

# 2024 Project Completion Guidelines

## Family Life

### General Requirements

- Member must participate in Project Interviews (Judging Day or Early Interviews) with a complete project book for the project to be considered completed for the 4-H year.
- Member must participate in a Project Interview during Judging Day to be eligible to be considered for Ohio State Fair Selection.
- Member must display a representation of their project in their 4-H club fair booth.
- All members should be prepared to know general 4-H information.

### Meigs County Family Life Projects Completion Requirements

#### Discovering 4-H (No State Fair Event)

1. All activities in 9 interest areas.
2. Project summary.
3. Bring to judging:
  - a. Completed project book.
  - b. A display representing the learning experience of the project.
    - i. Limit the size to what you can maneuver on your own.
    - ii. The display does not need to be a tri-fold display board.

#### 4-H Around the Globe

1. All 7 activities and Talking It Over questions.
2. At least two learning experiences.
3. At least two leadership/citizenship activities.
4. Project summary and project review.
5. Bring to judging:
  - a. Completed project book.
  - b. Other project records to show the results of your work and to help explain your project accomplishments.
  - c. Choose one of the following:
    - i. One photo album (maximum size 12"x18"x5") **OR**
    - ii. One portfolio/box (maximum size 24"x24"x24").
    - iii. One poster (maximum size 24"x36") (may be a standard-sized science fair tri-fold poster)

**Family History Treasure Hunt (Use the same book 1-6 years)**

1. All 4 steps in What to Do, depending on number of years project is taken.
2. At least 1 other learning experience.
3. At least 1 leadership/citizenship activity.
4. Project review and records.
5. Do **NOT** bring the following to judging:
  - a. Computers, tablets, cell phones, other electronic devices, displays, exhibit, posters, e-posters, videos/dvd/movies, tape/digital recorder, framed photos, photo albums, scrapbooks, family heirlooms, artifacts, knick knacks, file box/drawer (most everything should be included in 3-ring notebook).
6. Bring to judging:
  - a. Completed project book.
  - b. Research Journal (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year participants only).
  - c. Treasure Hunter's Kit (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year participants only).
  - d. One 3-ring notebook (items applicable to present year's project only) including the following:
    - Annual essay
    - Pedigree Chart
    - Individual Data Sheets
    - Family Group Sheets
    - Correspondence Log (may be included in Research Journal for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year participants)
    - Research Plan
    - Copies or scanned images of supporting documents (birth, marriage, death records, obituaries, church records, military records, court records). Supporting documents should include source citations.

**Becoming Money Wise****\*Use the same book 1-2 years\* - Level I**

1. All 11 Making \$ense and all 5 Money Talk activities.
2. As many additional More Making \$ense activities as you wish.
3. 2 organized activities.
4. At least 2 leadership/citizenship activities
5. Bring to judging:
  - a. A pencil.
  - b. Completed project book.
  - c. Other project records to show the results of your work and to help explain your project accomplishments.
  - d. Choose one:
    - i. One photo album (maximum size 12"x18"x5") **OR**
    - ii. One portfolio/box (maximum size 24"x24"x24").
    - iii. One poster (maximum size 24"x36") (may be a standard-sized science fair tri-fold poster)

**Becoming Money Wise****\*Use the same book 1-2 years\* - Level II**

1. All 12 Resource \$ense and 3 Resource Talk activities.
2. As many additional More Resource \$ense activities as you wish.
3. 2 organized activities.
4. At least 2 leadership/citizenship activities
5. A money journal.
6. Bring to judging:
  - a. Completed project book.
  - b. Other project records to show the results of your work and to help explain your project accomplishments.
  - c. Choose one:
    - i. One photo album (maximum size 12"x18"x5") **OR**
    - ii. One portfolio/box (maximum size 24"x24"x24").
    - iii. One poster (maximum size 24"x36") (may be a standard-sized science fair tri-fold poster)

**Teens...On the Road to Financial Success****\*Use the same book 1-2 years\***

1. All 11 activities for Year 1 and for Year 2
2. At least 2 organized activities.
3. At least 2 leadership/citizenship activities
4. Bring to judging:
  - a. A pencil.
  - b. Completed project book.
  - c. Other project records to show the results of your work and to help explain your project accomplishments.
  - d. Chose one:
    - i. One photo album (maximum size 12"x18"x5") **OR**
    - ii. One portfolio/box (maximum size 24"x24"x24").
    - iii. One poster (maximum size 24"x36") (may be a standard-sized science fair tri-fold poster)

**Ohio State Fair Exhibition Day – Family Life Day**

- Selections for the Ohio State Fair will be made during the Meigs County Judging Day and based on Meigs County Project Completion Requirements.
- Not everyone who wins first or second place will be eligible for Ohio State Fair selection. This is based on the judge's decision.