

COMMUNICATION AND EXPRESSIVE ARTS DIVISION

SECTION 4300 4-H POSTER-ART EXHIBIT

- Poster must be constructed on poster board 14" x 22" (1/2 of a poster board). They may be horizontal or vertical. Poster may be produced by any medium — watercolor, ink, crayon, acrylic, charcoal, collage, computer, etc. — Posters must be flat. Do not use 3-dimensional pieces on posters. Posters will be judged on 1) educational idea portrayed, 2) public appeal, and 3) creative and original ability presented. Copyrighted or trademarked cartoon characters or other designs must not be used due to copyright restrictions.
- For display purposes, exhibitors are encouraged to laminate or cover all posters with clear plastic film. **Posters must be signed and dated on the back in permanent marker before laminating. If not marked, the judging committee may mark or punch. Text of posters should be readable from at least 10 ft. away.**
- Each county is limited to one poster per class. Individual 4-H member is restricted to those exhibits designed for his or her grade group.
- The 4-H member's name, grade before September 1, and county should be on the back of the poster in the upper left hand corner.
- **Awards:** Ribbons will be placed to top 10 in each class. Premiums will be paid on the top 3 places in each class as follows: **NOTE: Posters in this section must include 4-H Clover or mention 4-H. When using the official clover with H's, the tail should curve to the right and the words 18 U.S.C. 707 must appear under the lower right leaflet, unless poster and clover are hand drawn.** For more information on proper use of the 4-H clover please refer to <https://4h.okstate.edu/educators/clover-and-emblem/index.html>

Beginner Division (grades 3-5)

1. 4-H promotional poster designed to recruit 4-H members, volunteers, promote any 4-H event or promote any 4-H project.
2. Poster designed to promote 4-H using the theme "Find your spark in 4-H"
3. Poster recognizing or documenting one of the following: Oklahoma 4-H history during one decade or the evolution of a particular 4-H project area over the decades.

Intermediate Division (grades 6-8)

4. 4-H promotional poster designed to recruit 4-H members, volunteers, promote any 4-H event or promote any 4-H project.
5. Poster designed to promote 4-H using the theme "Find your spark in 4-H"
6. Poster recognizing or documenting one of the following: Oklahoma 4-H history during one decade or the evolution of a particular 4-H project area over the decades.

Advanced Division (grades 9-12)

7. 4-H promotional poster designed to recruit 4-H members, volunteers, promote any 4-H event or promote any 4-H project.
8. Poster designed to promote 4-H using the theme "Find your spark in 4-H"
9. Poster recognizing or documenting one of the following: Oklahoma 4-H history during one decade or the evolution of a particular 4-H project area over the decades.