

4-H Youth Development

Nevada County 4-H Youth Development Program



*Empowering youth to develop life and leadership skills
through science, citizenship, and healthy living.*

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In 2018–19, 4-H programs offered experiential learning activities and leadership opportunities to youth in Placer and Nevada Counties.

4-H Youth Members

Placer: 641
Nevada: 398

4-H Community Clubs

Placer: 13
Nevada: 7

4-H Adult Volunteers

Placer: 160
Nevada: 121

Youth Enrolled in Group and Short-Term Activities

Placer: 3,819
Nevada: 216

The University of California 4-H Youth Development Program provides a variety of enrichment activities that support the development of life and leadership skills for young people. The focus of 4-H programs is positive youth development through science, healthy living, civic engagement, and leadership. 4-H programs are accessible and open to all youth.

The 4-H program uses an experiential learning model focused on discovering, reflecting, and applying knowledge. Through youth-adult partnerships, youth members and adult volunteers share in learning; and members gain valuable experience. Programs and projects offered in 4-H in Placer and Nevada include robotics, summer camp, shooting sports, animal science, coding, yoga, public speaking, sewing, gardening, cooking, citizenship, and more!

Leadership in Placer and Nevada 4-H Programs

Placer County 4-H provided opportunities for youth members to expand their leadership skills through planning and delivering a variety of events. Youth camp staff members participated in six months of training for the residential Summer Camp Program. Youth developed skills and knowledge working with younger youth, peers, and adults.

Nevada County 4-H youth members served in significant and meaningful leadership roles. Leadership skill-building occurred through training and serving as club officers, committee chairs, and committee members. Junior county coordinators planned educational events and supported members in project work.



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