

CONSUMER CLOTHING-County & State Fair Project

There will be one State Fair exhibit from each level. (Notebook only will be exhibited at the State Fair.)

A completed record sheet signed by your 4-H leader **must** be presented, along with your exhibit, at project check-in at the pre-fair judging.

This project is divided into three levels according to the following breakdown:

Level 1	Grades 3, 4, & 5
Level 2	Grades 6, 7, & 8
Level 3	Grades 9 and above

General Rules

1. Judging is held before the fair in conjunction with Sewing/Fashion Revue judging.
 2. Consumer Clothing members will model in the public Fashion Revue, held during the fair.
 3. Notebooks should contain activities for this year's projects only.
 4. Manual must be included in notebook.
 5. Begin notebook with a title page.
 6. Judges appreciate it if notebook includes a table of contents.
 7. Put the activity number and letter on a separate page with your answers.
 8. The last section of notebook should tell about outfit being modeled.
 9. **It is recommended/suggested that all posters, notebooks, and display boards include a reference list indicating where information was obtained, giving credit to the original author, to complete the 4-H member's exhibit. This reference list should/might include web site links, people and professionals interviewed, books, magazines, etc. It is recommended this reference list be attached to the back of a poster or display board, be the last page of a notebook, or included as part of the display visible to the public. A judge is not to discredit an exhibit for the manner in which references are listed or a lack thereof.**
- ** For personal safety concerns, notebooks exhibited should only contain names, county, grade, level and club, and no personal identifiable information such as mailing address or phone number.**
10. Judging will be based on:
 - a. Notebook (40%)
 - b. Interview with judge (30%)
 - c. The garment(s) on the 4-H'er (modeling) (30%)

Exhibit Requirements

Level 1:

1. Complete one activity from each group in the manual. Exhibit a notebook containing the results or answers to your chosen activities. Label each activity.
2. Help purchase an item of clothing that will be worn with other clothes in your wardrobe (for example, slacks, blouse, jeans, shirt, sweater, or sweatshirt). Select an accessory to go with your purchase, such as shoes, sweatband, belt, jewelry, socks, etc.
3. Model your outfit before the judge. Be prepared to discuss your outfit and your completed activities during your interview with the judge.

Level 2:

1. Complete one activity from each group in the manual. Exhibit a notebook containing the results or answers to your chosen activities. Label each activity.
2. Purchase and accessorize a casual or school outfit. Accessories may be purchased or from items you already own.
3. Model your outfit before the judge. Be prepared to discuss your outfit and your completed activities during your interview with the judge.

Level 3:

1. Complete one activity from each group in the manual. Exhibit a notebook containing the results or answers to your chosen activities. Label each activity.

2. If a member has completed all activities in the manual in prior years, the member is to consult with their extension educator, leader, or mentor to create an activity. When assembling the exhibit notebook be sure to include a note to the judge explaining how the activity was determined and the intended objectives.
3. Choose an outfit and accessorize it. You may purchase or select from items you already own.
4. Model your outfit before the judge. Be prepared to discuss your outfit and your completed activities during your interview with the judge.

Manuals:

Level 1 – 4-H 730

Level 2 – 4-H 731

Level 3 – 4-H 732

Record Sheet for all levels: 4-H 751-W

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