



**NC STATE**  
EXTENSION

# North Carolina 4-H: Making an Impact



NATIONAL POSITIVE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT STUDY SHOWS 4-H'ERS ARE NEARLY

- 5X** more likely to graduate college
- 4X** more likely to actively contribute to their community
- 3X** more likely to be physically active than non 4-H members
- 2X** more likely to pursue a career in science, engineering or computers



4-H STANDS FOR



HEAD



HEART



HANDS



HEALTH

North Carolina 4-H Enrollment Data

NC 4-H participation  
**229,500**

TOTAL PARTICIPATION (DUPLICATIONS ELIMINATED)  
**140,161**  
(K-12) SCHOOL ENRICHMENT

**87,168**  
SPECIAL INTEREST CLUBS

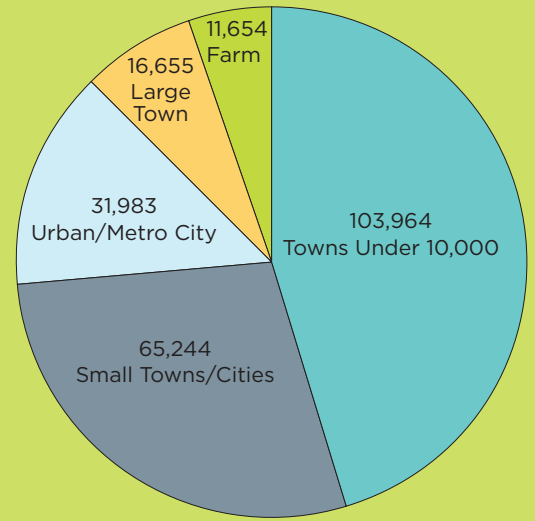
**9,875**  
AFTER SCHOOL CURRICULUM PROGRAMS

**7,697**  
4-H CAMPING (DAY & RESIDENTIAL)

**1,227**  
MEMBER AT LARGE

**16,978**  
YOUTH AND ADULT VOLUNTEERS

## WHERE DO 4-H'ERS LIVE?



## HOW DIVERSE IS 4-H?

Race	
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1,696
Asian	3,568
Black or African American	57,326
Caucasian	153,845
Multi Race	8,943
Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	461
Unreported	3,661
Ethnicity	
Non-Hispanic or Latino	83%
Hispanic or Latino	17%
Gender	
Male	111,946
Female	117,604

## HOW ARE 4-H'ERS "MAKING THEIR BEST BETTER?"

