

# California 4-H Educational Technology Advisory Committee

## Contact Information

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## Purpose

The California 4-H Educational Technology Advisory Committee strengthens the awareness and utilization of technology in the UC ANR 4-H Youth Development Program.

## Goals

- Act as an advisory body to the State 4-H Office for new educational technologies
- Provides resources regarding information technology to 4-H members and volunteers
- Presents educational technology workshops for 4-H members and volunteers
- Provides information technology (IT) support and enhances technology integration for area and statewide 4-H events
- Provides resources to 4-H clubs and programs to strengthen and enhance the use of technology
- Supports the California 4-H Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) Initiative

## Committee Member Responsibilities

- Role-model for positive conflict resolution techniques and teamwork skills
- Complete assignments by the assigned deadline
- Check and respond to email on a regular basis
- Have daily access to a computer or device with internet and email
- Participate in team meetings, face-to-face on the weekends and online meetings on weeknights.
- Members must be present for 80% of meetings
- Help provide trainings throughout the year
- Present a technology workshop to the group during one of the in-person meetings

## Committee Membership

The California 4-H Educational Technology Advisory Committee is composed of 10-14 individuals including:

- 5-7 – 4-H Youth
- 5-7 – 4-H Adult Volunteers, 4-H Alumni, and Program Partners
- 1 – County 4-H Youth Development Program Staff
- 1 – State 4-H Youth Development Program Staff

## Committee Eligibility

Candidates must have some type of technology experience which could include: photography, video production, website design, social media, computer hardware, live video streaming, SMS and QR communication, GPS/GIS, computer hardware support, graphic design, 3D imaging, smartphone applications, programming, biotech, engineering, technology & society. On your application, please highlight the areas in which you have technology experience by including a short description and an example of each.

## Meetings

Must be able to travel to attend three face-to-face meetings per year, in addition to online evening meetings which take place once per month. Committee members are expected to attend the State 4-H Field Day (May 2018) and the 4-H State Leadership Conference (July 2018) (expenses covered). All travel and related costs will be reimbursed by the State 4-H Office in accordance with University policies.