

## STANDARDS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL 2024 STARK COUNTY 4-H CLOTHING PROJECTS

1. ALL construction MUST be completed by the 4-H member.
2. Both coordination of the various parts of the outfit to achieve a total well-dressed look and quality of construction are important in evaluation.
3. All blanks in the project book should be filled in, unless not applicable (please mark "N/A" in the space). If the book is being re-used or used by more than one member, record information on separate sheets of paper.
4. Finishing details such as seams (MUST BE FINISHED) and hems should be appropriate to the fabric and the garment.
5. Bring your project outfit on a hanger to judging. Outfits will be taken off and left for further evaluation in the dressing room, bring a change of clothing.
6. The same outfit cannot be entered or modeled in two categories at county or state level. 4-H'ers who take more than one clothing project must complete separate learning experiences related to each, including creating a separate complete outfit FOR EACH PROJECT. Using items from two or more projects to form one outfit will not be considered as a "completion" of either project.
7. 4-H'ers are required to participate in Sewing/Clothing Skillathon. If they attend the "Sew Ohio" 2024 in Columbus, then they do NOT need to participate at the county Sewing/Clothing Skillathon.

### **Stark County 4-H Clothing Judging & Style Revue**

**\*\*\*\*\*NEW LOCATION\*\*\*\*\***

**Tuesday, July 9, 2024**

**Registration is open from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.**

**at Foltz Center, 224 N. Wood St., East Canton, OH**

**Style Revue will start at 7 p.m. (4-H'ers must be dressed by 6:30 p.m. for pictures).**

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### **2024 OHIO STATE FAIR 4-H FASHION REVUE PARTICIPATION SCHEDULE**

#### **4-H FASHION REVUE PARTICIPATION SCHEDULE**

**A.M. Style Revue – Registration 8:45-9:00 am; Judging 9:00 am; Style Revue 11:30 a.m.**

**P.M. Style Revue – Registration 1:15-1:30 pm; Judging 1:30 pm; Style Revue 4:00 p.m.**

#### **TUESDAY a.m. Style Revue**

- J-1 Terrific Tops (B)
- J-2 Clothing for Middle School (I)
- J-3 Creative Costumes (A)

#### **WEDNESDAY a.m. Style Revue**

- J-8 Accessories for Teens (B)
- J-9 Sew for Others Jr. (I)
- J-10 Sew for Others Sr. (I)
- J-11 Dress Up Daywear (A)

#### **THURSDAY a.m. Style Revue**

- J-17 Loungewear Jr. (I)
- J-18 Loungewear Sr. (I)
- J-19 em\*bel\*lish (I)
- J-20 Clothes for HS & College (A)

#### **TUESDAY p.m. Style Revue**

- J-4 Sundresses & Jumpers (B)
- J-5 Shopping Savvy Jr. (I)
- J-6 Shopping Savvy Sr. (I)
- J-7 Dress Up Outfit-Formalwear (A)

#### **WEDNESDAY p.m. Style Revue**

- J-12 Sew Fun Jr. (B)
- J-13 Sew Fun Sr. (B)
- J-14 Look Great for Less Jr. (A)
- J-15 Look Great for Less Sr. (A)
- J-16 Clothing for Your Career (A)

#### **THURSDAY p.m. Style Revue**

- J-21 Designed by Me (B)
- J-22 Ready, Set, Sew Active! (I)
- J-23 Outerwear for Anywhere (A)

- **4-Hers must participate in interview judging AND the Style Revue to be eligible for awards.**
- **Individuals may participate in a total of 2 classes; they must be in different Style Revues.**
- **4-H'ers who take more than one clothing project must complete separate learning experiences related to each, including creating a separate, complete, total look outfit FOR EACH PROJECT**

Note: B = Beginner, I = Intermediate, A = Advanced

—IMPORTANT—

**CLOTHING JUDGING & STYLE REVUE INFORMATION**

**NOTE:** 4-H'er must bring project outfit on a hanger to judging. **DO NOT WEAR YOUR PROJECT OUTFIT to judging.** There will be a dressing room for 4-H'ers to change into their outfits.

