

SECTION 3 - TENNESSEE EXTENSION VOLUNTEER PROGRAM AREA INFORMATION FORMS

This form is optional; however, any volunteer who wishes to identify his or her interests in a specific program area should complete the form. Volunteers are welcome to complete any or all program area information forms.

4-H YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Why are you interested in a 4-H volunteer position? _____

Are you a 4-H Alumnus/alumna? Yes No If yes, where? _____

City, County, State

What year(s) were you a 4-H'er? _____

Have you ever been a 4-H volunteer? Yes No If yes, where? _____

City, County, State

Have you worked with youth before? Yes No If yes, briefly explain: _____

What type(s) of volunteering opportunities interest you?

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|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> School volunteer | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Club Leader | <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H Club/ Project Leader |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Short-term Project Leader | <input type="checkbox"/> Event Coordinator | <input type="checkbox"/> 4-H Club Assistant Leader |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Camp Leader | <input type="checkbox"/> Event Volunteer | <input type="checkbox"/> Service Learning Coordinator |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Honor Club Leader | <input type="checkbox"/> Event Chaperone (overnight) | <input type="checkbox"/> County Portfolio Advisor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Judging Team Coach | <input type="checkbox"/> Committee Member/Chair | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: Specify _____ |

INTEREST AND SKILLS RELATED TO 4-H PROJECTS

Project	Interest in	Experience with	Can teach
Beef	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Citizenship	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clothing and Textiles	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Communication/Public Speaking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Companion Animals	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Computers and Technology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consumer Education Economics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dairy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Electric	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Engineering/Safety Science	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Entomology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Food Science	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Forestry, Wildlife, and Fisheries	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	Interest in	Experience with	Can teach
Goat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Horse	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Horticulture/Garden	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leadership/Personal Development	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Line and Design	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nutrition, Health, and Fitness	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Performing Arts/Recreation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Photography	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Plant Science	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Poultry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sheep	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Swine	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Veterinary Science	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Please mark the level of education and/or training you have completed and list the field of study where applicable:

- High school _____
- Technical/Trade School (trade) _____
- 2-year Community College (major studies) _____
- 4-year College (major studies) _____
- Other degrees, certification, or training _____

EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Current Occupation	Employer Name	Date Range
Employer Address	Employer Telephone	

OTHER VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCES

1.

Volunteer Position	Organization Name
Organization Address	Organization Telephone

2.

Volunteer Position	Organization Name
Organization Address	Organization Telephone

DRIVING HISTORY

- Do you have a valid Driver’s License? Yes No
- Has your Driver’s License been suspended or revoked in the last 5 year? Yes No
- Do you currently have the minimum vehicle insurance coverage required by the State of Tennessee? Yes No
- Have you ever been convicted of an alcohol or drug related driving offense? Yes No
- Are you willing to transport minors as part of your volunteer duties? Yes No

CONTACT

What is the best way to contact you? (Please number options in order of preference)

___ Phone Call ___ Text ___ E-mail ___ Mail ___ Other: _____

I authorize contacting the volunteer organizations listed on this form. I understand the omission or misrepresentation of information requested may result in non-appointment or dismissal as an Extension volunteer. If appointed as a volunteer, I agree to abide by the policies of UT Extension, the University of Tennessee, and Tennessee State University to fulfill my volunteer responsibilities to the best of my abilities. I also understand that UT Extension and/or Tennessee State University may contact other individuals as needed to verify my skills, background, and experience in working with Extension clientele.

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, all of my statements are true, correct, complete, and made in good faith.

Applicant’s Signature	Date
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FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: Date application was received: _____

This applicant was: (Pick one) Met qualifications for Extension volunteer position
 Did not meet qualifications for Extension volunteer position

AGRICULTURE, NATURAL RESOURCES, AND COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

GENERAL VOLUNTEER - Please select which areas of volunteer opportunities interest you.

- | | | |
|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Beef | <input type="checkbox"/> Fruits & Vegetables | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Ruminant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Beekeeping | <input type="checkbox"/> Leadership | <input type="checkbox"/> Swine |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Ornamental Horticulture | <input type="checkbox"/> Tobacco |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dairy | <input type="checkbox"/> Poultry | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Equine | <input type="checkbox"/> Row Crops | _____ |

MASTER GARDENER

Why do you wish to become an Extension Master Gardener Volunteer? _____

Do you have any experience or interests that you feel would be beneficial to the Master Gardener program?

Years of gardening experience? _____

Would you like to work with home gardeners? Yes No

Which of these do you consider to be your areas of expertise?

- | | | |
|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetable gardening | <input type="checkbox"/> Lawns & turf grass | <input type="checkbox"/> Flower gardening |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community gardens | <input type="checkbox"/> Herb gardening | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscape design |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trees/shrubs | <input type="checkbox"/> Native plants | <input type="checkbox"/> Diseases/insects |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife gardening | <input type="checkbox"/> Houseplants | <input type="checkbox"/> Water-conservation gardening |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ornamental ponds | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |

Other volunteer experiences in your community:

1. _____
Volunteer Position _____ Organization Name _____
Organization Address _____ Organization Telephone _____
2. _____
Volunteer Position _____ Organization Name _____
Organization Address _____ Organization Telephone _____

I understand the title Extension Master Gardener is conditional upon receiving training, performing 40 service hours and reporting those hours. Tennessee Extension Master Gardeners are expected to use only University of Tennessee-approved recommendation. The Extension Master Gardener name badge and title may not be used for commercial gain or to promote commercial products or businesses.

Applicant's Signature Date

FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCES

Family and Consumer Sciences teaches knowledge and skills related to health, food, family, home and money matters to improve the lives of families. Tennessee Association for Family and Community Education (TAFCE) is a grass roots, volunteer organization that deals with family issues through education. You can volunteer in Family and Consumer Sciences as a member of TAFCE or as an individual interested in improving the lives of families through education. To learn more about TAFCE or to become a member, visit the TAFCE website at <https://ag.tennessee.edu/tafce/>.

If you feel you have expertise in Family and Consumer Sciences and would like to share your talents, please let us know in what areas (check all that apply):

- Adult and Family Relationships
- Adult Caregiving
- Child Care
- Community Development
- Emergency Preparedness
- Environmental Stewardship
- Fitness
- Food and Nutrition
- Food Safety
- Health
- Healthy Homes
- Home Energy
- Leadership Development
- Life Skills
- Money (for youth)
- Money for (adults)
- Parenting
- Public Policy Related to Family Issues
- Other (Please describe: _____)

Applicant's Signature

Date