

Incentives Policy

The purpose of 4-H Incentives is to encourage participation in 4-H events and activities.

- A. All enrolled 4-H members are eligible to earn and use incentive money.
- B. Incentive money may only be used for approved 4-H activities and cannot be redeemed for cash.
- C. Incentive money can be earned for the following:
 - Achievement Application - \$50.00
 - Fashion Revue - \$30.00
 - 4-H Sanctioned Communication Day Contests
 - County participation only - \$10.00
 - County and Area participation - \$20.00
 - County, Area and State participation - \$30.00
 - Wool Festival Drink/Coffee Booth - \$30.00 per shift
- D. 4-H Agent will provide 4-H members with cards detailing incentives earned. It will be the 4-H members' responsibility to keep the cards to redeem. Lost cards will not be re-issued.
- E. Incentive money can be redeemed for the following:
 - State Teen Conference
 - National Teen Conference
 - Teen Summit
 - Middle School Retreat
 - 4-H/Cloverbud Camp
 - Kentucky Volunteer Forum
 - Kentucky 4-H Issues Conference
 - Country Ham Project
 - State 4-H Livestock Judging
 - State 4-H Livestock Shows
 - State 4-H Livestock Skill-a-thon
 - State 4-H Horse Show
 - Other qualifying 4-H events approved, upon request, by Pendleton County 4-H Council
- F. Multiple incentives can be redeemed for each activity.
- G. Incentive money expires at the end of the 4-H fiscal year (September 1 – August 31) in which it was earned.
- H. When making payments for activities, it is the responsibility of the 4-Her to request the use of incentive money. If requesting reimbursement, it is the responsibility of the 4-Her to submit applicable receipts to the Pendleton County 4-H Council Treasurer along with the 4-H Reimbursement/Payment Request Form.
- I. 4-H Agent will keep a record of incentive money earned and used.

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