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## Educational Program Focus

- Developing Volunteer Systems and Organizational Strategies To Support Positive Youth Development**

By utilizing continued organizational and marketing strategies such as public appearances, multi-media presentations, and community involvement, the Holmes County 4-H program continues to expand into a successful youth development program. The Agent identifies positive, caring individuals to become Holmes County 4-H volunteers and readily assists them in the screening and training process in order to carry out the mission of 4-H to provide life skill development in the youth in the community. As volunteer numbers increase, 4-H enrollment and participation will continue to expand in quantity, quality and diversity. In addition, the agent provides volunteers with supportive services such as curricula, lesson plans, and any additional resources needed to fulfill quality programming.



- 4-H Life Skills Development**

The purpose of the Holmes County 4-H Council is to assist youth in acquiring and mastery of essential life skills to be productive and successful citizens in the community and in the future. The Agent ensures Holmes County 4-H implements a variety of quality experiential learning opportunities through creative and innovative educational methods which include community clubs, day camps, residential camps, school enrichment programs, service learning projects, and competitive events to teach life skills to youth.

## Work Experience

2012-Present	4-H Youth Development Agent UF/IFAS – Holmes County Extension
2009-2012	FL Guardian ad Litem
2007-2009	4-H Youth Development Agent UF/IFAS – Holmes County Extension
2002-2007	21 <sup>st</sup> Century Learning Center Washington County School District
1996-2002	Eckerd Youth Alternatives, Inc.

## Education

Ongoing	Master's Degree	Florida State University
2000	Bachelor's Degree	Florida State University