Michigan 4-H State Awards Group Application

Group Name: ________________________________________________________________

County(s) where group members are enrolled: ________________________________

Group Biography

Summary about your group and your group’s 4-H involvement. This summary will be used during the State 4-H Awards Recognition Program (Maximum 200 words).

Approval of Application

A copy of your application will be emailed to your county’s 4-H program coordinator and your 4-H leader to verify accuracy. Enter their information below.

4-H Program Coordinator’s Name: ________________________________

4-H Program Coordinator’s Email: ________________________________

4-H Leader’s Name: ________________________________

4-H Leader’s Email: ________________________________
Group Representatives

Each group application may have 2-5 representatives who complete the application on behalf of the group and represent the group during the State Awards Program during 4-H Exploration Days. Please list your group’s representatives below.

Note: Any member who has been a representative of any group that has won a 4-H State Award in the Group category in the past may not compete as a representative in the Group category again.

1. Name: ______________________________________________________
   Address: __________________________________________________________________
   City: ___________________________ State: ______ Zip: ______________
   Home Phone: (______)___________________ Gender: ___ Male ___ Female
   Email address: ___________________________________________________________
   County (where you are enrolled): ______________________ Years in 4-H: ______
   Grade in School: ______ Age (as of January 1, 2017): ______ Birth date: ______

2. Name: _________________________________________________________
   Address: __________________________________________________________________
   City: ___________________________ State: ______ Zip: ______________
   Home Phone: (______)___________________ Gender: ___ Male ___ Female
   Email address: ___________________________________________________________
   County (where you are enrolled): ______________________ Years in 4-H: ______
   Grade in School: ______ Age (as of January 1, 2017): ______ Birth date: ______
3. Name: _______________________________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________________________________
City: __________________________ State: _______ Zip: ______________
Home Phone: (______)___________________ Gender: ___ Male ___ Female
Email address: ______________________________________________________________
County (where you are enrolled): _______________________ Years in 4-H: ______
Grade in School: ______ Age (as of January 1, 2017): ______ Birth date: __________

4. Name: _______________________________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________________________________
City: __________________________ State: _______ Zip: ______________
Home Phone: (______)___________________ Gender: ___ Male ___ Female
Email address: ______________________________________________________________
County (where you are enrolled): _______________________ Years in 4-H: ______
Grade in School: ______ Age (as of January 1, 2017): ______ Birth date: __________

5. Name: _______________________________________________________________
Address: ___________________________________________________________________
City: __________________________ State: _______ Zip: ______________
Home Phone: (______)___________________ Gender: ___ Male ___ Female
Email address: ______________________________________________________________
County (where you are enrolled): _______________________ Years in 4-H: ______
Grade in School: ______ Age (as of January 1, 2017): ______ Birth date: __________
Cover Letter (Maximum 500 words):

4-H Story (See Overview and Instructions document for directions to write your story. Maximum 2,000 words total parts 1,2,3 and 4; 300 words for each representative part 5)
For the following questions, include only information that relates to the 4-H award area for which you wish to be recognized. Groups should answer the application questions from a group perspective unless otherwise noted; with emphasis on skill development in a group dynamic. See Overview and Instructions document for examples. Limit your response to no more than 500 words for each question unless otherwise noted.

1. Choose four life skills from the diagram (one from each of Head, Heart, Hands, and Health) and describe how your group has developed each life skill through your 4-H group experience.

2. Describe how your group has applied any life skill (from the diagram) in your 4-H experience.

3. Each representative of your group (300 words for each representative)—Describe how you have or will apply skills learned in a team setting to a life situation outside of 4-H.

4. Identify up to four areas of content knowledge your group learned in your 4-H project and describe what you have learned and how you learned it.

5. Each representative of your group (300 words for each representative)—Identify one 4-H leadership experience you have had and describe its significance to your personal growth and development.

6. Identify up to three 4-H citizenship and/or community service experiences your group has had and describe their significance to you, your group, or your community.