## UC 4-H Presentation Program

## **2021 4-H Presentation Cycle**



## **Virtual Presentations**

Public speaking continues to be a cornerstone of UC 4-H. Due to the pandemic, regional and state 4-H presentation events will be held virtually in 2021. Learning to present virtually is becoming an important skill in the workplace. Youth will need to adapt their presentations to take advantage of the technology, including designing slides, keeping the audience's attention, and handling technology problems. The revised <u>UC 4-H Presentation Manual</u> (2020) offers tips for youth presenters on presenting virtually (page 11). Other significant changes include:

- Youth who earn a blue or gold award are eligible to progress from county to regional and regional to state.
- Costumes may be worn in all presentation formats. Youth should wear attire that is neat, clean, acceptable in repair and appearance.

Impromptu categoreies avaiable at the <u>2021 State 4-H Field Day</u> <u>webpage</u>.

Find more on the <u>4-H public speaking webpage</u> and the <u>2021 State 4-H Field Day webpage</u>.

## **EVENTS**

County 4-H Presentation Event March 6, 2021 Contact Wes Alcott wes.alcott@gmail.com

**Regional 4-H Presentation Event** *Registration due April 20 Youth present between April 10-20* 

**State 4-H Presentation Event** *Registration due April 30 Youth present between May 8-22 Awards announced May 23* @ 6pm



State 4-H Field Day Goes Virtual http://ucanr.edu/sfd/

New State 4-H Public Speaking and Communications Committee Chair: <u>Vera M. Bullard</u> Co-Chair: <u>Steven Worker</u>

- Provide leadership to regional and state 4-H presentation events.
- Manage the 4-H Presentation Manual.
- Develop and manage presentation evaluator orientations.