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Martin County Extension Intern

Location: Martin County

Program Area: 4-H Youth Development,Family and Consumer Sciences

Immediate/Site Supervisor: Lisa Smith

Other Mentors and Supervisors: Jean Brownfield, Katie Harris

Position Description/ Responsibilities:

The Martin County Intern will shadow agents in all program areas and assist with major summer events. The program areas in Martin County in which the intern will gain experience are: Agriculture, 4-H, Local Foods, and Family and Consumer Sciences.

Interns will assist agents with program planning, development, implementation, and evaluation. Responsibilities may include: program supply organization, graphic design, 4-H day camp assistance, help with event registration, and program evaluation data collection.

Preferred qualifications/previous coursework:

- coursework in Agriculture, Extension Education, Health and Nutrition, Youth Development, or related fields is preferred.
- an ideal candidate will be a self-starter, a team-player, willing to learn, and efficient.

Benefits/skills student will gain through this internship:

- a well-rounded experience and insight into Extension programs in a rural county
- an opportunity for the intern to work with a previous Extension Intern who became an agent
- develop workplace skills
- create opportunities for hands-on experience organizing and evaluating Extension events

Additional Information

In addition to the 4-H, Field Crops, FCS, and Local Foods Agents that are housed in Martin County, the intern will also meet with the Horticulture Agent and Livestock Agent who are shared with adjoining counties.

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