

Butler County 4-H Guidelines for 4-H Key Award

The Farm Credit Associations of Kansas sponsors the Kansas 4-H Key Award. This award is the highest available in the Kansas 4-H Awards program. Members that earn this award have exhibited leadership, citizenship, and responsibility.

The Key Award is an evaluated award. It is evaluated on content, scope, detail, body of work, presentation of the award application. The Key Award is not compared with other members' applications, but it is judged against the standard itself.

The 4-H PDC will evaluate each application in order to determine if the member will be awarded the Key Award. Please keep in mind that the PDC only has your award application to evaluate for the award, use additional pages if needed to express your work in 4-H.

Members need to include explanation of work done including hours, numbers, dollars, etc. Example: Volunteered with Meals on Wheels for 5 years. Delivering 500 meals and donating 150 hours.

Make sure you explain an event or project so that someone who is not familiar with it will know what you have done.

In Community Service (#2-1) - Tell about more than 1 project or kind of work that you completed.

In #10-you can use the same event more than 1 year. Example: Kansas State Fair - 2008-09; Kansas State Fair - 2007-08; Regional 4-H Day - 2007-09.

You may add as many pages as you wish to explain your work (numbers #2-1; #2-2a,b,c,d; #4)