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4-H/Youth Development

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Educational Program Focus:

Organizational & Volunteer Systems to Support Positive Youth Development in Gadsden County

Volunteer development and retention will increase as adults understand and support the importance of volunteerism to help groom young people into respectable, productive citizens in the community. As a result of an increase in volunteer numbers and collaborations, there will be an increase in number and quality of 4-H educational programs and the expansion of the 4-H program in reaching a diverse audience.

Positive Youth Development in Gadsden County to help Youth mature into Healthy Scientifically Literate, and Engaged Citizens

Gadsden County 4-H uses a variety of program delivery modes to teach leadership, citizenship, and life skills in the areas S.T.E.M., healthy living, and citizenship to youth, through community clubs, project clubs, workshops, clinics, camps, and competitive events. These delivery modes reach an average of 1962 youth each year with a minimum of 6-hours of face-to-face teaching by the 4-H agent, program assistants, guest presenters, and/or trained 4-H volunteers.



Work Experience

- 14 1998 – Present Extension Agent (I-III) / 4-H Youth Development (Gadsden County)
- 2 1996 - 1998 Family Nutrition Program Agent (Santa Rosa County)
- 3 1993 - 1996 Nutrition and Health Extension Agent (Cornell Cooperative Extension)

Education

- 1993 Masters Degree Nutritional Sciences University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana
- 1989 Bachelors Degree Biology Johnson C. Smith University