

CONSUMER CLOTHING

PLEASE NOTE: Any changes/updates from the previous year will be BOLDDED and ITALICIZED! Pay special attention to any projects with BOLD, ITALICIZED WORDS because they have changed from last year.

Educational materials are designed to teach clothing selection, wardrobe planning, care of clothing, and personal grooming. Included are activities to be completed at home and in stores.

<i>Completion, exhibition participation, and State Fair information for Consumer Clothing</i>			
Division/Level	Grades	Completion Activities Needed*	Maximum State Fair Entries
<i>Level 1</i>	<i>Grades 3-5</i>	<i>1 Activity* from each activity group in manual and record sheet</i>	<i>1 Binder Entry</i>
<i>Level 2</i>	<i>Grades 6-8</i>	<i>1 Activity* from each activity group in manual and record sheet</i>	<i>1 Binder Entry</i>
<i>Level 3</i>	<i>Grades 9-12</i>	<i>1 Activity* from each activity group in manual and record sheet</i>	<i>1 Binder Entry</i>

*****“Activities” are defined as project manual activities and/or Hendricks County 4-H Workshops related to this topic. Members must be able to prove attendance by getting a signature from 4-H Leader/Project Advisor that conducts the workshop. Activity sheets available in the Extension Office with Consumer Clothing Project Manuals. Fair Exhibit requirements are listed below.**

NOTE: Judging is held on the Tuesday before the Fair, 9:00am – Noon. Three Ring Binder and outfit will be left at the Fairgrounds at the judging on Tuesday to be used for Public Dress Revue on Thursday and for display at the fair. The purchased outfit will be modeled at the Public Dress Revue on the Thursday evening before the Fair.

**For personal safety concerns, notebooks exhibited should only contain name, county, grade, level and club, and no personally identifiable information such as mailing address or phone number.

Remember: 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. Reference Sheets are available at the Extension Office for use.

Be sure to enroll in the project on 4-HOnline and enter exhibit information into FairEntry by designated date.

EXHIBIT:

Level 1: Beginner (Grade 3 thru 5)

Complete the items listed below and exhibit your garment and Three Ring Binder. **Be sure to put an exhibit tag on all items.**

1. Help purchase an item of clothing that you'll wear with other clothes in your wardrobe. Examples might be slacks, blouse, jeans, sweater, or sweatshirt. Choose an accessory to go with your purchase. You might buy shoes, sweatband, belt, jewelry, or socks.
2. Model your purchases during notebook and model judging and the Hendricks County Fashion Review. Tell the judge about your purchases, what you learned, and about the activities you completed. Take your manual and Three Ring Binder with you because they will help you talk with the judge. Poise, grooming,

and accessories are considered.

3. Find and exhibit a Three Ring Binder or scrapbook for describing your activities and answers. It should begin with a title page. Include your name, county, project, division or year, and age. Notebooks must contain a table of contents. Complete one (1) activity from each of the groups in your manual. Type your results or answers in your Three Ring Binder. Put the activity group number and letter on a separate page from your answers and descriptions. The last section of the Three Ring Binder should tell about the outfit you are modeling. You could tell how you decided what you needed, why you chose specific items, whether it goes with other things in your closet, and how you feel about your outfit. Put captions with any pictures.

Level 2: Intermediate (Grade 6 thru 8)

Complete the items listed below and exhibit your garment and Three Ring Binder. **Be sure to put an exhibit tag on all items.**

1. Purchase and accessorize a casual or school outfit. You may purchase accessories or select from items you already own.
2. Model your outfit during notebook and model judging and the Hendricks County Fashion Review. Tell the judge about your purchases, what you learned, and about the activities you completed. Take your manual and Three Ring Binder with you because they will help you talk with the judge. Poise, grooming, and accessories are considered.
3. Find and exhibit a Three Ring Binder or scrapbook for describing your activities and answers. It should begin with a title page. Include your name, county, project, division or year, and age. Notebooks must contain a table of contents. Complete one (1) activity from each of the groups in your manual. Type your results or answers in your Three Ring Binder. Put the activity group number and letter on a separate page from your answers and descriptions. The last section of the Three Ring Binder should tell about the outfit you are modeling. You could tell how you decided what you needed, why you chose specific items, whether it goes with other things in your closet, and how you feel about your outfit. Put captions with any pictures.

Level 3: Advanced (Grade 9 thru 12)

Complete the items listed below and exhibit your garment and Three Ring Binder: **Be sure to put an exhibit tag on all items.**

1. Choose an outfit and accessorize it. You may purchase accessories or select from items you already own.
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. Model your outfit during both notebook and model judging and the Hendricks County Fashion Review. Tell the judge about your purchases, what you learned, and about the activities you completed. In addition, explain to the judge how you plan to use this year's purchases in your future wardrobe. Take your manual and Three Ring Binder with you because they will help you talk with the judge. Poise, grooming, and accessories are considered.
4. Find and exhibit a Three Ring Binder or scrapbook for describing your activities and answers. It should begin with a title page. Notebooks must contain a table of contents. Include your name, county, project, division or year, and age. Complete one (1) activity from each of the groups in your manual. Type your results or answers in your Three Ring Binder. Put the activity group number and letter on a separate page from your answers and descriptions. The last section of the Three Ring Binder should tell about the outfit you're modeling. You could tell how you decided what you needed, why you chose specific items, whether it goes with other things in your closet, and how you feel about your outfit. Put captions with any pictures.