

177 Horse Training: How to Talk to Your Horse

Skill Level: Intermediate

For county project COMPLETION members must complete either:

- Submit all paperwork by the appropriate deadlines
- Complete EquiStep by July 1st
- Be a 4-H Member in Good Standing by meeting all club and county requirements
- Completed Project Book & Records
- Participate in Skill-a-thon & Project Book Check Days
- Obtain your animal by the required ownership & possession date

NOTE: 4-H members may also choose to exhibit their animals at the Brown County Junior Fair. Members are NOT required to exhibit at the fair to complete a 4-H project. But a project MUST be completed to be eligible for exhibition

State Fair Qualification

- Qualify at a recognized Ohio PAS Show

For Project Judging Dates & Times:

Ask your Club Advisor

Read your project letter – <http://brown.osu.edu/exhibitorletters>

Look on the 4-H Calendar <https://brown.osu.edu/4hcalendar> or check in the 4-H App

Complete All of the following for completion:

- Project horse by deadline
- Appropriate helmet and equipment
- Complete 190R Equine Record Book

What to bring to Skill-a-thon & Project Book Check:

- Completed 190R Equine Record Book up to date of book checks

County Fair Exhibit

- Horse or Pony carried as project
- Follow all Ohio 4-H and Junior Fair Deadlines, Rules, and Regulations

State Fair:

- Submit all paperwork by deadlines
- Coggins test completed by OSF deadline and submitted to Extension Office
- EquiStep completed by June 1st
- Additional information can be found at <http://horse.osu.edu>

Note: Members enrolled in multiple animal projects that require skill-a-thon & book check must complete at least one skill-a-thon & book check for a project they are enrolled to be eligible for exhibition of all their animal projects.

They are encouraged to complete skill-a-thon & book checks for all projects they are enrolled.

- The exception for this is members in Beef, Sheep, & Swine, these members MUST complete skill-a-thon for each of those species to be eligible to exhibit.
- If your species offers an Outstanding Exhibitor Award you may be required to complete skill-a-thon & book checks to be eligible for awards in that category.

