

Required Animal ID Per Species

The following table lists the different animal species and their respective form of identification that is required for a 4-H member to be eligible to show in the 4-H Livestock Show in Kosciusko County. The Animal ID information must be entered in 4HOnline by the May 15th deadline. Missing, incomplete or incorrect Animal ID information could result in State Fair ineligibility for that particular animal.

| Animal | County ID Type | Additional Requirement for Indiana State Fair eligibility |
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| Beef and Dairy Beef Steers | 840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag | DNA Hair Sample |
| Commercial and Market Heifers and Dairy Feeder | 840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag | DNA Hair Sample |
| Beef, Registered Heifers | 840-RFID Tag and Tattoo | DNA Hair Sample |
| Dairy Cattle | 840-RFID Tag and animal's registered name and registration number (or dam's registration number) | DNA Hair Sample |
| Dairy Goat Females, Registered | Breed Registry Tattoo | |
| Wethers | 5-digit County Tag or Tattoo | |
| Meat Goat Wethers | 840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag | DNA Hair Sample |
| Boer Goat Females, Registered | Breed Registry Tattoo | DNA Hair Sample |
| Market Goat Does (Wether Dams) | 840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag | DNA Hair Sample |
| Pygmy Goats Registered | Breed Registry Tattoo or Microchip that Matches Registration Papers | |
| Unregistered | Official USDA Scrapie Tag or Official Scrapie Tattoo | |
| Horse and Pony | Color picture | |
| Llama and Alpaca | Color Picture | |
| Sheep Market Lambs | 840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag | DNA Hair Sample |
| Commercial Ewes | 840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag/or official scrapies tag | DNA Hair Sample |
| Registered Ewes | 840-RFID Tag and ID that matches Registration Papers | DNA Hair Sample |
| Swine | 5 Digit County Tag purchased at check-in and Ear Notch | 840-RFID Tag and DNA Hair Sample |
| Poultry | Paper Enrollment Form – June 1 | |
| Dog | Color Picture with Paper Enrollment; Vaccination Form | |
| Cat | Color Picture with Paper Enrollment; Vaccination Form | |
| Pocket Cage Critter | Color Picture with Paper Enrollment; Vac Form | |