

Rowan County Extension Intern

Location: Rowan County

Program Area: 4-H

Project Title: 4-H Summer Intern

Immediate/Site Supervisor: Laura Allen

Other mentors/supervisors: Amy-Lynn Albertson, Toi Degree, Morgan Watts, Michael Fine

Position Description/Responsibilities:

The Rowan County 4-H Summer Intern will be immersed in the 4-H program and will be involved in other programs, events, and duties conducted by Rowan County Cooperative Extension.

Intended outcomes include:

1. Youth development experience attained through the planning and facilitation of 4-H Summer Fun activities available for Rowan County youth.
2. Assist in the development of a demonstration "market" garden, and on farm trials for corn and tomatoes.
3. Experience in all aspects of an Extension agent's job, including: program planning & implementation (4-H, agriculture, family & consumer science), marketing, organization, record keeping, networking.

Additional Information:

Rowan County Cooperative Extension has a ton of great things happening this summer! We are fully staffed with Extension agents who work well together, plan great programs and have fun along the way. A summer intern in our office would be able to learn about being a 4-H agent, but would also have opportunities to work with the other program areas. Our intern will leave with a wealth of knowledge and experience to prepare them for their future endeavors.

Preferred qualifications/previous coursework:

- Strong work ethic
- Positive attitude
- Should enjoy working with youth ages 5-18

Benefits/skills student will gain through this internship:

- Experience working with youth ages 5-18
- Program planning
- Program implementation
- Teaching/facilitating programs and meetings
- 4-H competition training
- Organization
- Networking
- Marketing/advertisement
- Fundraising
- Office skills
- Written skills (newspaper articles, flyers, newsletters)
- Customer service