

2025 Breed Bird Essay Contest

Due to Extension Office by Thursday, March 13.

The OSU Ashland County Poultry Committee is sponsoring an essay contest for all youth who would like to show breed bird(s) at the fair this year. Poultry may be purchased through a breeder or through the committee using the online Qualtrics survey. The youth must agree to join 4-H/FFA this year and show the bird(s) as a Jr. Fair project. The entry should consist of a cover page with name, address, phone number, age, name of 4-H club or FFA Chapter and a signed statement of parental approval. The essay should be a minimum of one page with no identifying names and include the following general topics:

- What goals the member will set for the project?
- How will the bird(s) be cared for?
- What housing facilities are available for the bird(s)?

Up to \$25 will be awarded to the winner!

Essay entrants should pay for their bird(s), and if selected as a winner, and all requirements are met, reimbursement will be paid by the Poultry Committee after the fair.

For more information, please call the Extension Office at 419-281-8242.

