

## SEWING: JUST SEW

### LEVEL/GRADE:

Level A - Grade 3, 4

Level B - Grade 5, 6

Level C - Grade 7, 8, 9

Level D - Grade 10, 11, 12

### RULES:

1. Community Judging of all Just Sew projects will take place prior to fair. Please check with the Extension Office for the specific date and time.
2. Be sure to bring your pattern instructions with you the day of the judging. Judging will be based on workmanship, difficulty for age, quality of design, color combination and suitability of materials for the purpose of the article.
3. Any 4-H member who completes a Just Sew wearable garment may participate in the 4-H fashion revue although those garments will not advance on to the Indiana State Fair. Just Sew Projects are also not eligible for a Champion/Reserve Champion at Fashion Revue.
4. The item must not be eligible for exhibit in the 4-H Arts and Crafts project.
  - Hand sewn needlecraft must be exhibited in the Needlecraft section of the Arts and Crafts project.
  - Stuffed Animals and Cloth Dolls are to be exhibited in Any Other Crafts.
5. The item must not be eligible for exhibit in the 4-H Sewing Project – Wearable and/or Non-Wearable categories.
  - Check the Sewing exhibits for your grade level to make sure that your Sewing for Fun exhibit does not fit into the Wearable and/or Non-Wearable categories. If so, it must be exhibited in the Sewing project.
6. Attach a 3"x5" card to your project detailing the purpose and intended use of your project. Also, include fiber content and explanation of care for the item (ex. Machine wash, cold water, hang to dry, etc.) and any other information that you think would be helpful to the judge.
7. You can enter a wearable and/or a non-wearable project.

### EXHIBIT:

1. Wearable – Any clothing item, vest, jacket, pants, etc. The clothing item may not match the 4-H'ers level in the 4-H Sewing project. This is an opportunity to make whatever you choose. Wearables are encouraged to participate in the fashion revue.
2. Non-wearable – Anything else that you sew. Some examples are:
  - Quilts and patchwork items
  - Placemats and napkins
  - Backpack
  - Purse
  - Home décor item
  - Pillows
  - Wall hanging

### NO STATE FAIR ENTRY