

**State 4-H
Ambassador 2026**

Reference Sheet

NOTE: This sheet is to be completed by each of the three individuals who submit letters of reference.

Name of Applicant: _____

Check the appropriate spaces indicating your appraisal of the personal characteristics of the applicant. The information received will be confidential and will be reviewed by the selection committee only.

Please return this form, along with your letter of reference, in a sealed envelope with your signature across the seal to the 4-H Ambassador applicant. The applicant will include your sealed envelope in their application submission packet. Their application must be postmarked on or before March 15, 2026.

Characteristic	Outstanding	Desirable	Undesirable	Unknown
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TEAMWORK

Demonstrated ability to place commitment to group goals over personal aspirations.

RELIABILITY

Faithfulness to duties; personal integrity; sense of responsibility.

PUNCTUALITY

On time and prepared for appointments and meetings.

LEADERSHIP

Initiative: ability to inspire others to act.

DEDICATION

Places a high priority on the 4-H organization.

COMPETENCE

Ability to represent 4-H in formal and informal settings.

CREATIVITY

Original and imaginative.

APPEARANCE

Cleanliness; dress; poise.

EXPRESSION

Effectiveness and fluency in speaking.

EFFECTIVENESS AND FLUENCY IN WRITING

ABILITY TO MEET PEOPLE

SENSE OF HUMOR

TACT

SELF-CONFIDENCE

COMMITMENT TO 4-H

This program is more than an honor; it requires both service and sacrifice.

Reference submitted by:

Date

Signature

Occupation or Title