Macy Hynek to serve as River Valley District 4-H Youth Development Agent

Macy Hynek will begin serving as the River Valley District 4-H Youth Development Extension Agent, effective November 01, 2021. River Valley District has offices in Belleville, Clay Center, Concordia, and Washington, Kansas. Hynek’s primary office is in Belleville. She earned her bachelor’s degree in Human Development and Family Science from Kansas State University.

In her last year at K-State, she participated in an internship with K-State Research and Extension. This opportunity allowed her to work with seven counties across the state of Kansas as well as three program areas within K-State Research and Extension. This is where her passion for working with youth and rural Kansas communities started.

Hynek joined the River Valley District team in February 2020, as the Washington County 4-H Program Manager. Over the past almost two years, she has thoroughly enjoyed watching and helping 4-H youth grow and succeed. One of her favorite parts of the job is getting to meet new people. She looks forward to developing and implementing 4-H programming across the district, as well as, getting to meet new 4-H youth, families, and community members.

4-H Youth Development Agents develop and deliver educational programs for school-aged youth. This includes supporting community clubs, out-of-school programs, school enrichment, volunteer management, and outreach to create new program opportunities with new and existing community partners.

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