

Study Guide for It's Time for Clothing

Clothing projects include: It's Time for Clothing - Beginner, Intermediate and Advanced

To help you prepare for clothing skill-a-thon in these project areas, it is recommended that members use their project books as their study guides. If they would like an additional resource, Let's Sew - Beginners Sewing Guide, authored by Nancy Zieman (of Sewing with Nancy fame) is available through the National 4-H Source Book (we have this catalog at the Extension Office) or at local fabric stores. All members are encouraged to begin building a reference library.

In addition to an interview with a judge, each member will complete three skill activities to demonstrate knowledge from their project. In 2005 those members receiving 90% or over on their skill-a-thon activities will be recognized at their appropriate fashion revue. The skillathon score will be used in selection of award winners.

Skill activities for the above projects will be taken from the 4-H project book. Members are encouraged to complete the activities in their project book according to the guidelines listed in the front of each book in preparation for the skill-a-thon.

It's Time for Clothing - Beginner

Knowledge of the following will be demonstrated by varied methods from matching, labeling, short answers and "hands on" demonstration.

Members should study the following topics:

- Color wheel
- Color, tint, shade
- Wardrobe inventory skills (mend, give away, throw away)
- Label reading
- Sizing including a size chart
- Clothing care
- Mail order catalog comparison

Interest areas targeted: 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 13, 16

It's Time for Clothing - Intermediate

The 4-Her will demonstrate knowledge of the following by a variety of methods, including matching, labeling, short answers, and “hands on” demonstration.

Members should study the following topics:

- Line
- Accessories
- Advertising
- Label Reading
- Taking Measurements
- Clothing Care

Interest areas targeted: 3, 6, 7, 9, 11, 16, 25

It's Time for Clothing - Advanced

The 4-Her will demonstrate knowledge of the following by a variety of methods, including matching, labeling, short answers, and “hands on” demonstration.

- Color
- 2nd Hand Clothing
- Advertising
- Being a Good Consumer
- Label Laws
- Proper Packing

Interest areas targeted: 1, 3, 10, 14, 17, 18, 24