**4-H Members will complete the 4-H Style Revue Narration Form at clothing judging.**

**CLOTHING JUDGING—**

1. Each 4-H member will register at the front desk. 4-H'ers will take their outfits with them to the dressing room to change for judging.
2. 4-H'ers will take their 4-H Clothing Project Book(s) with them to be judged.
3. The clothing judge will evaluate the garment on the 4-H'er during their interview. When the 4-H'er is done at interview judging, they will leave their garment in the dressing room for the judge to inspect the inside of the constructed garment(s).
4. Participation at Style Revue is voluntary, but is a requirement to be eligible for State Fair selection.
5. State Fair participants are selected only from Style Revue Participants.
6. State Fair selection will be determined by the judge. Judge's decision is final.
7. Style Revue narration cards must be checked in at the registration table at judging.
8. Judging is based on the "seven clues to the total look" given in the "Judging Your Outfit" or "Total Look" section of your project book and your project guidelines completion. Dress-up Outfit (417) will be divided into two (2) categories for county and state style revues. 4-H member must select which category they desire before project evaluation. They may choose either Dress-up Day Wear or Dress-up Formal Wear.
9. Sewing For Others (412) - A 4-H clothing project made for someone other than the 4-H member. The model and member must be present at county evaluation, and the model must present the outfit at county Style Revue. Only one model can participate in the Ohio State Fair.
10. 4-H'ers can take more than one clothing project but may participate in a total of 2 classes at the Ohio State Fair Fashion Revue as long as they are in different fashion revues — see state fair schedule on page 1.
11. Champion of Champions Clothing & Textile Winner will be selected at the Stark County 4-H Style Revue. The recipient will be selected from the class winners (state fair participants) and will be announced at the end of the style revue.

**FOR ALL CLOTHING PROJECTS, MEMBER WILL BRING TO EVALUATION THE ITEMS LISTED:**

1. Completed project book, information records. Have an understanding of the information covered in the book.
2. Pattern(s), if used.
3. Completed outfit made for the project along with their accessories for a total look, to be modeled for the judge. Please follow all guidelines and wear appropriate dress for public judging and project design.
4. Any other items listed under the specific project.
5. Completed Member Project Guidelines.

**NON-CLOTHING CONSTRUCTION (Non-Sewing) PROJECTS**

**#430 - SHOPPING SAVVY**

**Junior Division: Ages 8-13**

**Senior Division: 14 & older**

*\*Jr. and Sr. Division Winners at the Style Revue are eligible for State Fair Participation.*

1. Complete the project guidelines on pages 5-7 of your project book. Complete all activities.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Wear a "total look" outfit assembled according to the information in your project to convey the image you wish to project to the audience and judges. However, you will be judged on mastery of the project book rather than the outfit worn unless the outfit was put together to complete an activity within the project. Also, bring completed project book, poster, pages or visual showing completed

activities.

#### **#425 - LOOK GREAT FOR LESS**

**Junior Division: Ages 8-13**

**Senior Division: 14 & older**

*\*Jr. and Sr. Division Winners at the Style Revue are eligible for State Fair Participation.*

1. Complete Project Guidelines on page 5.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Wear the “total look” outfit you put together as inexpensively as possible. The total look includes clothing, accessories, jewelry, shoes, etc. It is acceptable to use an item or two from those you already own, but remember this is a shopping project and the majority of your total look should be items purchased using skills you’ve learned while doing this project. Also, bring completed poster, pages or visual showing completed activities.

