

Photography Unit 4

Mastering Photography

Judging Sheet

American System Placing: (Check One)

Champion _____

Reserve Champion _____

Placing 3-10 _____

Grand Champion _____

Reserve Grand Champion _____

Danish System Award: (Check One)
(For County Use Only)

Blue _____

Red _____

White _____

Member Name: _____

County: _____

Jr. _____ Int. _____ Sr. _____ Yrs. in Project: _____

Exhibit: Completed Photography e-Record/Journal and photos in a 3-ring binder. The exhibit should include 29 photos with one 5" x 7" display photo matted and ready to hang. Judges may use the back of the form for more comments.

Judging Element 1: 4-H e-Record: Complete means that everything has been filled out. Not complete means that there is something missing and needs a comment as to what is missing or why it is not complete. Project will be evaluated on the quality of information completed in e-record (25 percent) and quality of exhibit (75 percent).

Criteria	Complete	Not Complete	Comments
E-Record			
Record Cover			
Project Goals			
What 4-H projects are you taking this year?			
What activities helped you learn the skills for the project? (workshops, project meetings, classes, contests, etc.)			
What leadership development experiences did you participate in?			
Citizenship/Community Service in 4-H			
Demonstrations/Presentations/Speeches			
Project Expense/Return on Investment			
Favorite Photo			
Goal Evaluation			
Story			

Criteria	E	G	F	N/I	Comments
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Judging Element 2: Supplemental Journal Questions					N/I = Needs Improvement - must have comments
Are all supplemental questions answered completely and thoughtfully in photo journal?					

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Judging Element 3: 4-H Photography Unit 4 – All photos in notebook should be 4" X 6" unless otherwise individuated in manual.

Display Photo - May be up to 5" X 7" in size, no larger than 8" x 10" matted, and must be matted and ready to hang					
Labels: All photos must have the following: Camera Used Activity # Photo # (left to right, and top to bottom) Subject Date Photo Taken					
Activity 1 – 2 photos a. – 1 photo using 1/250, f8 of a bright scene b. – 1 photo using 1/250, f8 of a dark scene					
Activity 2 – 2 photos a. – 1 photo using a small f-stop setting b. – 1 photo using a large f-stop setting					

Activity 3 – 2 photos a. – 2 night photos using a correct aperture					
Activity 4 – 1 photo a. – 1 photo with the subject back-lit, with the main subject in the foreground					
Activity 5 – 3 Photos a. – 1 photo of a silhouette in nature b. – 1 photo of a silhouette taken indoors c. – 1 photo of a silhouette of your choice					
Activity 6 – 1 photo a. – 1 photo using either geometric shapes or interesting framing					
Activity 7 – 2 photos a. – 1 photo representing harmony b. – 1 photo representing discord					
Activity 8 – 4 photos a. – Four still-life photos that demonstrate a similar theme, color, or lighting					
Activity 9 – 4 photos a. – photos using correct camera settings and lighting to capture home studio portraits, using different poses					
Activity 10 – 4 photos a. – 1 photo representing symmetry/asymmetry b. – 1 photo representing pattern/texture c. – 1 photo representing shape/form d. – 1 photo representing visual rhythms					
Activity 11 – 2 photos a. – 2 photos using the correct shutter speed to capture action shots					
Activity 12 – 2 photos b. – 2 photos showing either astrophotography, underwater, or infrared techniques					
Activity 13 – 1 photo (OPTIONAL- Do not mark down if not included.) a. Using a minimum of 40 photos, make 1 joiner photo. A photo of the joiner photo will be submitted.					

E = Excellent G = Good F = Fair N/I = Needs Improvement

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