

NEW for 2021! All categories are open to all 4-H members. A sewing related project is not required.



Sonoma County Only Categories - County Only Categories do not qualify for State Fashion Revue competition.



Accessories – Create two or more different coordinating accessories made out of any material or combination of materials including: fabric, leather, yarn, wire, embroidery floss, duct tape, seed beads, glass, or any other craft materials. The accessories must coordinate with each other and with the outfit the member chooses to wear with the accessories. The two accessories must be different types of accessories – two hair clips do not qualify, but it can be a hair clip and a bracelet.

Entry examples: belt, purse, wallet, slippers, jewelry, hat, scarf, gloves, hatband, hair accessories, phone holder, etc.

Embellished (any method) – Creatively decorate an existing wearable garment using any variety of embellishing methods including: adding material, painting, dying, sewing, embroidering, trimming, gluing, etc. Entry must include a before and after picture.

Embellished with Sewing Skills – Creatively decorate an existing wearable garment with embellishing methods using sewing skills. This should involve using a needle: sewing machine needle, hand sewing needle, embroidery needle, knitting needles, or crochet hook. Examples include: adding material or trim, embroidering, adding decorative pockets, sewing on patches/beads/buttons, etc. Entry must include a before and after picture.

Quilted Blanket – Create a multi-layered, quilted blanket. Attach at least 2 layers of material together with an optional third layer in the middle for extra padding and warmth. Use a quilting method to attach all the layers together. The top layer should be made of multiple fabrics sewn together. Entries must have finished edges and backing. Examples include: a quilted baby blanket, a quilted lap/throw blanket, and a quilted blanket for a bed.

Textile – Make a non-wearable item using any technique, any materials, and any pattern.

Entry examples: laptop carrier, shopping bag, garment bag, blanket, pillow case, animal blanket, home décor, placemat, holiday décor, teddy bear, etc.



County and State Categories

For State information, category rules & requirements, evaluation info, and scorecards, see:

https://ucanr.edu/sites/sfd/Competitions/State_Fashion_Revue/ and <https://ucanr.edu/sites/sfd/Competitions/Volunteer/>

Below is a **brief summary** of the 5 State category descriptions, **see State website for full information & requirements.**



Traditional – construct any garment or outfit for yourself showcasing your sewing skills

Consumer Science Purchased, \$40.00 Limit – purchase an entire outfit for less than \$40, including shoes and all accessories. Tax is not included. Receipts are required.

Box Challenge – construct garment(s) using two different fabrics and the required amount of items from the "box"

Cosplay Challenge – using any crafting technique, construct a costume resembling a fictional character. No kits, weapons, or DisneyBounding. Sewing not required. Entry must include a picture or drawing of character.

Vintage Challenge – create a vintage outfit which must include at least one garment made by the member. The outfit should represent designs between from 1900-2000. Entry must include picture of the represented design.

Evaluation of all categories includes:

value vs. cost, versatility, coordination, knowledge gained while creating entry, presentation, overall look, fit, cleanliness, complexity of skills used compared to sewing experience, and more! See the State's "SFR Guide" at <https://ucanr.edu/sites/sfd/Competitions/Volunteer/>

Members may enter multiple Categories; only one entry per category and an entry may not be entered in multiple categories. All garment and accessory entries are to be worn by member (not created/fitted for someone else).

Divisions (age as of 12/31/20): Primary (5-8yrs, not scored); Junior (9-10yrs); Intermediate (11-13yrs); Senior (14-18yrs)

For more information:

Sonoma County Fashion Revue website: http://cesonoma.ucanr.edu/4H/Events/Fashion_Revue/

Sonoma County Fashion Revue committee email: 4HSonomaCountyFashionRevue@gmail.com

State Fashion Revue website: https://ucanr.edu/sites/sfd/Competitions/State_Fashion_Revue/

