



Project Animal Certification Form

Please print. Please complete all blanks.

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

Age (as of Jan. 1st): _____ **Include ALL animals you may want to show during Fair. You can only choose from animals on this list when entering Fair animal shows.**

How many of each animal do you **expect** to bring to Fair?

Alpaca/Llama: _____ Cat: _____ Dog: _____ Horse: _____ Rabbit: _____
 Beef: _____ Dairy Cattle: _____ Goat: _____ Poultry: _____ Swine: _____
 Other: _____

Table Code:

Species: **A**=Alpaca, **B**=Beef, **C**=Cat, **D**=Dairy Cattle, **X**= Dog, **G**=Goat, **H**=Horse, **L**=Llama, **P**=Poultry, **R**=Rabbit, **S**=Swine, or **O**=Other: ____

Sex: **F**=Female or **M**=Male

L = Leased Animal or **P** = Personal/Family Animal

Animal Name	Species	Age	Sex	Color	L or P	Owner's Name <i>(if leased)</i>	Breed	Tattoo /Tag #	Registered # <i>(if applicable)</i>	Height (Horse)

DUE MAY 15

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NEW YORK YOUTH LIVESTOCK NON-OWNERSHIP POLICY

The exhibitor, upon request to the event sponsor, shall provide proof of ownership of any exhibit.

This certificate **verifies that a 4-H member in New York and the owner of the animal have entered an agreement.** A lease agreement allows a 4-H member to use the specified animal as a 4-H project.

Cornell Cooperative Extension (CCE) encourages the use of written lease agreements; however, it is the responsibility of the owner and exhibitor to agree upon the lease terms. Neither CCE nor Cornell University is legally involved in writing, implementing or terminating any lease agreements.

The following bill was legally adopted by the NYS Department of Agriculture & Markets July 1987.

*Exhibits shall have been owned by the exhibitor for a period of at least (30) days prior to the entry of the exhibit provided, however, that any animal exhibit entered in a youth fair, youth exhibition or 4-H show or exhibition shall have been **in the care of the exhibitor** for a period of **at least (60) days** prior to entry of the exhibit.*

CCE staff and state program administrators have maintained the following philosophy since 1987.

*Non-owner/lease opportunities are intended for youth who do not already own an animal of this species type. For State Fair exhibition purposes, **youth are limited to one non-owned** breeding class animal of each species type.*

For County exhibition purposes, a youth who does not own an animal may lease an unlimited number of animal exhibits. A youth who owns animals can work with leased animal exhibits in a 1:1 ratio (for example, 1 owned, 1 leased, etc). See Fair Book for specific entry limits for each species.