Completed (40 possible) Accuracy of answers (30 possible) Appropriate grammar (15 possible) Neatness of record (15 possible) Total A = 86-100 points	
B = 71-85 points	
C = 70 points or less	

# **4-H Sport Fishing – Intermediate** (Grades 6-8) Record Sheet



Steuben County 4-H

Record for Year

A completed record sheet is due by the last business day of May to exhibit each project at the fair. Use any 4-H publications, the internet, the library, or a professional to help you prepare your responses.

### **The Basics**

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_ 4-H Club \_\_\_\_\_\_

Years in 4-H \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Years in Project \_\_\_\_\_

## **Going Fishing**

List five pieces of tackle or gear that might not fit in an angler's tackle box.

1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

What type of bait did you use this year to catch fish?

Bait/Lure Used	Type of Fish I Caught

Share the various types of lures and baits you tried this year and note whether they were successful or not.

Lures I Tried	Successfulness	Baits I Tried	Successfulness
	Successful		Successful
	Not Successful		Not Successful
	Successful		Successful
	Not Successful		Not Successful
	Successful		Successful
	Not Successful		Not Successful

## **Bouncing Bobbers**

What is the difference between a bait casting reel and a spinning reel?

Name three different types of fishing line knots used by anglers and put a star by the ones you have tried.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Fish have senses. Based on the circumstances listed below, describe what you think might happen.

Sense	Circumstance	What would a fish do?
Sight	Fish sees a bright, high contrast lure in dark water	
Smell	Fish smells a plastic bait	
Taste	Fish tastes garlic near the bait	
Hearing	Fish hears a propeller in the water	

#### **Reeling It In**

In what ways does litter impact the environment and fish habitat?

What kind of fishing pole or fishing system did you use this year?

We do not necessarily care what you spent on your exhibit this year, but it is good for you to understand that things have a cost. Even poster boards are not free. Approximately how much do you think you spent or will spend on your exhibit this year? Circle one.

\$0.00-\$5.00 \$5.00-\$15.00 \$15.00-\$30.00 \$30.00-\$50.00 Greater than \$50.00

What was the hardest thing or do you foresee as being the hardest thing about creating your exhibit this year?

What did you like best or think you will like best about creating your exhibit?

#### **Casting to the Future**

Name three professions or careers that involve fish or angling.

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Why is this subject matter important to you?

What is one thing you learned or sparked your interest as a result of completing this project?

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