

FYI: 4-H Club Membership Policy

- Youth who are five through eight years of age on or before January 1st of the current 4-H year and enrolled in kindergarten through second grade should be enrolled as a 4-H Cloverbud member.
- A regular 4-H member is a youth who is at least eight years of age by January 1st of the current 4-H Year and in the third grade or higher may be enrolled as a 4-H Member.
- Youth who have reached their nineteenth birthday before January 1st of the current 4-H year may not enroll as a 4-H Member.
- Persons considered to be mentally challenged may participate fully in 4-H Programs as long as their mental age is determined to fall between five and nineteen years of age.
- The New York State 4-H Club year runs from October 1st to September 30th.
- Any person, regardless of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, ancestry, marital status, familial status, sexual orientation or disability may enroll as a 4-H member.