



4-H Projects and You!

Step 1

Fill out a 4-H enrollment card and sign up for the 4-H Cloverbud project. Discuss with your parents (or guardians) if you should order the 4-H Activity sheets or packet. These can help you explore many of the 4-H projects. Your leader can help you order them.

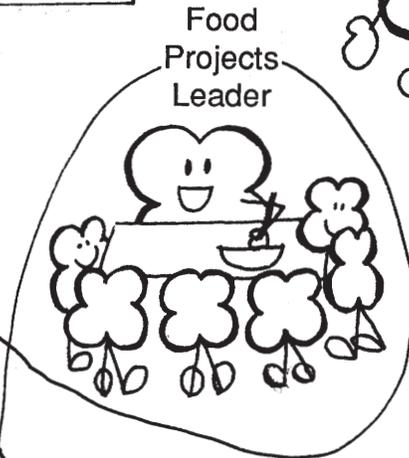
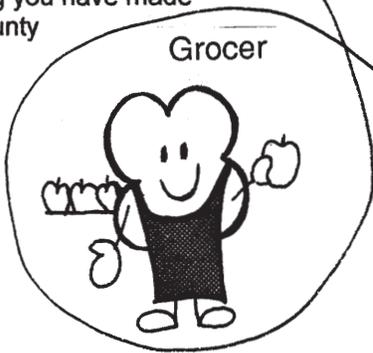
Step 2

Look through the Activity sheets or packet to see what you can learn about or talk to 4-H members in your club to find out what they are learning through their 4-H projects.

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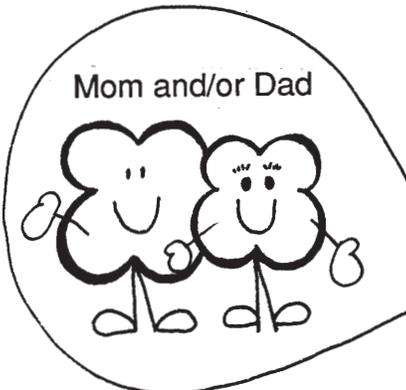
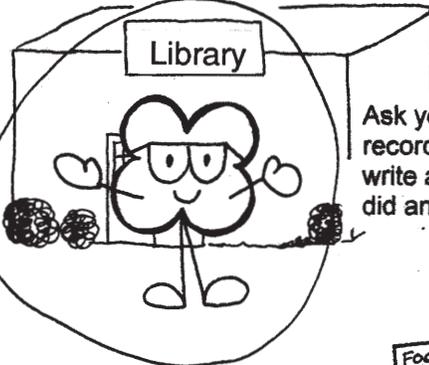


Each summer you can bring something you have made to the County Fair that shows what you learned.



Step 3

Ask your leader for a special 4-H Cloverbud record which gives you lots of space to write about or draw pictures of what you did and learned in 4-H during the 4-H year.



Step 4

Ask yourself, what interests you? What do you want to learn? Who can help you? Decide what you want to do.



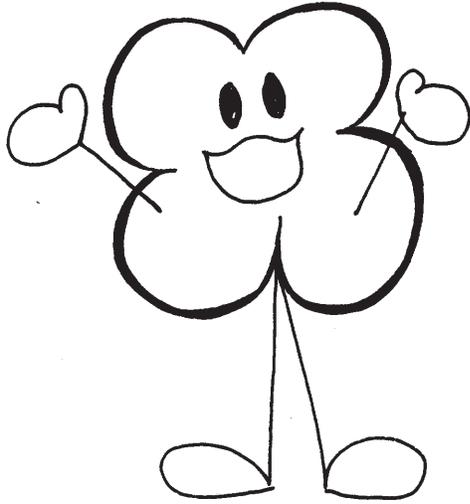
Words have been hidden in the puzzle.

Can you find:

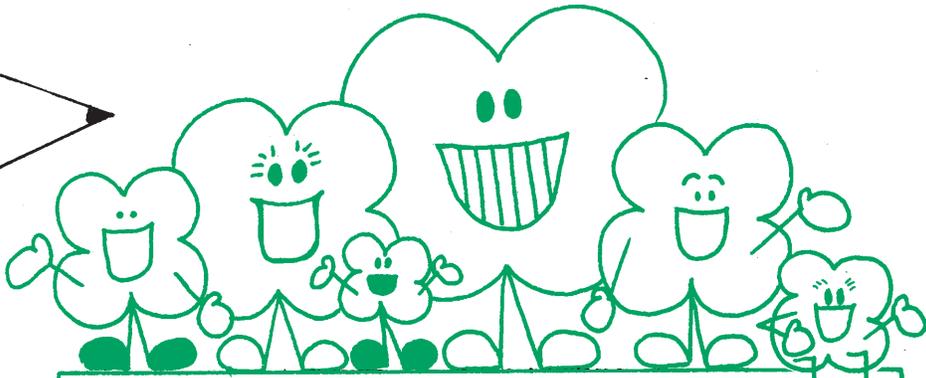
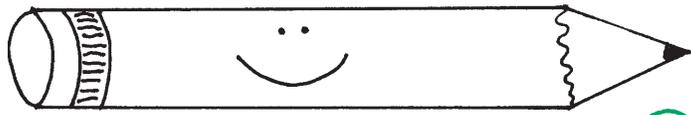
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Here is some fun for you!

