

# 4-H CLOTHING & TEXTILES



1. Read General Rules & Regulations.
2. Clothing exhibited must be the result of the current year's project work by the 4-Her.
3. All entries in the Clothing & Textiles Division and Style Review will be judged TUESDAY, JULY 14th beginning at 2:00 pm at the Stafford Rec Annex in Stafford
4. Participants are encouraged to contact the Extension Office to set up a practice session at the Annex building prior to judging.
5. All clothing exhibits are to be brought to the Stafford County Fair for display following judging.
6. No Public Style Review will be held.
7. **Construction Judging:** The exhibitor will first sit through consultation judging, and will then be required to model the garment/outfit after the consultation judging to display how the garment/outfit fits.
8. **Buymanship Judging:** The exhibitor will model each outfit he/she has for the judge. Exhibitors are allowed to accessorize in any way they think will help the outfit stand out. (For example: If modeling western wear, carry your horse bridle if you show horses or a rope if you rodeo. If modeling beachwear, carry a beach bag & sunglasses.) After modeling, the judge will ask questions pertaining to care of garment and lifecycle & fit.
9. **Educational Exhibits:** Share with others what you learned in this project. Exhibits may be in the form of a poster, notebook or display. Take care to select durable materials that will withstand fair conditions. If the exhibit is a poster, it must not be larger than 22" x 28". If the exhibit is a display, maximum size is a 3' x 4' tri-fold display board. Please see *Notebooks, Posters & Self Determined* Department for classes.
10. Exhibitors are allowed 2 *constructed* garments per class.
11. Garments must be labeled in ink or typed. Labels are available from the County Extension Office. Labels must be pinned or hand stitched to the garment (back of neck, back of waistband, or left end of apron band).
12. No care labels will be required; however, exhibitors should know how to care for fabrics they purchase.
13. Pre-cut kits are acceptable for all clothing construction classes. All articles/garments are to be finished for use.
14. All constructed garments in the Public Style Revue must be modeled by the 4-Her who made the garment.
15. Articles, garments, outfits may have been used/worn, but shall be carefully laundered or cleaned before being exhibited.

## Fair Display

Place garment on hanger with hook toward right shoulder of garment. Secure skirt to hanger so it will stay attached. (Safety pins, clips etc.) Exhibits may be placed in clear plastic bags for protection to and from the fair, bags may be removed for display purposes. Accessories to complete the exhibit should be in a zipper type bag attached to the hanger.

### **AWARDS:**

There will be a Champion and Reserve Champion awarded for each division.

An Overall Grand Champion and an Overall Reserve Champion will be selected from all divisions.

**Overall Grand Champion Clothing Construction Trophy**  
**Overall Reserve Grand Champion Clothing Construction Trophy**  
**Overall Grand Champion Buymanship / Style Revue Trophy**  
**Overall Reserve Grand Champion Buymanship / Style Revue Trophy**

### **Kansas State Fair Contestants:**

Each County may enter two contestants per class. Young men and young women are eligible to participate; however, each member may compete in only one class. Participants must be 14, but not yet 19, before January 1 of current year. Contestants must have been declared a winner of the county or district level. Alternates may participate if winners cannot attend. Paperwork will be placed in award packet at the County Fair Public Style Review.

## DEFINITIONS

**ARTICLE** is a simple item constructed as a clothing project such as a laundry bag, garment bag, backpack, apron, shorts, slacks, shirt or blouse, pillow, scarf or articles suggested in the project material. Can be hand or machine sewn, and could include applique or machine embroidering on items they have made.

**2-PIECE COORDINATED OUTFIT** is 2 pieces that can be worn together at the same time, but not necessarily a complete outfit (i.e. vest and skirt).

**GARMENT** can be a skirt, vest, simple dress, coat, jumper, jump suit, elasticized shorts, slacks, or a pull over top, etc.

**3-PIECE COORDINATED OUTFIT** is 3 pieces with at least 2 of the pieces that can be worn together at the same time. The third piece could be worn with one or both, but not necessarily at the same time. Does not have to be a complete outfit. (i.e. 3 pieces not worn at the same time - a skirt, a blouse, and pants, or 1 skirt and 2 blouses). All three must be made by the exhibitor, do not exhibit purchased items.

**RECYCLED CLOTHING PROJECT** (Also a Kansas State Fair Class) An item made of at least 50% recycled material (recycled means reusing an existing item in a new way). Could be remaking/ redesigning a garment, re-purposing a clothing item for a new use, etc. Must include sewing of some kind. An index card (no larger than 4" x 6") MUST accompany the entry describing the recycled materials and how they were used in the item.



