



THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA
COOPERATIVE EXTENSION
College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences & Family and Consumer Sciences



Georgia 4-H Base Programming

Georgia 4-H Scholarships

Description of Learning Experience:

Georgia 4-H offers to high school seniors who will be enrolled in college in the Fall of their graduation year and former active 4-Hers who are current college students enrolled as Freshmen, Sophomores, or Juniors in college the opportunity to be recognized for outstanding achievement in their 4-H careers through the Georgia 4-H Achievement Scholarship program. The process of building a cumulative portfolio allows a 4-H'er to exercise reflection and expository writing, two skills that are needed to generate a resume in preparation for the workforce. This learning experience affords 4-H'ers the opportunity to master in scholarships recognizing their 4-H career and outstanding accomplishments.

Learning Outcomes:

- Experience development of a cumulative record or resume
- Share main project work
- Utilize real world application of expository writing skills

Georgia Performance Standards

ELA12W1 The student produces writing that establishes an appropriate organizational structure, sets a context and engages the reader, maintains a coherent focus throughout, and signals a satisfying closure.

ELA12W2 The student demonstrates competence in a variety of genres. The student produces expository (informational) writing to explain an idea or concept and/or convey information and ideas from primary and secondary sources accurately and coherently.

ELA12C1 The student demonstrates understanding and control of the rules of the English language, realizing that usage involves the appropriate application of conventions and grammar in both written and spoken formats.

Essential Elements:

Primary: Mastery and Independence

Secondary: Generosity

Mission Mandates:

Mission Mandates are applicable based on the guidelines set forth by the donor and 4-H'ers main project work and areas of interests. Scholarships offered through Georgia 4-H Foundation cover a broad spectrum and align easily with the areas of Science, Engineering and Technology, Citizenship, and Healthy Living.

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4-H helps young people experience: An increased desire to make a difference in their communities - High levels of leadership, self esteem, public speaking, communication and planning skills - Improved School Performance - Motivation to help others - Overall improvement in civic identity and civic engagement.