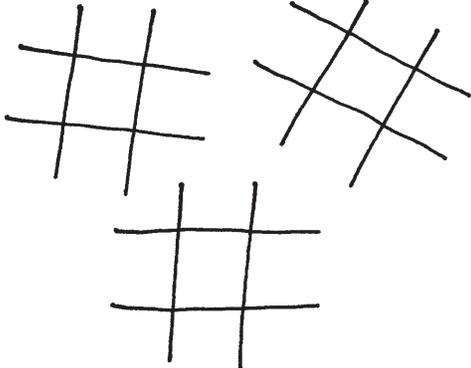


I can help!

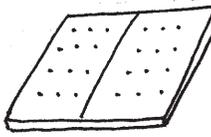


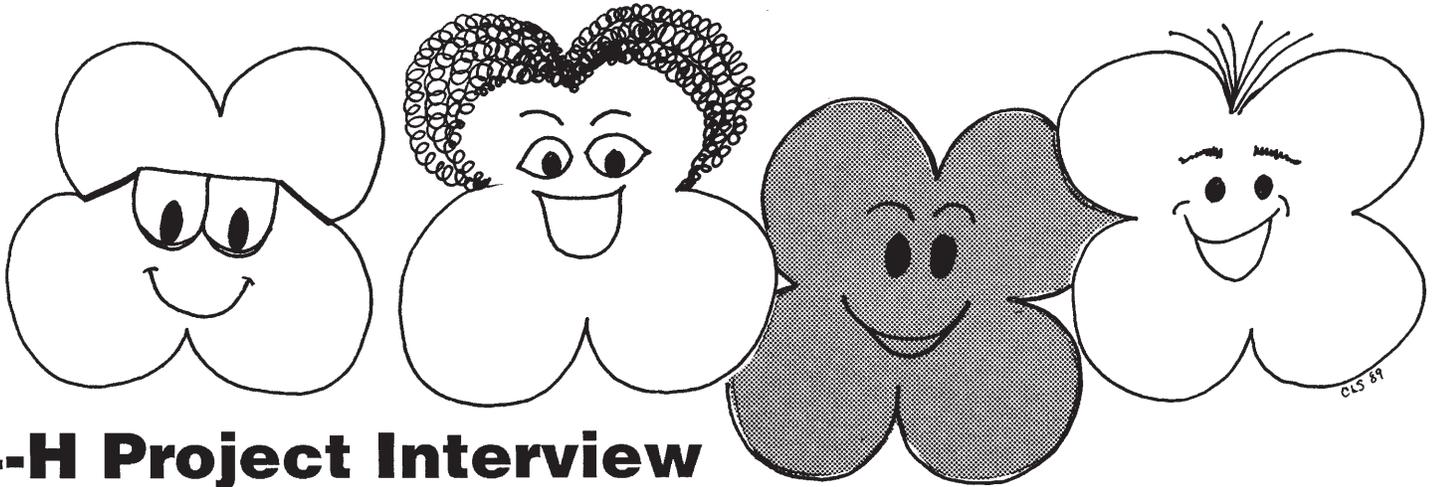
Backwards Tic Tac Toe

Try NOT to get three X's in a row. Try to get the other person to end up with three X's in a row.



4-H Super Snack-Fruit Pizza!

<p><i>Step 1.</i></p>  <p>Ask your parents to buy graham crackers.</p>	<p><i>Step 2.</i></p>  <p>Spread yogurt on the cracker (any flavor).</p>	<p><i>Step 3.</i></p>  <p>Add small pieces of fruit on the yogurt, like bananas, grapes, apples, oranges OR mix them together.</p>
<p> Step 4. Eat!</p>		



4-H Project Interview

Draw, photograph, or get a picture from 4-H members in your club.... The more the better. Interview each member and list their answers on this form. (You can make more copies).

***IDEA!!! If all the members in your club interviewed another member you could put the pages together and make a club book.

