

2024 Indiana 4-H Animal Identification



The following table lists the different animal species and the respective form of identification that is required for a 4-H member to be eligible to show in the 4-H livestock shows at the 2022 Indiana State Fair. The animal ID information must be entered in the Indiana 4HOnline enrollment system by the respective deadlines. Missing, incomplete or incorrect animal ID information could result in state fair ineligibility for that particular animal.

For Indiana State Fair

		Max # to Enroll	Deadline
Beef and Dairy Beef Steers	840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag and DNA Hair Sample	10 Total steers	May 15
Commercial and Market Heifers	840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag and DNA Hair Sample	10 total heifers	May 15
Beef, Registered Heifers	840-RFID tag and Tattoo and DNA Hair Sample	10 total heifers	May 15
Dairy Cattle	840-RFID tag and animal's registered name and registration number (or dam's registration number) and DNA Hair Sample	40	May 15
Dairy Goat Females, Registered	Breed Registry Tattoo	40 dairy goats total	May 15
Wethers	5-digit County Tag or Tattoo		
Meat Goat Wethers	840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag and DNA Hair Sample	40 meat goats total	May 15
Boer Goat Females, Registered	Breed Registry Tattoo and DNA Hair Sample		
Market Goat Does (Wether Dams)	840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag and DNA Hair Sample		
Pygmy Goats Registered	Breed Registry Tattoo or Microchip that Matches Registration Papers	40	May 15
Unregistered	Official USDA Scrapie Tag or Official Scrapie Tattoo		
Horses and Pony	Two Color Picture	20	May 15
Llama and Alpaca	Two Color Picture	20	May 15
Poultry	Blood tested or originating from certified NPIP pullorum-typhoid clean flock	1 per class	May 15
Rabbit	Tattoo	20	May 15
Sheep Market Lambs	840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag and DNA Hair Sample	30 sheep total	May 15
Commercial Ewes	840-RFID Tag and 5-digit County Tag/or official scrapies tag and DNA Hair Sample		
Registered Ewes	840-RFID Tag and ID that matches registration Papers and DNA Hair Sample		
Swine	840-RFID Tag and Ear Notch and DNA Hair Sample	15 Gilts 15 Barrows	May 15

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Whitley County 4-H Fair

		Max # to Exhibit	Deadline
Beef and Dairy Beef Feeder Calf Steers	840-RFID Tag	Beef – 3 steers Dairy Beef & Feeder Calf Steers – 3 total	May 15
Commercial and Market Heifers	840-RFID Tag	3 total heifers	May 15
Beef, Registered Heifers	840-RFID tag and Tattoo	3 total heifers	May 15
Dairy Cattle	840-RFID tag	2 per class - per breed	May 15
Dairy Goat Females, Registered	Breed Registry Tattoo,	2 per class, 2 breeds	May 15
Wethers	5-digit County Tag or Tattoo	2 wethers total *12 goats total	
Meat Goat Wethers	5-digit County Tag or Official USDA Scrapie Tag	*2 wethers total 2 per class	May 15
Boer Goat Females, Registered	Breed Registry Tattoo	2 per class	
Market Goat Does (Wether Dams)	5-digit County Tag or Official USDA Scrapie Tag	2 per class *12 goats total	
Pygmy Goats Registered	Breed Registry Tattoo or Microchip that Matches Registration Papers	2 per class	May 15
Unregistered	Official USDA Scrapie Tag or Official Scrapie Tattoo	*12 goats total	
Horses and Pony	Color Picture	3	May 15
Poultry	Leg band and blood tested or originating from certified NPIP pullorum-typhoid clean flock	12 pens	Form Due May 15
Rabbit	Tattoo	N/A	May 15
Sheep Market Lambs	5-digit County Tag or official scrapie tag	*5 lambs total	May 15
Commercial Ewes	5-digit County Tag or official scrapie tag	*5 Ewes total	
Registered Ewes	ID that matches registration Papers	*5 Ewes total *10 Sheep total	
Swine	840-RFID Tag and Ear Notch	6 pigs total, must have both genders	May 15