

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY AND AGE CLASSIFICATIONS

General Eligibility

4-H is open to any young person, grades 4th thru 12th or ages 9 to 19, regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, or disability.

Enrollment

A member must be enrolled as a bonafide 4-H member in that county to represent that county in any Region event or activity. A member does not have to be a member of an organized 4-H club, but should have an **up-to-date, completed enrollment card on file in the county 4-H office.**

Reference Date

Unless otherwise specified the reference date for all grade eligibility requirements will be as of **Jan. 1st of the current calender year.**

Age Classifications

Explorer	Grade 4	as of Jan. 1 st of current year
Junior	Grades 5	as of Jan. 1 st of current year
Junior High	Grades 6 thru 8	as of Jan. 1 st of current year
Senior High Level I	Grades 9 and 10	as of Jan. 1 st of current year
Senior High Level II	Grades 11 and 12	as of Jan. 1 st of current year

End of Eligibility

A 4-H member can remain active until December 31st of the calender year following the member's high school graduation, or (if applies) until December 31st of the calender year following the member's 19th birthday.