My Friend's Name: _____

4-H projects he/she has enrolled in: _____

My friend's favorite 4-H project: _____

What my friend likes about this project:

Something special my friend has learned from this project: _____

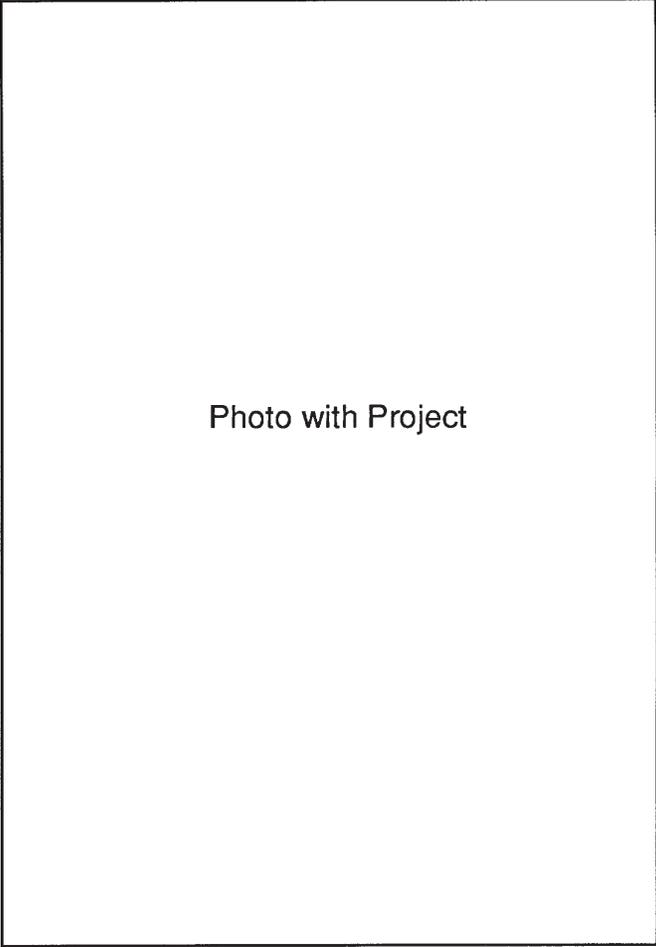
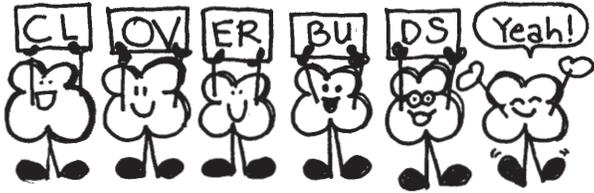


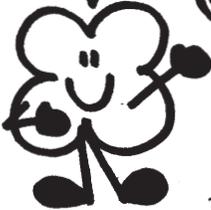
Photo with Project

Friend's Autograph

Date



Wow! There is so much to learn in 4-H!



on sale
\$29.99
\$14.99

What are 10 of the most popular 4-H projects?

(The drawing above gives you lots of clues!)

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- * _____
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Can you find these items hidden in the picture above?

- diamond ring
- raindrop
- eye and lashes
- donut
- double heart
- book
- eye glasses
- bug
- small letter "m"

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*Answers to the
 10 most popular
 4-H projects.*

- * Photography
- * Crafts and Fine Arts
- * Food and Nutrition
- * Shop (wood and metal)
- * Self-determined
- * Clothing and
- * Textiles
- * Horse
- * Cloverbuds
- * Flower Gardening
- * Shooting Sports/
 Wildlife Management

Where are the hidden items?

Ring is on the plate, eye and lashes is on the camera, double heart is by the word "vitamin E", eye glasses is on the clover guy holding the "DS" sign, small letter "m" is on the bush, raindrop is on the wood board, donut is on the sewing machine, book is on the quilt, bug is in the tree leaves.

Did you figure out all the projects?

- Note to Parents -

We realize as you join 4-H there is a whole new vocabulary to learn. This issue focuses on **4-H projects**, but what are they? 4-H projects have always been the backbone of learning in the 4-H program. Projects are "topics of interest" which cover a wide range of subjects such as arts and crafts, woodworking, pets, foods, the environment, sewing and many more. When younger youth sign up for Cloverbuds, the materials encourage them to explore a basic level of different projects areas. Then when they become regular 4-H members (about grade 3) they will know what projects they want to explore further and learn more about. A **4-H record** is a form to help the member keep track of what they have learned. Your role is to help guide, support and encourage your child in their project exploration. 4-H projects help you and your child learn together.