

Bladen County Extension Intern

Location: Bladen County

Program Areas: Agriculture & 4-H

Project Title: Agriculture & 4-H Youth Development Intern

Immediate/Site Supervisor: Becky Spearman

Other mentors/supervisors: Stacie Kinlaw, Bruce McLean, Horticulture Agent

Position Description/Responsibilities:

The intern will get a broad learning experience in a variety of Extension programs. The intern will assist with field plot work in row crops and forages. They will help with 4-H summer programming and the 4-H youth livestock program.

The intern will assist with all areas of agriculture in helping with articles, blogs, social media, videos and educational program planning. The intern will be able to build their job skills by learning multiple areas and doing multiple jobs - planning, marketing, carrying out, evaluation, etc.

Preferred qualifications/previous coursework:

- Self-starter who wants to get a good feel for all the areas available in Extension work
- Ability to work with various age groups
- Computer skills a plus
- A candidate with a strong science background would be beneficial

Benefits/skills student will gain through this internship:

- Learn all areas of Extension and assist in program planning, development and carrying it out
- Have the ability to develop programs that are individualized project success
- Will be a team player and be in charge of organizing their schedule with agent input to meet their projected outcomes
- Will gain marketing skills.