

## Book your Program

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## 4-H Program Kits

Everything you need to run an official 4-H curriculum program with your students. Simply sign-out a kit, work through the curriculum and arrange for kit pick-up.

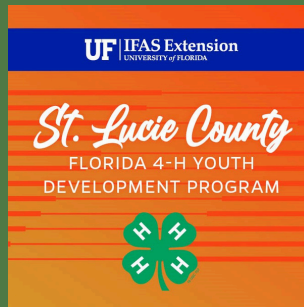
### Kits for Loan:

- Rockets to the Rescue
- Watersheds: Where We Live
- The Food We Eat
- Public Speaking
- Drone 101, with career discussion
- Food Challenge Kit



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## St. Lucie County 4-H Education Programs



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St. Lucie County 4-H proudly offers a variety of engaging programs FREE of charge, unless otherwise noted.

## In-School Programs 2024-25

### STEM in Agriculture

**Embryology-** This is a 21-day adventure into the developmental stages of a chicken. Students watch the chickens develop from an embryo to the final stages of hatching in the classroom. Appropriate for grades K-12.

**Fun with Insects-** In this interactive program, students learn about insect anatomy, ecology, and their beneficial roles in the environment. Appropriate for grades K-5.

**Pet Care/Animal Husbandry-** This program provides students with the knowledge they need to become responsible pet owners. A visit with a furry friend is included. Appropriate for grades K-5.

### STEM in Horticulture

**Pollinator Partners-** Students take a look at the special relationship between plants and pollinators. Appropriate for grades 2-3.

**Composting Critters-** Decomposition and the nutrient cycle are highlighted as students learn gardening skills and construct a worm bin for their classroom. Appropriate for grades 4-5.

### Indian River Lagoon

**Know the Flow-** This introduction to stormwater education uses an interactive watershed model to demonstrate the connection between land use and water quality. Targets grades 3-12. The field trip associated with this program is Indian Hills. See details below.

**The Lagoon and You-** Dive deep into the Indian River Lagoon ecosystem! This presentation covers estuaries, habitats, common species, and water quality. Lagoon and You may serve as a stand-alone program but is also a prerequisite for our Seining Adventure & IRL Boat Tour field trips. See below. Appropriate for grades 2-12.

**What's in the Water-** An introduction to the Indian River Lagoon ecosystem, this interactive program showcases preserved specimens and highlights habitats and food chains. Appropriate for grades 2-8.

### Life Skills / Workforce Readiness

**Healthy Living-** Children learn to establish sustainable, healthy lifestyle choices, and learn how these choices benefit them, their families, and their community. Targets grades 3-12.

**Living on My Own-** A simulation, role-play activity focusing on real adult responsibilities, this program helps teens prepare for their future. Appropriate for grades 9-12.



Lagoon Boat Tours offered through a partnership with Swampland Tours, Inc.



## STEM-Infused 4-H Field Trips

**4-H Farm Guided Visit-** This outdoor, hands-on adventure highlights the role of farms in food production. Visit our gardens, animal pens, and AG-tivity Center. \$2/student. Targets K-12.

**Indian Hills Recreation Area-** See first-hand how stormwater is cleaned and filtered before entering the Indian River Lagoon. Students use the Action Bound app on their phones to complete a scavenger hunt. *Know the Flow* is a prerequisite for this field trip. Appropriate for grades 3-12.

**Indian River Lagoon Boat Tour-** Embark on a boating adventure to explore the Indian River Lagoon. A pre-tour orientation (K-1) or *Lagoon & You* program is a pre-tour requirement. Targets all grade levels. A boat rental fee applies.

**Seining Adventure-** Students collect marine organisms to learn about seagrass meadows and lagoon inhabitants. *The Lagoon & You* program is a prerequisite for this field trip. Appropriate for grades 2-12. Not offered December-March due to water temperature.