	130:
40:	140:
50:	150:
60:	160:
70:	170:
80:	180:
90:	190:
100:	200:



Regional/National (15 Points Each Per Year)*Example:* 2021 SRTLTC Planning Committee*Example:* 2019 National Congress Design Team

15:

90:

30:

105:

45:

120:

60:

135:

75:

150:

Section B Total Score

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Section C: Community Service

Opportunities listed here must be opportunities where you were participating in/representing 4-H.

Projects Participated In (3 Points Per Project Per Year)	
<i>Example:</i> 2019 Participated in Adopt-A-Highway	<i>Example:</i> 2020 Made Decorations for Local Senior Center
3:	33:
6:	36:
9:	39:
12:	42:
15:	45:
18:	48:
21:	51:
24:	54:
27:	57:
30:	60:



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Projects Led (10 Points Per Project Per Year)*Example:* 2017 Organized 4-H Food Drive*Example:* 2020 Started 4-H Pen Pal Program

10:

110:

20:

120:

30:

130:

40:

140:

50:

150:

60:

160:

70:

170:

80:

180:

90:

190:

100:

200:

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Section D: Events, Conferences, and Program Participation

This section does not include events where serving as a teen leader.

County Level (3 Points Per Event Per Year)	
<i>Example:</i> 2018 Junior Holiday Dance	<i>Example:</i> 2019 Senior 4-H Lock-In
3:	33:
6:	36:
9:	39:
12:	42:
15:	45:
18:	48:
21:	51:
24:	54:
27:	57:
30:	60:

Area/District Level (5 Points Per Event Per Year) Excluding District Project Achievement	
<i>Example:</i> 2018 Southeast District Junior Rally	<i>Example:</i> 2019 4-H20 Camp
5:	55:
10:	60:
15:	65:
20:	70:
25:	75:
30:	80:
35:	85:
40:	90:
45:	95:
50:	100:



State Level (10 Points Per Event Per Year)*Excluding State Council and State Congress*

<i>Example: 2019 Fall Forum</i>	<i>Example: 2019 National Conference Interviewee</i>
10:	110:
20:	120:
30:	130:
40:	140:
50:	150:
60:	160:
70:	170:
80:	180:
90:	190:
100:	200:

Regional/National Level (15 Points Per Event Per Year)

<i>Example: 2019 SRTLC</i>	<i>Example: 2019 National Congress</i>
15:	90:
30:	105:
45:	120:
60:	135:
75:	150:

Section D Total Score

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Section E:

Judging Teams/Educational Competitions

Opportunities listed here must be opportunities where you were participating in/representing 4-H.

County Level (3 Points Per Team Per Year)	
<i>Example:</i> 2019 Poultry Judging Team	<i>Example:</i> 2020 Hippology Team
3:	33:
6:	36:
9:	39:
12:	42:
15:	45:
18:	48:
21:	51:
24:	54:
27:	57:
30:	60:

Area/District Level (5 Points Per Contest Per Year)	
<i>Example:</i> 2019 Area Poultry Judging Contest	<i>Example:</i> 2020 Area CBCJ Contest
5:	55:
10:	60:
15:	65:
20:	70:
25:	75:
30:	80:
35:	85:
40:	90:
45:	95:
50:	100:



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State Level (10 Points Per Contest Per Year)

<i>Example: 2019 State Poultry Judging Contest</i>	<i>Example: 2020 State CBCJ Contest</i>
10:	110:
20:	120:
30:	130:
40:	140:
50:	150:
60:	160:
70:	170:
80:	180:
90:	190:
100:	200:

National Level (15 Points Per Contest Per Year)

<i>Example: 2020 Avian Bowl (Poultry)</i>	<i>Example: 2021 Western National Roundup (CBCJ)</i>
15:	90:
30:	105:
45:	120:
60:	135:
75:	150:

Section E Total Score

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Section F: Project S.A.F.E.

Opportunities listed here must be opportunities where you were participating in/representing 4-H.

