

# **Cloverbud Record Book Instructions**

**DO NOT INCLUDE THESE INSTRUCTION PAGES WITH YOUR FINISHED RECORD BOOK**

- 1. Please complete these pages\***
- 2. Place them in a binder**
- 3. Return them to your club leaders for review by the due date they set (usually in August)**

## **\*Notes:**

- Your child may fill them out on the computer and then print or you may print them off and complete by hand, but the physical act of writing or drawing is especially important at this developmental stage.**
- The Cloverbud may draw pictures or write words. They may narrate and someone may write the words down.**

**We encourage filling out record books for the following reasons:**

- It teaches life skills of good record keeping.**
- Encourages reflection on the year which enhances project learning.**
- After 5<sup>th</sup> grade, record books are necessary to receive county awards**

# CLOVERBUDS

## Record Book

Hi, my name is \_\_\_\_\_.

I am a member of the \_\_\_\_\_ 4-H Club.

This is my \_\_\_\_\_ year in 4-H.

I am \_\_\_\_\_ years old and in the \_\_\_\_\_ grade.

In my free time I like to \_\_\_\_\_,

I have \_\_\_\_\_ people in my family. I hope you enjoy my record book.

Attach a picture of you,  
here.

# The 4-H emblem is:

A green four-leaf clover with  
The letter “H” on each leaf is  
The emblem. Each “H” stands  
for a part of the pledge—

Head,  
Heart,  
Hands,  
Health



# The 4-H colors are:

*Green and White.*

Green symbolizes nature’s most common color.

White symbolizes purity.

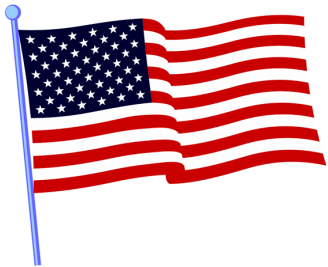
# The 4-H motto is:

*“To Make the Best Better”*

This motto challenges everyone involved in 4-H to  
do the very best job they can.

# Flag Pledges

## *The American Flag Pledge:*



“I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.”

*(When repeating the pledge, your right hand should be placed over your heart, which is on the left side of your body.)*

## *The National 4-H Pledge:*



## I Pledge:



*(Right hand over heart)*

**My Head** to clearer thinking

**My Heart** to greater loyalty

**My Hands** to larger service, and

**My Heath** to better living for my club,  
my community, my country,  
and my world.



*(Right hand point to forehead)*



*(Arms slightly bent with palms up)*



*(Arms at sides)*

# THINGS WE DID THIS YEAR

LIST CLUB ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS YOU PARTICIPATED IN THIS YEAR.

**September:** \_\_\_\_\_

**October:** \_\_\_\_\_

**November:** \_\_\_\_\_

**December:** \_\_\_\_\_

**January:** \_\_\_\_\_

**February:** \_\_\_\_\_

**March:** \_\_\_\_\_

**April:** \_\_\_\_\_

**May:** \_\_\_\_\_

**June:** \_\_\_\_\_

**July:** \_\_\_\_\_

**August:** \_\_\_\_\_

# ***My 4-H Projects:***

Clippings/Photos/Drawings  
about things I made.

What I learned while doing this was: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

What I like best about this item was: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Did you exhibit this at:

County Fair                      Yes \_\_\_\_\_

Club Tour or Meeting            Yes \_\_\_\_\_

Other public event                Yes \_\_\_\_\_

# Next year I want to learn about:

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## Voice of the Parent/Guardian:

(This is your point of view of how your child's 4-H year went.)

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Member signature

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Parent signature