### **SEWING PROJECTS FOR YOUNGER/BEGINNER MEMBERS**

#### **#410 - DESIGNED BY ME** *REVISED NEW BOOK IN 2018*

1. Complete Member Guidelines.
2. Be prepared to answer questions on sewing double layer patches, fusing a patch, sewing a button & basic stitches.
3. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Wear your decorated top (with the 2 embellishment methods you used) with the completed outfit you assembled for a total look. Bring completed poster, pages or visual showing completed activities.

#### **#409 - SEW FUN (\*BEGINNER Level Project for ANY AGE)** *UPDATED NEW BOOK IN 2017*

**Junior Division: Ages 8-10**

**Senior Division: 11 & older**

*\*Jr. and Sr. Division Winners at the Style Revue are eligible for State Fair Participation.*

1. Complete Member Guidelines listed in the book.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Wear the garment you made using an “easy” or “beginner” pattern (skirt, shorts, pants, or capris with a full elastic waistline). Also, bring your sewing box and pin cushion.

#### **#419 - TERRIFIC TOPS (Designed for Beginner Level for ages 11-13)** *UPDATED NEW BOOK IN 2019*

1. Complete the General Project Guidelines.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Wear the top you constructed with accessories for the total look.

#### **#413 - SUNDRESSES and JUMPERS**

1. Complete Member Project Guidelines on page 4.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: construct and model the sundress or jumper (with or without a top) and select accessories to complete your total look outfit. Pantsuits, jumpsuits, skorts, and split skirts jumpers cannot be made in the Sundresses and Jumpers Project.

#### **#407 - ACCESSORIES FOR TEENS**

1. Complete Project Guidelines on page 4.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: model a complete outfit with at least one (1) accessory you made from the following accessories: Bags/Purses, Scarves and Ties, Mufflers/Shawls, Socks and Hosiery, Suspenders, Jewelry, Removable Collar/Dickey/Jabots, Belts/Cummerbunds, Footwear/Shoe Covers, Hats, Gloves, and other.
3. Garments such as sweaters or vests are not considered as accessories for this project. Also, permanent decorations such as patches, smocking, embroidery, needlework, or other non-removable features added to ready-to-wear items are NOT options to completing this project although such techniques can be included in constructing the accessory. Wear at least one accessory you made with the outfit for which it was designed.

## **SEWING PROJECTS FOR INTERMEDIATE LEVEL**

*For 4-H clothing members of any age with some 4-H clothing experience.*

### **#411 - em•bel•ish: A 4-H GUIDE TO WEARABLE ART** *New in 2012*

*For members with some clothing experience -- intermediate/advance levels. This project book guides members through ideas for embellishing clothing items. It does not involve sewing. You will be embellishing an existing garment -- wearable art.*

1. Complete Member Project Guidelines on page 6.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Bring a previously made garment or ready-to-wear garment selected from your wardrobe that you embellished. Select other garments and accessories for a total look outfit. Bring completed activities, *Talking it Over* pages and completed notebook with at least 3 samples or more of embellishment techniques you tried, including the techniques you used on the garment you selected. Model your complete outfit including the item(s) embellished for this project. Bring your embellished garment, the completed project book, your tools and a presentation board or book.

### **#412 - SEW FOR OTHERS** *UPDATED NEW PROJECT BOOK IN 2021*

**Junior Division: Ages 8-13**

**Senior Division: 14 & older**

*\*Jr. and Sr. Division Winners at the Style Revue are eligible for State Fair Participation.*

1. Complete Member Project Guidelines on page 3.
2. Evaluation will be based on the total look on the model.
3. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Construct one complete outfit for the person of your choice OR adapt 3 garments for someone with a disability. It is desirable, but not required, for the "other" to be present to show an outfit you made at the judging and Fashion Revue. If the other cannot be present, simply bring the garment you made to show the judge and to exhibit in the Fashion Revue. We limit the number of "others" and outfits to no more than one "other" outfit per entrant.
4. It is encouraged that the 4-H member dress appropriately (no shorts and tank top) during the interview at evaluation and style revue.
5. If this project is repeated, a different category of "others" should be should be selected each time.

