

4-H Fashion Show

Semi-Formal to Formal

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What to know to be involved in the Fashion Show

- Categories - Construction and Buying
- Paperwork
- Interviews



Theater/ Costume

Garment intended for use as a costume, which would include stage production. May be sewn from fabric or from another garment. These garments may be unusual or innovative materials, imaginative but wearable.

Textiles Contest County & D-10 Contest

- Jewelry
- Household Items
- Kitchen Items
- Accessory Item
- Embellished Item
- Holiday Textile Items

Discuss Packet

Fashion Show Paperwork

- Write Legibly or print
- Answer honestly
- Attach a head to toe photo
- Obtain signatures
- Submit script narrative

On most questions or project page

Construction Category

Garments may be constructed by sewing, knitting, or crocheting. Accessories may be purchased.

All garments worn (garments that are visible - i.e., blouse under jacket or vest) during the interview process must be constructed. Close fitting leggings, tights and pantyhose do not need to be constructed.

Garments must be made from fabric and not from recycled items.

Everyday Living

Includes casual sportswear, weekend-wear, sleepwear, clothing for school, casual after - school events, or hanging out with friends.

ReFashion

The result of modifying existing clothing or fabric item (such as table cloth or curtain) into something more fashionable. The main purpose of ReFashion is creativity as well as sewing skills. The member designs and sews a wearable garment from previously used garments or fabric item. The completed garment is different from its original use, not just an alteration. (Example: rack two shirts together to form a skirt or taking old t-shirts and making them into a skirt)

Special Interest

Entry should be a specific outfit that you NEED to know how to purchase. Entry should be something that reflects a special interest of the participant such as memorabilia clothing, cat-suit, gothic, dance costumes, hiking clothing, or rock climbing clothing.

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Entry must be designed for semi-formal to formal occasions and made from fabrics intended for the same. This includes men's suits and sweaters and women's dressy dresses, formal gowns, wedding dresses, and bridesmaid dresses.

Business /Interview Attire

Entry should be an outfit you would wear for a job interview, scholarly interview, job fair, or other professional event.

1. Professional - This is a more traditional, conservative approach (e.g., business suit or blouse, tie and dress slacks for men; business suit, pantsuit, or jacket and dress for women), and may vary by employer or industry.
2. Business Casual - This trend is more relaxed and comfortable but demonstrates good judgment in choices and displays a neat appearance (e.g., polo shirt, slacks with a collar or sweater, blouses or other slacks, dress or casual button shirts for men; and women, moderate length dress or skirt for women).

Fantastic Fashions under \$25

This category is designed to capture the member's creative imagination to create affordable clothing or accessories. Entries may be an ensemble or a single item. Examples: Crocheted, knitted, or woven items; beaded items; recycled items; or items made from household items. Entries are judged on creativity and how well they represent the member's skills. This category is open to all members and is not limited to any one age group.

Fashion Storyboard

- Opportunity to showcase creativity and design
- Workshop on March 10th

Natural Fibers Contest

- Seniors Only
- Youth may enter the Natural Fibers contest only and not compete in construction or buying
- Entries may be wool, mohair or cotton

Fashion Show Interviews

- Shake hands and introduce yourself upon initial meeting of judges
- Smile and be confident
- Answer questions honestly
- Know the information you wrote on your project sheets
- Know the information about your garment, care, pricing, etc.
- Thank the judges for their time
- Shake hands upon leaving
- Be Respectful

Contest Logistics

- County Contest - April 10th -submit Entry Form
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Questions

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Buying Category

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Fantastic Fashions under \$25

This category is designed to expand the 4-H member's designing experience by using different sewing concepts. Entry must be purchased at a garage sale, consignment store, Goodwill, Goodwill Store, or other retail business. Items are to be worn during the interview process. Items are to be purchased for no more than \$25. Items are to be worn during the interview process. Items are to be purchased for no more than \$25.

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Fantastic Fashions under \$25

This category is designed to expand the 4-H member's shopping experience to include different shopping venues. Outfits must be purchased at a garage sale, consignment store, Goodwill, Salvation Army, or other retail business. Receipts are required for everything that is visible during the interview, except shoes. Receipts for garage sales can be handwritten. This includes jewelry and accessories. Do not need to account for sales tax.

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<http://fcs.tamu.edu/clothing/4h/community-service/index.php>

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