## Style Revue Guidelines for Construction & Purchased Garments

- To understand and demonstrate a wardrobe plan.
- To understand how selected garments and accessories enhance their personal/public presentation.
- To understand the value of this garment/outfit and how it fits into the family's clothing budget.
- To be able to describe how they have accepted personal responsibility in caring for their garment/outfit.
- To visually demonstrate personal fitness, grooming, clothing/accessories, comfort and safety.
- To be able to describe how they cared for the garment/outfit and how it has proved to fit into their wardrobe plan.

## 4-H CLOTHING CONSTRUCTION

### BEGINNING CONSTRUCTION

(ages 7-9)

#### CLASS:

**412001—Assembled Sewing Kit**

**412002—Article** (See definition box)

**412003—Garment** (This class is a beginning class so it shouldn't include things such as zippers, button holes and buttons, set-in sleeves, etc.)

**412004—Recycled Article** (Example: A purse made from old jeans.)

**412005—Recycled Garment** (Example: Jeans made into capris and embellished with trim.)

**412006—Other**

**412301—Constructed Style Revue**

\***Notebook, Poster, Educational Display**—Any Individual Project

### INTERMEDIATE CONSTRUCTION

(ages 10-13)

#### CLASS:

**412101—Assembled Sewing Kit**

**412102—Article** (See definition box)

**412103—Garment** (This class is a beginning class so it shouldn't include things such as zippers, button holes and buttons, set-in sleeves, etc.)

**412104—2-Piece Coordinated Outfit**

**412105—Recycled Article** (Example: A purse made from old jeans.)

**412106—Recycled Garment** (Example: Jeans made into capris and embellished with trim.)

**412107—Other**

**412302—Constructed Style Revue**

\***Notebook, Poster, Educational Display**—Any Individual Project

### SENIOR CONSTRUCTION

(ages 14 & up)

#### CLASS:

**412201—Garment**

**412202—Article**

**412203—2-Piece Coordinated Outfit**

**412204—3-Piece Coordinated Outfit**

**412205—Recycled Article** (Example: A purse made from old jeans.)

**412206—Recycled Garment** (Example: Jeans made into capris and embellished with trim.)

**412207—Formal**

**412208—Suit**

**412209—Coat**

**412210—Other**

**412303—Constructed Style Revue**

\***Notebook, Poster, Educational Display**—Any Individual Project



# 4-H BUYMANSHIP & STYLE REVUE

1. Read Clothing & Textiles Rules.
2. Buymanship exhibitors may enter a total of 3 outfits.
3. Awards will be given for both girls Buymanship and boys Buymanship.
4. Exhibitors may select two Buymanship outfits to model at the Public Style Revue (plus one construction outfit). **No public style review for 2020.**
5. Exhibitors will need to have a description sheet filled out for each outfit that will be judged, please have these ready for the judge to look over.
6. Senior age division participants, and sometimes intermediate age division participants should understand the concept of “*Cost per Wear*” and know how to properly complete the form. Senior age division participants are required to have a *Cost Per Wear* form filled out for each outfit modeled. This form is optional for intermediate age participants.
7. All forms for this division can be downloaded at [www.stafford.ksu.edu](http://www.stafford.ksu.edu) or picked up at the Extension Office.

## **Outfit Descriptions:**

**Formal Wear**—Short, mid-length or long length

**Dress Wear**—Outfit suitable for special occasions, job interviews or church functions

**School/Casual Wear**—Chinos, Khakis, jeans, shorts, sweaters, separates, layered tops

**Active Sports Wear**—Sports attire, sneakers, dance outfits, tennis, running, basketball shorts, etc.

**Western Wear**—Jeans, boots, western shirts, western accessories (belt, hat, jewelry)

**Other Outfit**—Miscellaneous category for any extra outfit.

## **BEGINNING BUYMANSHIP (7-9 yrs.)**

413001—Formal Wear

413002—Casual Wear

413003—Dress Wear

413004—Active Sports Wear

413005—Western Wear

413006—Other Outfit

## **INTERMEDIATE BUYMANSHIP (10-13 yrs)**

413101—Formal Wear

413102—Casual Wear

413103—Dress Wear

413104—Active Sports Wear

413105—Western Wear

413106—Other Outfit

## **SENIOR BUYMANSHIP (14 & up)**

413201—Formal Wear

413202—Casual Wear

413203—Dress Wear

413204—Active Sports Wear

413205—Western Wear

413206—Other Outfit