

## 411 – em-bel-lish: A 4-H GUIDE TO WEARABLE ART Clothing Project

- ✿ For project COMPLETION and GRADE, Member MUST participate in either:
  1. **County 4-H Project Judging Day** – Ross County Fairgrounds  
Member is eligible for County Awards (Judges' Choice, Outstanding, Honorable Mention) and State Fair Selection (if applicable)
  2. **Early 4-H Project Judging** – Ross County Service Center  
Members unable to attend County Project Judging Day should plan to attend Early Judging. Member is eligible for County Rosettes (Outstanding, Honorable Mention).  
\* *Exception for State Fair selection at Early Judging - If there is only one member judged in a project, then the judge has the option to select a state fair representative.*
- ✿ Complete "Thank You" note activity (see copy of instruction sheet included in your project book)
- ✿ To receive Fair Premiums, your project must be displayed at the Ross County Fair in a Jr. Fair Building booth.
- ✿ **For Project Judging Dates & Times & Details:**  
ASK your Club Advisor  
READ the *May Family HOTLINE* sent to every 4-H family  
LOOK on the 4-H App or website <http://ross.osu.edu>

**Note:** It is a State Rule that members cannot use the same garments for judging in two projects. Each project must have a different total look outfit. *Example:* A member cannot make accessories (for their Accessories for Teens Outfit) to go with their Outer Layer Project.

**SKILL LEVEL:** Intermediate Level

### COMPLETION:

1. Complete all 10 Activities and 3 Journal pages.
2. At least 2 Learning Experiences
3. At least 2 Leadership/Citizenship Activities
4. Make at least one embellished garment.

### JUDGING:

Bring completed project book, garment you made, and pattern (if used), to Judging. Be prepared to wear your "complete look" outfit at Judging. Changing rooms will be available.

### COUNTY FAIR:

1. **Fair Exhibit:**
  - a. To receive fair premium, outfit assembled for judging must be displayed in a fair booth in Jr. Fair Building.
2. **Fair 4-H Style Revue (Modeling Awards):**
  - a. Members completing clothing projects are invited to participate in the Fair 4-H Style Revue showcasing their modeling talents. This is not a required activity for completion of Clothing projects.
  - b. Age Categories: Junior (8–11 years); Intermediate (12–13 years); Senior (14–18 years)
  - c. **Friday of Ross County Fair at 12:00noon** at the Bandstand.  
Line up in the Jr. Fair Building at 11:30am for this event.

### STATE FAIR COMPETITION:

1. State Fair participants will be selected during county-level competition on 4-H Project Judging Day.
2. Event: Clothing Days. Completed project book, completed notebook with at least 3 samples of embellishment techniques you tried, and embellishment(s) on at least one garment.