County Level (3 Points Per Discipline Per Year)	
<i>Example:</i> 2019 Tift County BB Team	<i>Example:</i> 2020 Grady County Modified Trap Team
3:	33:
6:	36:
9:	39:
12:	42:
15:	45:
18:	48:
21:	51:
24:	54:
27:	57:
30:	60:

Out-of-County/Multi-County Matches (5 Points Per Contest per Discipline Per Year)	
<i>Example:</i> 2018 Modified Trap Qualifier	<i>Example:</i>
5:	55:
10:	60:
15:	65:
20:	70:
25:	75:
30:	80:
35:	85:
40:	90:
45:	95:
50:	100:



State 4-H 22 Rimfire Contest (10 Points Per Year)

10:	30:
20:	40:
50:	60:

State 4-H BB Contest (10 Points Per Year)

10:	30:
20:	

State 4-H Air Pistol Contest (10 Points Per Year)

10:	40:
20:	50:
30:	60:

State 4-H Air Rifle Contest (10 Points Per Year)

10:	40:
20:	50:
30:	60:

State 4-H Indoor Archery Contest (10 Points Per Year)

10:	40:
20:	50:
30:	60:

State Outdoor Archery Contest (10 Points Per Year)

10:	40:
20:	50:
30:	60:



State Modified Trap Contest (10 Points Per Year)

10:	40:
20:	50:
30:	60:

State Trap, Skeet, and Sporting Clays Contest (10 Points Per Year)

10:	40:
20:	50:
30:	60:

National Level (15 Points Per Discipline Per Year)

Example: 2021 4-H Shooting Sports National Championships

15:	45:
30:	60:

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Section G: Livestock Shows

Opportunities listed here must be opportunities where you were participating in/representing 4-H.

County Level (3 Points Per Show Per Year)

Example: 2019 Jackson County 4-H/FFA Show

3:	33:
6:	36:
9:	39:
12:	42:
15:	45:
18:	48:
21:	51:
24:	54:
27:	57:
30:	60:

Out-of-County/Multi-County (5 Points Per Show Per Year)

Example: 2019 Farm Credit Swine Show

Example: 2020 Jackson EMC Beef Show

5:	55:
10:	60:
15:	65:
20:	70:
25:	75:
30:	80:
35:	85:
40:	90:
45:	95:
50:	100:



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Georgia Junior National Livestock Show (10 Points Per Species Per Show Per Year)

<i>Example:</i> 2019 Market Hog	<i>Example:</i> 2020 Market Beef
10:	60:
20:	70:
30:	80:
40:	90:
50:	100:

Georgia National Fair (10 Points Per Species Per Show Per Year)

<i>Example:</i> 2019 Market Lamb	<i>Example:</i> 2020 Market Goat
10:	60:
20:	70:
30:	80:
40:	90:
50:	100:

Regional/National Level (15 Points Per Show Per Year)

<i>Example:</i> 2020 National Junior Angus Show	<i>Example:</i> 2021 North American International Livestock Show
15:	90:
30:	105:
45:	120:
60:	135:
75:	150:

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Section H: Horse Shows

Opportunities listed here must be opportunities where you were participating in/representing 4-H.

County Level (3 Points Per Club/Program Per Year)

Example: 2019 Coweta County 4-H Horse Club

3:	33:
6:	36:
9:	39:
12:	42:
15:	45:
18:	48:
21:	51:
24:	54:
27:	57:
30:	60:

County/Multi-County Shows (5 Points Per Show Per Year)

Example: 2019 Coweta County 4-H Horse Show

Example: 2019 Georgia Quarter Horse Association Novice Show

5:	55:
10:	60:
15:	65:
20:	70:
25:	75:
30:	80:
35:	85:
40:	90:
45:	95:
50:	100:



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State/Regional Horse Show Educational Contests (5 Points Per Contest Per Year)

<i>Example:</i> 2019 Georgia 4-H Horse Drawing Contest	<i>Example:</i> 2018 Georgia 4-H Method Demonstration Contest
5:	55:
10:	60:
15:	65:
20:	70:
25:	75:
30:	80:
35:	85:
40:	90:
45:	95:
50:	100:

Georgia 4-H Horse Show (10 Points Per Division Per Year)

<i>Example:</i> 2019 Stock Seat (Western)	<i>Example:</i> 2018 Saddle Seat (English)
10:	110:
20:	120:
30:	130:
40:	140:
50:	150:
60:	160:
70:	170:
80:	180:
90:	190:
100:	200:



Southern Regional Horse Championship (15 Points Per Show Per Year)

<i>Example:</i> 2020 Southern Regional Horse Championship	<i>Example:</i> 2021 American Quarter Horse Association
15:	60:
30:	75:
45:	90:

Section H Total Score


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GRAND TOTAL:		

Our 4-H Code of Conduct states that we expect 4-H'ers to exhibit positive character and behavior including (but not limited to) trustworthiness, responsibility, respectfulness, caring, citizenship, and fairness. By signing below, you agree that the information provided in this application is both honest and accurate to the best of your knowledge.

 4-H'er Signature

 Date

 Parent/Guardian Signature

 Date

 4-H County Extension Staff Signature

 Date


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