

CREATIVE AND EXPRESSIVE ARTS: DO YOUR OWN THING

LEVEL/GRADE:

Beginner – Grades 3, 4, 5

Intermediate – Grades 6, 7, 8

Advanced – Grades 9, 10, 11, 12

RULES:

1. Community Judging of all 4-H Do Your Own Thing projects will be at Project Check-In.
2. Check Arts and Crafts project requirements before entering this project. Exhibits that fit into another 4-H project category will be dropped one ribbon placing.
3. The exhibit must be no longer than a table space that is 22" deep and 28" wide and 6 feet tall. Anything over this size must be approved by the Extension Office prior to June 30th.
4. Examples are items such as puzzles, 3-Dimensional puzzles, games, personal success posters, posters about sports, research –based projects, etc.
5. Different topics should be utilized each year.
6. All posters, notebooks, and display boards must 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.

NOTE: This project is designed for any 4-H members who have an area of interest where no County 4-H project is offered. Goals and project requirements are decided upon jointly between the 4-H member and the leader.

EXHIBIT:

BEGINNER (GRADES 3-5)

- Exhibit a poster or display with pictures and/or a story explaining the topic, area of interest, or activities that were completed.

INTERMEDIATE (GRADES 6-8)

- Exhibit a poster or display with pictures and/or a story explaining the topic, area of interest, or activities that were completed. Each exhibit must include a paragraph explaining the exhibit, why it was done, and what was learned. This will be counted in on the judging score.

ADVANCED (GRADES 9-12)

- Exhibit a poster or display with pictures and/or a story explaining the topic, area of interest, or activities that were completed. Each exhibit must include a narrative of 200 words that explains the exhibit, why it was done, and what was learned. This will be counted in on the judging score.

NO STATE FAIR ENTRY.