

Livestock Judging EXPO

Use phrases between placings:

- However, I will grant...
- On the other hand...
- I did recognize that...
- Admittedly...

Try these Comparative Terms

Frame and Scale

- Bigger
- Longer Bodied, Stretchier
- Taller Fronted
- Later Maturing

Structural Correctness

- Squarer, stronger leg structure
- Leveler, stronger top
- Tighter, stronger shoulder

Muscle

- More muscle
- Thicker, more muscular
- Greater muscle volume
- Greater loin expression



Trimness

- More correct fat cover
- Produce a trimmer carcass
- Leaner with less fat trim

Carcass

- Longer, leaner carcass
- Higher % lean
- Heavier muscled, higher cutting

How you place the class is not nearly as important as the reasons for your placing.

*Accuracy*Delivery*Organization*Completeness*Length*

Class 1: _____ I placed: _____, _____, _____, _____

Class 2: _____ I placed: _____, _____, _____, _____

Class 3: _____ I placed: _____, _____, _____, _____

Class 4: _____ I placed: _____, _____, _____, _____

Class 5: _____ I placed: _____, _____, _____, _____

Class 6: _____ I placed: _____, _____, _____, _____

Oral Reasons Note Card

Goals:

- TO ENHANCE YOUR PUBLIC SPEAKING SKILLS
- TO SHARE YOUR DECISION MAKING PROCESS
- TO CONVINCe SOMEONE YOUR PLACNG OF THE CLASS IS CORRECT

Hints:

- SMILE ☺
- STAND UP STRAIGHT AND PUT HANDS BEHIND YOUR BACK
- SPEAK IN A LOUDER THAN NORMAL SPEAKING VOICE
- GREET THE REASONS TAKER WITH GOOD MORNING, GOOD AFTERNOON
- USE GOOD EYE CONTACT WITH PERSON TAKING THE REASONS
- REMEMBER TO COMPARE THE CLASS NOT DESCRIBE THEM
- POINT OUT THE OBVIOUS AND MOST IMPORTANT POINTS IN THE CLASS AND BRING OUT ALL THE MAJOR DIFFERENCES

HELLO or GOOD MORNING, JUDGE,

I PLACE THIS CLASS OF: _____
(name of class)

I PLACED NO. ____ OVER ____ BECAUSE _____

IN THE MIDDLE PAIR, I PLACED NO. ____ OVER ____ BECAUSE _____

AT THE BOTTOM, I PLACED NO. ____ OVER ____ BECAUSE _____

FOR THESE REASONS, I PLACED THIS CLASS OF:

(name of class)

POSSIBLE SCORE: 50