



Broadwater County 4-H & FFA Market Livestock Requirements



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Please submit one form per market livestock species **along with supporting books and documentation** by Fair Entry deadline to the Extension Office or Ag Teacher. **See following instructions for details on qualifying points.**

Name: _____

Project: _____

Indicate the number of points in each section. A total of 7 points is required.

1. _____ 4-H Project Book (maximum of 7 points).
2. _____ Presentations Outside of 4-H or FFA (maximum of 4 points)
3. _____ Educational Workshops, Seminars or Conferences (maximum of 4 points)
4. _____ Livestock or Meats Judgings (maximum of 3 points)
5. _____ Shows Outside of the County (maximum of 3 points)
6. _____ Help a new or younger members (maximum of 3 points)
7. _____ Organize a Workshop (maximum of 4 points)
8. _____ Classroom Instruction (maximum of 4 points)

_____ **TOTAL POINTS (7 points required)**

Don't forget to turn in supporting documentation with your record book! This means (as an example) if you attending a project workshop, that you must turn in a paragraph sharing the details of the event and what you learned. Details of what to submit are included in the attached instructions.

Requirement Details

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1. 4-H Project Book

- Each activity is worth 1 point with a maximum of 7 points possible.
- Each activity or “more challenge” counts as one activity.
- All activities must be fully complete and signed off by the helper.

2. Outside presentations

- Each presentation is a worth 1 point with a maximum of 4 points possible.
- Presentations must pertain to the project that the member is enrolled in and must be presented at a level higher than the 4-H club or FFA chapter.
- Examples are school science fair projects, speeches or demonstrations given at the county or state level or presentations given to trade or breed associations.
- *Members must write a paragraph about each presentation and turn it in for review.*

3. Attend a workshop or conference.

- Each workshop or conference is worth 1 point with a maximum of 4 points possible.
- Workshops must pertain to the project area.
- Examples are quality assurance workshops, project meetings, showmanship clinics, Stockgrowers, Montana Pork Producers’, Rancher Roundtable Classes, workshops put on by feed or pharmaceutical companies, or Webinars pertaining to the project area. If there is a question about the workshop qualifying for this area please get it preapproved by the Livestock Committee, Extension Agent or Ag Teacher.
- *Members must write about each workshop explaining place, time, who put on the workshop, and what they learned. This must then be turned in for review.*

4. Livestock or Meats Judging

- Each contest that the member participates in is worth 1 point with a maximum of 3 points for the year.
- *Members must write a paragraph for each event explaining place, date, what they learned, and summarize how they did and learned.*

5. Shows outside of the county.

- Each show is worth 1 point with a maximum of 3 points per year.
- *Members must write a paragraph for each event explaining place, date, what they learned, and summarize how they did.*

6. Help a new member.

- Helping a new member is worth 1 point with a maximum of 3 points.
- Older members are encouraged to help younger members get started in the market livestock projects.

- Leaders can help pair members up for this project.
- The younger member cannot be a sibling.
- Members will earn 1 point for every 2 Hours they spend with the younger member
- *Member must write a paper outlining their experience and what they learned.*

7. Put on a workshop

- Putting on a workshop is worth 2 points.
- Workshops must:
 - a. Be open to all members in the county
 - b. Be preapproved by Extension Office
 - c. Be attended by at least two members and be a minimum of 1 hour.
- *Members must write a paragraph explaining their workshop and what they learned throughout the process.*

8. Classroom Instruction

- Members can use Ag Class as points towards project requirements. Ag Class points can apply to both 4-H and FFA projects.
- Each semester of Ag Ed Instruction is worth 2 points.
- Classes must have units that are directly related to the student's project area. Classes such as Wildlife Management and Natural Resources cannot be included as they don't related to the project area.
- *Students must write a paragraph about what units applied to their project and what they learned.*
- Points cannot be "double-dipped". A student cannot use the same semester of instruction for both a beef and a hog project.