



4-H Photography Contest Fact Sheet

The photography contest is open to 4-H members (ages 5 – 18) and is not limited only to those enrolled in this project. Members may submit only ONE entry. Entries can consist of a single photo or a series of photos possibly illustrating “before and after” scenes or “how to do it” steps.
Photographs must have been taken by the 4-H member after October 1, 2017.

Deadline to submit: May 1, 2018, 5pm to Powhatan Extension Office

Selecting a Theme

Photographs must be of the 4-H member’s original work and must not have been used in other photography contests. Members may choose the topic of their choice, which can be their favorite project or areas of interest.

Organizing Your Photography Exhibit

Consider the following points when organizing a photo exhibit:

~Specific information is needed for each exhibit.

Please identify your exhibit with the following information listed on the photography contest form (below) and attached to the back of your photograph: a title, 4-H member’s name, age as of Sept 30, 2018, type of camera, and club name.

~Display photos to the best possible advantage.

Photo series should be mounted and labeled. Single photos should be matted or framed.

~Size of photographs.

Prints (black & white or color) must not exceed 9”x12”. Entries can be matted and framed to a larger size.



4-H Photography Contest Entry Form

Please attach completed form to the back of your photo.

Title: _____ Type of Camera Used: _____

4-Her’s Name: _____

Age as of Sept 30, 2018: _____ Cloverbud? Yes No

4-H Club Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____



4-H Art Contest

The art contest is open to 4-H members (age 5-18) and is not limited only to those enrolled in this project. The art contest is a great way to encourage members to express an idea using creativity and to communicate a visual message. Members may submit only ONE entry. Artwork must be created after October 1, 2017. Cloverbuds will receive participation ribbons.

Deadline to submit: May 1, 2018, 5pm to Powhatan Extension Office

Artwork Guidelines:

SIZE: Minimum of 8 x 11 inches; Maximum of 16x20 inches. Includes framing and/or mat.

MEDIA: Pencil; pen/ink; colored pencils; crayons; watercolor; oils; acrylics; collage; stained glass

DISPLAY: Only MATTED artwork will be accepted! NO FRAMES!

Artwork may not incorporate copyrighted materials, like cartoon characters such as Garfield, Snoopy etc. Entries must include the 4-H Art Contest Entry Form (below) attached to the back of the poster. If omitted, art will not be accepted for judging.



4-H Art Contest Entry Form

Please attach completed form to the back of your artwork.

Title: _____

4-Her's Name: _____

Age as of Sept 30, 2018: _____ Cloverbud? Yes No

4-H Club Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____



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