

Gift Wrapping

Description: This project allows for great creativity. Youth will learn how to gift wrap assorted sizes of boxes and other items, using purchased wrapping paper. They progress to designing their own wrapping materials.

No State Fair Exhibit

- Enroll in 4-H, pay annual program fee, and enter project in V2.4honline by May 15
- Enter exhibit(s) in FairEntry by May 24, 2024. See page 7 Rule #24.
- Exhibits checked-in Saturday, June 15, 2024 from 9am-12pm, judging starts at 12:30 pm

An Allen County 4-H General Record Sheet must be completed, signed and turned in at the beginning of check-in for All Exhibit Building Projects.

Your package for exhibit purposes should not contain a gift.

4-H'er may exhibit a maximum of three (3) exhibits in their division.

All posters, notebooks, and display boards must include a reference list indicating where information was obtained, giving credit to the original author, to complete the 4-H member's exhibit. This reference list should/might include web site links, people and professionals interviewed, books, magazines, etc. It is recommended this reference list be attached to the back of a poster or display board, be the last page of a notebook, or included as part of the display visible to the public. A judge is not to discredit an exhibit for the way references are listed.

Space should be left in the lower right-hand corner to place an exhibit tag provided by Purdue Extension staff.

Judges evaluating exhibits should recognize individual differences and creativity, therefore using information in this document as a guide rather than a requirement.

Exhibit Requirements:

DIVISION I: One rectangular package including a self-made bow, using commercial wrapping paper.

DIVISION II: One cubic package or one small box suitable for a ring or pin; using a self-made bow and commercial wrapping paper.

DIVISION III: One cylindrical package, including self-made bow or other decorations, and commercial wrapping paper.

DIVISION IV: A series of two or three packages in a tiered effect, wrapped as one complete package. For example: 3 stacked cylinders, 2 rectangular boxes, 1 cubic box and 2 cylinders, etc. Use self-made bows or other decorations, and commercial wrapping paper.

DIVISION V AND ABOVE: Choose from the following:

PARCEL PACKAGE: One package wrapped for shipping, meeting current U.S. Postal Service regulations (during the Fair year). Should contain a wrapped package. Note: Box will be opened by judge to check positioning and cushioning of inside package.

RE-USABLE GIFT BOX: One package with top and bottom of box/container wrapped separately. May use commercial or self-made paper.

WRAPPING OTHER THAN PAPER: One package wrapped in materials other than wrapping paper; example: dishtowel, baby blanket, scarf, etc.

GIFT BAG: One self-made gift bag, using commercial or self-made paper.

NON-BOXED GIFT: One wrapped gift which is not wrapped in a box: example: an umbrella, a bat, a broom, a jar of preserves, oversized items, etc.

SELF-MADE PAPER: One package wrapped only in self-made paper and decorations.