Lessons will be taught by Texas Tech faculty and staff, AgriLife Extension employees, livestock breeders, and successful project leaders.



For youth ages 14 and older.

Deadline to apply: June 22, 2012

Applications posted at: http://d24-h.tamu.edu

or http://www.afs.ttu.edu

4-H Livestock Ambassador Short Course

Cost \$100 Meals & Lodging Included!

Arrival: July 23rd, 10:00 a.m. Departure: July 25th, 5:30 p.m.

Topics Include:

- 4-H Project Management
- Food Safety
- Animal Husbandry
- Nutrition
- Grading and Fabrication
- Public Speaking
- Diseases and Treatments
- Degrees and Careers
- Quality Counts

Contact:

Andy Hart, 4-H and Youth Development Specialist (806) 746-6101 amhart@ag.tamu.edu July 23rd - 25th, 2012 Texas Tech University, Animal and Food Sciences Bldg.

The Texas 4-H Livestock Ambassador Program will equip youth with the knowledge and skills to become ambassadors for Texas AgriLife Extension Service, the Texas 4-H program and animal science as it relates to livestock projects.

The short course will be college level animal science curriculum. It will take an in-depth look at sheep, goat, swine, and cattle production in Texas and how it relates to the show ring.

Students will be required to log at least 30 hours of service annually helping novice 4-H'ers with their livestock project and educating fellow 4-H'ers. The program is designed for youth wanting to enhance their livestock production knowledge and leadership skills.



25 participants will be selected from a group of applicants. A 4-H Livestock

Ambassador is an outstanding student that has completed the 4-H Livestock Ambassador Short Course and is willing to assist 4-H families in their counties with their livestock projects.

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Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

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