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## **DIVISION: CLOVERBUD**

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The following class is only open to official members of the Cloverbud program that are between the ages of 5 and 7 years as of September 1, 2024. Cloverbud exhibits will be reviewed on **Thursday, July 10.**

1. 4-H Cloverbud group should check in during the group's appointment time on Thursday, July 10 at the DeKalb County Farm Bureau Building.
2. Each Cloverbud group will be make an appointment to share with the judge what they learned in Cloverbuds this year. The 4-H Cloverbud Group leader may be present with the 4-H Cloverbud members as they share their experiences with the designated adult representative present. 4-H Cloverbud members should be prepared to discuss what they learned. This is a non-competitive sharing experience.
3. 4-H Cloverbuds is a non-premium class. 4-H Cloverbud participation ribbons will be awarded to each member of the group.
4. All Cloverbud displays can stay on display until Monday, July 14.
5. The 4-H Cloverbuds class is for youth 5-7 as of September 1, 2024, enrolled in a DeKalb County 4-H Cloverbud group. Enrollment in a 4-H Cloverbud group must have been made on or before April 15, 2025, to be eligible to participate in this division. 4-H Cloverbud members must be enrolled in the Cloverbud Project.
6. A date for the Cloverbud Graduation and Ice Cream Social will be announced in June. This ceremony will recognize those Cloverbud members completing their final year in the Cloverbud program before moving up to the traditional 4-H program. All graduating Cloverbud members are encouraged to be present.

### **\*4-H CLOVERBUDS**

4-H Cloverbud Groups should prepare a display of one or more activities made or conducted from the 4-H Cloverbud curriculum. The display may be prepared jointly as a group or by individual 4-H Cloverbud members. All 4-H Cloverbud members are encouraged to be present at the time of sharing along with the contact leader.

**\* Indicates ineligibility for State Fair – County project only**