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Master’s Non-Thesis Project
Beef Quiz Bowl Course

**Abstract**

The Florida Junior Cattlemen’s Association sponsors a junior beef quiz bowl contest every year. Currently, there is no developed curriculum for youth to study content to be successful in this contest. Traditionally, coaches and instructors are the sole resource for knowledge and teaching. The goal of this course is to provide additional learning tools and opportunities, as well as supplement the knowledge of the quiz bowl team coach. This curriculum is designed to help 4-H agents and volunteers teach youth about the many facets of the beef industry in the state of Florida. The course is divided into five modules with a mix of recorded lectures, classroom activities, guided notes, and other resources. These modules are all designed to be self-paced and can be utilized for individual learning. Upon completion, this course will provide a platform for 4-H youth to successfully participate in a beef quiz bowl competition.

The objectives of this course are:

* At the completion of this course, students will have the skills and knowledge to be able to successfully compete in a beef quiz bowl contest.
* 4-H volunteers and agents will have the required tools and educational materials to effectively teach youth about the beef cattle industry including topics such as safe handling of livestock, breeds, management, nutrition, health, and reproduction.