

4-H Sport Fishing – Intermediate (Grades 6-8) Record Sheet



Record for Year _____

A completed record sheet is due by the last business day of June to exhibit each project at the fair.
Use any 4-H publications, the internet, the library, or a professional to help you prepare your responses.

The Basics

Name _____ 4-H Club _____

Years in 4-H _____ Grade _____ Years in Project _____

Going Fishing

List five pieces of tackle or gear that might not fit in an angler's tackle box.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

What type of bait did you use this year to catch fish?

Bait/Lure Used	Type of Fish I Caught

Share the various types of lures and baits you tried this year and note whether they were successful or not.

Lures I Tried	Successfulness	Baits I Tried	Successfulness
	<input type="checkbox"/> Successful <input type="checkbox"/> Not Successful		<input type="checkbox"/> Successful <input type="checkbox"/> Not Successful
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Bouncing Bobbers

What is the difference between a bait casting reel and a spinning reel? _____

Name three different types of fishing line knots used by anglers and put a star by the ones you have tried.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Fish have senses. Based on the circumstances listed below, describe what you think might happen.

Sense	Circumstance	What would a fish do?
Sight	Fish sees a bright, high contrast lure in dark water	
Smell	Fish smells a plastic bait	
Taste	Fish tastes garlic near the bait	
Hearing	Fish hears a propeller in the water	

Reeling It In

In what ways does litter impact the environment and fish habitat? _____

What kind of fishing pole or fishing system did you use this year? _____

We do not necessarily care what you spent on your exhibit this year, but it is good for you to understand that things have a cost. Even poster boards are not free. Approximately how much do you think you spent or will spend on your exhibit this year? Circle one.

\$0.00-\$5.00 \$5.00-\$15.00 \$15.00-\$30.00 \$30.00-\$50.00 Greater than \$50.00

What was the hardest thing or do you foresee as being the hardest thing about creating your exhibit this year? _____

What did you like best or think you will like best about creating your exhibit? _____

Casting to the Future

Name three professions or careers that involve fish or angling.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Why is this subject matter important to you? _____

What is one thing you learned or sparked your interest as a result of completing this project? _____
