

Owyhee County 4-H Self-Determined Checklist

Member's Name: _____ 4-H Club: _____

Current Year: 20__ Number of years in Project _____ Age (as of January 1): _____

Age Division (circle one): Intermediate (11-13) Senior (14-18)

Project Information: The Idaho 4-H Self-Determined project option is only available to youth 12-18 years of age. It is designed for members to explore appropriate educational interests in subject areas where either: (1) no Idaho-approved 4-H curriculum exists, or (2) members have completed all levels of the approved curriculum and desire to continue learning about that subject in greater depth. At no time shall it be used to substitute for currently approved Idaho 4-H curriculum. For safety and liability reasons all proposed Self-Determined project plans must be submitted to local Extension 4-H Professional for review and approval before members begin their project. The Extension 4-H Professional may require plan modifications and/or deny approval of the proposed plan if they foresee potential safety issues or if it does not comply with the parameters set forth above. Because of inherent risk management issues, Self-Determined Projects related to the 4-H Shooting Sports program are not permitted under any circumstances.

See "Idaho 4-H Project Requirements Handbook" for more information about state requirements for this project. Submit this checklist annually with your record book. This page will be new each year.

√	Requirement	Details	Date Completed	Leader Initials
	Enroll in 4-H and pay necessary dues.	Enroll at https://4h.zsuite.org/ & pay enrollment fee to your 4-H leader before March 1.		
	Attend six or more club/project meetings.	Each member must attend six or more meetings to be eligible to participate in Fair.		
	Complete a community service project.	The project must be completed in Owyhee County.		
	Complete annual ethics training.	Each member must complete an ethics activity each year.		
	Give an oral presentation related to <u>this</u> project area.	Must be completed at a <input type="checkbox"/> Club or <input type="checkbox"/> County level. Topic: _____		
	Complete an Involvement Report.	Submit via ZSuite before Fair.		
	Submit Fair entries.	Entries are open June 15-July 15. Entries are required to exhibit at Fair. Late entries will not be accepted.		
	Complete this Checklist and submit to your leader before Fair.	Must be signed by member, parent, and leader to be considered complete.		
	Complete planning process.	Fully complete the planning process outlined on pages 1-10 of the manual.		
	Submit your plan.	Submit your fully planned project to the Extension Office and work with staff to obtain approval to proceed with your project.		
	Complete activities.	Complete required activities in the You Decide! Decision Making Guide for Self-Determined Projects manual.		
	Prepare project report.	Complete the project report on pages 13-14 of the manual.		

I agree that the above requirements have been satisfactorily completed:

Member Signature _____

Date _____

Parent Signature _____

Date _____

Leader Name _____

Leader Signature _____

Date _____