

Natural Sciences Beekeeping

Lv 2 - Working With Honey Bees

Enroll in ZSuite Under this Project Name: NS-BEEKEEPING-Lv 2: Working With Honey Bees

Approved for 2024-25 Project Year

Project Description: In this level of the beekeeping project, youth acquire a colony of bees, learn how to

care for bees and a hive throughout the year, basic beekeeping operations and produce

extracted, chunk, or cut comb honey.

REQUIRED YOUTH CURRICULUM

4-H Beekeeping Level 2: Working With Honey Bees (#4-H-586-W), 2014

ZSuite 4-H Involvement Report

ZSuite 4-H Project Record Book

REQUIRED VOLUNTEER CLUB LEADER CURRICULUM

Indiana 4-H Beekeeping Helper's Guide (#4-H-576-W), 2008

SUPPLEMENTAL RESOURCES

Foundation for the Preservation of Honey Bees (preservationofhoneybees.org)

Purdue University Honey Bee Extension (extension.entm.purdue.edu/beehive/)

Beekeeping Project and Record Book (Ohio 4-H641)



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PROJECT COMPLETION CHECKLIST

STATE REQUIREMENTS		
	Complete each section of the Working with Honey Bees Manual	
	Record the completed activities in the Project Activity log of your ZSuites 4-H Project Record Book	
	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:	
	Junior: 5-8 minutes	
	Intermediate: 8-10 minutes	
	Senior: 10-12 minutes	

ADDITIONAL LOCAL	REQUIREMENTS

FAIR EXHIBIT CHECKLIST		
	Completed Idaho 4-H Involvement Report (ZSuite)	
	Completed Idaho 4-H Project Record Book for this project (ZSuite)	
	ONE of the following exhibit items:	
	 A poster (14"x22") or display illustrating something you learned in this project this year. 	
	One jar of honey.	