People thrive in a climate of love, so give family, friends, and 4-H members plenty of praise, warmth and physical signs of affection. People need pats, smiles and approval. Look for good behavior you want to strengthen, then say “very good” to people in a variety of ways. Here are some suggestions:

OK!
GREAT!
WOW!
FINE!
PERFECT!
EXCELLENT!
WONDERFUL!
OUTSTANDING!
FANTASTIC!
SUPERB!
TREMENDOUS!
MARVELOUS!
CLEAVER!
TERRIFIC!
GOOD WORK!
THAT’S IT!

Congratulations!
I knew you could do it.
That’s quite an improvement.
Not bad.
Good for you!
You make it look easy.
That’s the way!
Nice going.
Keep up the good work.
You just did it!
That’s better.
Way to go.
Much better!
Right on!
Keep it up!
You’re doing fine.
Keep on trying!
Good for you!
I like that.
Good going!
That’s really nice.
You’re right!
That’s great.
That’s it.
Way to go.
Well, look at you go!
That’s right!
That’s GOOD!
Now you’ve figured it out!
Now you have it.
You are learning fast.
That’s the best ever.
Good thinking!
You remembered.
You’re doing a good job.

That’s quite an improvement.
You really make my job fun.
That’s not half bad!
You haven’t missed a thing.
Nothing can stop you now!
That’s first class work.
You’re really going to town.
Now you have the hang of it.
Congratulations! You got it right.
Now that’s what I call a fine job!
You did that very well.
You must have been practicing!
You’re doing beautifully.
You’re really improving.
You’ve got that down pat!
You are really learning a lot.
I’m very proud of you.
You’ve got it made.
You are very good at that.
That’s coming along nicely.
I’m happy to see you working like that.
That’s the way to do it.
I’m proud of the way you worked today.
You’ve just about got it.
That’s the best you have ever done.
I knew you could do it.
You are doing that much better today.
Keep working on it, you’re getting better.
Couldn’t have done it better myself.
That’s the right way to do it.
One more time and you’ll have it.
You’re getting better every day.
You did it that time!
Now you’ve figured it out.
You’ve got your brain in gear today.
You’ve just about mastered that.
That’s better than ever.
Good remembering!
You did a lot of work today!
You certainly did well today.
You outdid yourself today.
I’ve never seen anyone do it better.
I think you’ve got it now.
You figured that out fast.
It’s a pleasure to teach when you work like that.
That makes me feel good.
You’re on the right track now!
That’s much better!
You’re really working hard today
Cool!