

Fabric Craft

All articles must be finished and ready to use. Items may be sewn by hand or machine, glued, tied, knotted, etc. Projects must be made by the 4-H'er and not purchased and decorated. Items that meet Sewing Non-Wearable requirements should be exhibited in Sewing.

Make useful articles. Be creative and original. Articles will be judged primarily on design and decoration.

Suggested projects include: quiet books, purses, shopping bags, costume pieces, wall hangings, quilts, quilted items, hats, dolls, doll clothes, teddy bears, teddy bear & animal clothing, no-sew fleece items.

Level A (grades 3 & 4) and **Level B** (grades 5 & 6)

Exhibit one article that shows basic learning skills for the craft. Original designs, simple preprinted fabric projects, simple kits, no sew fleece or patterns may be used in Levels A & B.

Level C (grades 7, 8, 9) and **Level D** (grades 10, 11, 12)

Exhibit one article or set of articles that shows an improvement of skills and application of color or design. Original designs or altering of patterns is encouraged. Special occasion, seasonal items and embellishments (such as glued on jewels, iron on appliqués, trims, and beads) may be used. Advanced preprinted fabric projects and advanced kits may be used in Levels C & D. Original designs, simple preprinted fabric projects, simple kits, no-sew fleece items or patterns can only be exhibited in Levels A & B.

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