

Lincoln Livestock Program
Commitment to Excellence

1. The purpose of my participation in the Lincoln County 4-H Livestock Program is to strengthen my own knowledge, ability and skill as a feeder, manager, and exhibitor of livestock and to develop my sense of responsibility and good character. My goal as a food producer is to produce safe and wholesome food.
2. I will do my own project work to the best of my ability.
3. I will not use or allow to be used abusive, fraudulent, or illegal practices in the feeding, care, fitting, and/or showing of my livestock.
4. I will not misrepresent my livestock or myself in any way.
5. I will read, understand and follow the rules, without exception, of all livestock shows in which I am a participant and ask that my parents and my 4-H leader do the same.
6. My livestock project is an example of how to accept what life has to offer, both good and bad, and how to live with the outcome. I will treat other people's livestock with the same respect and care I give my own livestock.
7. I realize that I am responsible for the proper care and safe, humane treatment of my livestock. I realize that I am also responsible for demonstrating strong moral fiber and good character as an example to others.
8. I accept that failure to uphold this commitment could result in forfeiture of my right to participate in the 4-H livestock project.

Project Member/Exhibitor

Date

I have read, understand and will support this youngster's commitment.

Parent/Guardian

Date

4-H Leader

Date