We’re ready to get back in the swing of fun here in 4-H. I’m so glad you chose to be a member of this awesome club! If you’re a 4-H’er last year, welcome back!! If you were not a 4-H’er last year, we are so glad that you chose to join the fun! In 4-H, we love learning about and trying new things. Let’s take a look at all of the opportunities that 4-H has to offer.

What is 4-H?

4-H is a youth organization that’s all about fun and learning! Whether it’s camping, photography, woodworking, public speaking or more, we have your interest covered. Over this year you will get to see and participate in the dozens of fun things to do in 4-H. We will focus on the four H’s that there are in 4-H.

- Head: we pledge our head to clearer thinking
- Heart: we pledge our hearts to greater loyalty
- Hands: we pledge our hands to larger service.
- Health: we pledge our health to better living.
Becoming a 4-H Member

To be a 4-H member you must enroll, or register. This helps us know who our 4-H’ers are, and what we can do to best serve you! If you were not a 4-H’er last year, go to al.4honline.com, and set up a profile. Click THIS link for more information. Be sure to put all the correct information so we can keep you informed.

If you were a 4-H’er last year we are super excited to have you back! Go to al.4honline.com and enter your email and password to re-enroll for this year. Click THIS link for more information. If you have any trouble, give us a call at 256-574-2143 or email sms0052@aces.edu and we will be happy to help you out.

DID YOU KNOW? 4-H YOUTH ARE:

1.8 TIMES MORE LIKELY THAN OTHER YOUTH TO CONTRIBUTE TO THEIR COMMUNITIES.*
2.1 TIMES MORE LIKELY THAN OTHER YOUTH TO REPORT HIGH ENGAGEMENT IN SCHOOL.*
2.5 TIMES MORE LIKELY AS OTHER YOUTH TO HAVE GREATER CIVIC INVOLVEMENT.*
4.9 TIMES MORE LIKELY TO GRADUATE FROM COLLEGE AS OTHER YOUTH.*
2.2 TIMES MORE LIKELY THAN OTHER YOUTH TO REPORT HIGHER GRADES.*
2.8 TIMES MORE LIKELY THAN OTHER YOUTH TO REPORT HEALTHY HABITS.*

For more information about the research compiled for these fast facts or to learn more about 4-H in general, visit 4-H.org/research, or alabama4H.com!

4-H is a safe, welcoming place for kids to learn and belong. More than 600 young people participate in Jackson County Alabama.
Do you LOVE animals? Then don't miss out on these 2 great 4-H events!!

Join our NEW 4-H Animal Science Club. We meet once a month and learn all about livestock like cattle, pigs, sheep, and horses. The best part is, you don't even have to own these animals!

Our next meeting is Monday September 21st at 5:00 PM. For more information, or to RSVP contact Nikki Cornelison @ tnc0012@auburn.edu, or call 256-585-5137

The Alabama 4-H Chick Chain Show and Auction will be held at the Jackson County Fairgrounds on Friday September 11th at 4:30. Don’t miss your chance to see what Chick Chain is all about so you can participate next spring!