 TEXAS 4-H VETERINARY SCIENCE SKILLATHON
Application for 2015 Invitational Contest

Please complete the following information to apply to participate in the 2015 Veterinary Science Skillathon on Thursday, June 11, 2015 at Texas 4-H Roundup in College Station. The application postmark due date is Friday, March 13, 2015 to Joe W. Mask.

Requirements to apply to participate in the 2015 4-H Veterinary Science Skillathon Invitational Contest:

- Be an active Texas 4-H member in the Intermediate or Senior age division.
- Be actively enrolled in a structured veterinary science program.
- Have completed at least one full year in a structured veterinary science project using curriculum.
- Certification by the County Extension Agent

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<th>Are you actively participating in a structured veterinary science project? (Yes or No)</th>
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<td>Have you completed at least one full year in a structured veterinary science project? (Yes or No)</td>
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What curriculum are you using? (Ask your leader if you’re not sure.) Briefly describe your project experiences.

Please list all of your 4-H projects and the number of years you have participated in each:

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Attach a **1 page type-written essay** explaining why you would like to participate in the 2015 Veterinary Science Skillathon. Include your background, level of involvement in veterinary science and related projects, what you have accomplished in your veterinary science project through planned lessons, activities, and work experience, information related to your future career direction, and any other related information.

I certify that the information included in this application is true and correct.

__________________________  __________________________
4-H Member Signature  Date

__________________________  __________________________
4-H Parent/Guardian Signature  Date

__________________________  __________________________
County Extension Agent Signature  Date

The application postmark due date is **Friday, March 13, 2015** to Joe W. Mask. Please mail your application to the following address:

4-H Veterinary Science Skillathon  
Dr. Joe W. Mask  
Assistant Professor & Extension Specialist  
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service  
Institute for Infectious Animal Diseases  
2501 Earl Rudder Freeway South, Suite 701  
College Station, Texas 77845

**If you have any questions regarding the application or contest procedures, please contact:**

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**If you have any questions regarding the 4-H veterinary science project, lesson plans, or clinical skills, please contact:**

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