



Enroll in ZSuite Under this Project Name: AVS-SHEEP-Market

Approved for 2024-25 Project Year

Project Description: Own and care for one or more wethers or ewes for market, exhibiting and selling at the fair.

REQUIRED YOUTH CURRICULUM

[4-H Animal Science Skills Checklist](#)

[ZSuite 4-H Involvement Report](#)

[ZSuite 4-H Project Record Book](#)

REQUIRED VOLUNTEER CLUB LEADER CURRICULUM

[Sheep Resource Handbook for Market and Breeding Projects](#) (OH #194R), 2011

[4-H Animal Science Lessons](#)

[4-H Animal Science Lesson Plan Tracker](#)

SUPPLEMENTAL RESOURCES

[Market Animal Health Supplement](#)

[Market Animal Weight Guidelines](#)

[Market Lamb Planning Sheet](#)

[Market Lamb Growth Chart](#) (#72130)

[Beef, Sheep and Swine Selection and Evaluation](#)

[Idaho 4-H Livestock Cost & Return Estimates – Market Sheep Project](#) (#72895)

[Sheep Showmanship Video](#) (#72898)

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PROJECT COMPLETION CHECKLIST

STATE REQUIREMENTS	
	Choose at least one wether or ewe for your Market Lamb project.
	Comply with current USDA Scrapie requirements.
	Provide one or more forms of positive ownership (70 days) for each project animal. Contact your local Extension office for exact forms and deadlines.
	Weigh and provide primary care for all animals on a uniform county feeding period for a minimum of 60 days.
	Individually identify each animal with an ear tag, tattoo or ear notch.
	Provide appropriate documentation including, a bill of sale and a COOL (Country of Origin Labeling) document to meet the federal requirements of COOL. Check with local Extension Office for exact forms required and the deadline for turning in those forms.
	Complete 5 Animal Science lessons/activities, gain at least 5 news skills per year from the Idaho 4-H Animal Science Skills Checklist. One must be Quality Assurance related.
	Record each specific lesson or activity completed in the 4-H Animal Record Book, Project Information and Activity Log.
	Complete the 4-H Project Record Book for this project in your ZSuite Member Account
	Fill out your 4-H Involvement Report in your ZSuite Member Account
	Give an oral presentation (speech, demonstration, or illustrated talk) to your 4-H peers on a topic related to this project. Recommended guidelines for length of oral presentations are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Junior: 5-8 minutes • Intermediate: 8-10 minutes • Senior: 10-12 minutes
	Complete any supplemental forms or activities required at the County level for your project (see below) and submit to the County Extension Office by the date specified.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL REQUIREMENTS	

FAIR EXHIBIT CHECKLIST	
	Completed Idaho 4-H Involvement Report (ZSuite)
	Completed Idaho 4-H Project Record Book for this project (ZSuite)
	Supplemental forms or materials required at the county level, submitted to the county Extension office by date specified
	Exhibit project animal(s) at a county Extension approved fair, show, exhibition or field day.
	Display performance data on exhibit or stall card.
	Exhibit one of your project animals in a Sheep Fitting and Showing class at a county Extension approved fair, show, exhibition or field day.

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