



2011-2012 Prince William County 4-H Annual Statistical Snapshot

Number of Youth Involved:	Prince William	Virginia
4-H Enrollment	51,791	194,003

Male-Female Ratio	Prince William	Virginia
Females	54%	52%
Males	46%	48%

Where Do 4-H'ers Live:	Prince William	Virginia
Farms	<1%	5%
Towns/Rural with less than 10,000 in population	1%	26%
Towns/Cities with 10,000 to 50,000 in population	8%	13%
Suburbs & Cities with more than 50,000 population	90%	56%

Age of Participants	Prince William	Virginia
Ages 5 to 8	41%	32%
Pre-teen (ages 9 to 11)	41%	48%
Early Teen (ages 12 and 13)	16%	13%
Middle to upper teen (14-19)	2%	7%

Youth from Minority		
Racial-Ethnic Groups	62%	50%
4-H adult volunteer Leaders	641	12,935
Youth participating in 4-H overnight camp	128	13,392

Positive youth development through 4-H programming provides opportunities for youth to feel safe, secure, respected, intellectually stimulated and engaged in their community. 4-H Youth Development occurs from an intentional process that promotes positive outcomes for young people by providing opportunities, relationship building, life skill learning and caring support.

4-H Youth Development uses experiential, research-based educational opportunities that help youth become competent, caring, confident, connected, and contributing citizens of character. Research indicates that regular participation in extracurricular activities during adolescence can lead to long-term life payoffs.



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