

**Florida 4-H Score Card for
Demonstrations & Illustrated Talks**

Category: _____

Jr __ Inter __ Sr __

Name of Participant: _____

County: _____

Title: _____ ***Time Limits: Jr & Inter: 3-12 min Sr: 5-12 min**

--Only judges ask questions--*Deduct 5 points if demonstration does not fall into allotted time.

Criteria	Max Score	4-H'er's Score	Comments
I. THE 4-H MEMBER (20 points)			
Appearance & Poise Neat, well-groomed, good posture, appropriately dressed for task being performed. Calm, pleasant, confident; keeps composure when something appears to go wrong or does go wrong. Self-assured, yet pleasant manner. 4-H clover optional.	10		
Voice & Grammar Distinct, forceful, yet natural. Clear voice with distinct enunciation & reasonably strong. Enthusiastic. Correct, well chosen words. Not memorized. Use correct grammar with clear meaning.	10		
II. ORGANIZATION & PRESENTATION (30 points)			
Introduction Effective, interesting. Brief explanation of the presentation, with introduction of the 4-H'er. Introduces main points of presentation. Gets the attention of the audience.	5		
Arrangement & Use of Equipment Right equipment for the job. Uses it correctly. Audience can see what he/she is doing.	5		
Visual Aids Equipment, models, charts, and supplies effective and well arranged. Chose the teaching aid to best tell the story. Charts and models neat, concise, large enough, & appropriate. Visual aids utilized in presentation.	5		
Logical Sequence Well organized, clear, logical steps. Evidence shows the 4-H'er has planned presentation.	5		
Ability to Work Easily & Efficiently Steps, illustrative material, and explanation coordinated. Talks about what he/she is showing and explains the procedure. Information given fills time during the process or is related to what is being shown.	5		
Summary Key points summarized. Reliable sources used and cited.	5		
Ability to Work as a Team** (team demos only) Spoken parts are divided evenly, team members work together smoothly.	(5)		
III. SUBJECT MATTER (50 points)			
Selection of subject – Reason for & practical value of demonstration Subject related to their 4-H experiences (projects, activities, etc.) Info. presented put to good use.	10		
One basic theme Presentation confined to one theme. Covered in the allotted time.	5		
Accurate, up-to-date & complete Information is correct & current All the steps in the process shown.	10		
Degree of difficulty Material sufficiently challenges the 4-H'er – age and/or skill level.	5		
Knowledge of subject & related skills Understands principles and practices presented. Questions adequately answered.	10		
Results – Finished product good or purpose accomplished.	10		
TOTAL	100 (105)		Judges Initials: _____

Total score divided by 100 = percentage score (90-100% blue, 80-89% red, 79% & below white;

**if team demo, 95-105 blue, 84-94 red, 83 and below white)