### **#415 - READY, SET, SEW ACTIVE!** *NEW IN 2019*

1. Complete Member Project Guidelines.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Wear the garment you constructed for active sports.

### **#418 - LOUNGEWEAR**

**Junior Division: Ages 8-13**

**Senior Division: 14 & older**

*\*Jr. and Sr. Division Winners at the Style Revue are eligible for State Fair Participation.*

1. Considered intermediate & advanced level project depending upon the difficulty of the outfit you make. This project may be repeated for a more challenging outfit on an advanced level.
2. Complete Member Project Guidelines listed on page 5 of the project book.
3. For Evaluation and Style Revue: construct the outer layer of a lounging outfit such as a robe, shawl or cover-up. Make or select other garments and accessories (sleepwear and footwear) to complete your outfit.

### **#424 - CLOTHES FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL (Intermediate Level Project for grades 6-9)**

1. Complete Member Project Guidelines on page 5.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: construct and model an outfit you can wear to school along with accessories for a complete, total look. Wear the garment you constructed (garment with sleeves or a skirt or pants plus a top).

## **SEWING PROJECTS FOR ADVANCED LEVEL**

*For 4-H clothing members of any age who have mastered basic clothing construction skills.*

### **#406 - CLOTHES FOR HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE (Grades 9 and up)**

1. Complete Member Project Guidelines on page 2.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: construct and model an outfit you can wear to school along with accessories for a complete, total look. Wear the garment you constructed (minimum of two pieces or a one-piece garment with sleeves plus some other fashion detail not tried before).

### **#408 - CREATIVE COSTUMES**

1. Complete Member Project Guidelines as stated on pages 4-5.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: model one complete costume you planned, made and accessorized authentically for your time period or category from one of the four categories:  
1.) Historical, 2.) Ethnic/Cultural, 3.) Theatrical, or 4.) Special Interest.
3. Be prepared to answer questions regarding the construction of the garment, and research on your category or time period. You will be judged on the mastery of the project book in addition to the garment constructed.
4. This project may be repeated but you must choose a different category.

### **#417 - DRESS-UP OUTFITS**

1. Complete Member Project Guidelines on page 3.
2. This project will be divided into two (2) categories for county and state style revues. 4-H member must select which category they desire before project evaluation. They may choose either:
  - Dress-up Day Wear** - Wear the dress-up garment you constructed for day wear and accessories for the total look.
  - Dress-up Formal Wear** - Wear the dress-up garment you constructed for formal wear and accessories for the total look.
3. For Evaluation and Style Revue: make and model your outfit, complete with accessories for a total look.

### **#420 - OUTERWEAR FOR ANYWHERE** *NEW in 2016*

1. Complete Project Guidelines on page 3.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: construct and model a coat, jacket or cape, complete with accessories and other garments in your wardrobe that you have purchased or made. This outer layer garment may be lined or unlined.
3. Bring a tailored sample from Activity 6 (if your garment doesn't feature any of these techniques).
4. Outfit components may not be used in another clothing project.

### **#426 - CLOTHING FOR YOUR CAREER**

1. Complete Project Guidelines on page 4.
2. For Evaluation and Style Revue: Wear the outfit you made. The outfit should have at least 2 pieces, appropriate for the job, work or an interview (suit, uniform or work outfit).
3. Write a report or submit questions and answers from your job interview experience.
4. Bring to judging at least two (2) alterations/recycling experiences.

### **#432 - SEWING AND TEXTILES (non-clothing) MASTER** (This project is COUNTY LEVEL ONLY.)

1. Complete Project Guidelines on page 2.
2. For Evaluation: Plan, sew, and evaluation at least one non-clothing fabric item (home decor, animal jacket, etc.). What you make should be different from what you can make in other 4-H projects, or should require specialized or professional level skills to complete (beyond what would be expected in other projects).