

## Cumberland County Extension Intern

**Location:** Cumberland County

**Program Area:** 4-H Youth Development

**Immediate/Site Supervisor:** Lisa Childers

**Other Mentors and Supervisors:** Jessica Drake

### Position

#### Description/Responsibilities:

4-H is the largest youth-serving organization in the nation. We serve youth ages 5-18 with programs varying from animal science to robotics. The intern will be responsible for assisting the 4-H agent in Summer Fun programming.

Program implementation will include conducting assessments, facilitation/co-facilitation, and lesson planning.

The intent of this internship is to give the recipient a full experience of working with Extension.

Along with their assignments with 4-H duties, interns will have the opportunity to work with agents in other disciplines including livestock, crops, and Family and Consumer Sciences.

#### Preferred qualifications/previous coursework:

- Preferred experience working with youth, nonformal education facilitation, working understanding or coursework in youth development, & basic understanding of family and consumer sciences.
- Basic computer skills and effective communication skills (both written and spoken).
- Willingness to learn and engage with program participants and county agents. Teamwork is an integral part of all of our programs.
- Adaptability, flexibility, and accountability

#### Benefits/skills student will gain through this internship:

- Interns will gain insight and experience in all aspects of Cooperative Extension.
- Although primary responsibilities will be in 4-H and youth development, interns will be able to shadow and perform projects in other areas of Extension to include agriculture and family and consumer sciences.
- Students will leave their internship having gained experience in public speaking, professional development, working understanding of Extension, and program planning and implementation.