FLOWERS AND ORNAMENTALS

The class and kind of flower must appear on the exhibit tag attached to the exhibit. The number of flowers required for each exhibit can be found in parentheses after each flower type. In an exhibit of 3 blooms, all blooms must be the same color. Each flower is to have foliage attached or include foliage. Exhibitors can enter only entry of each of the flowers listed below, Other, Perennial Cut Flowers, Other, Annual Cut flowers. Exhibitors may show all or a portion of their allowed/allotted flower exhibits in either of the Other classes. The total number of cut flower exhibits may not exceed 3 for Juniors, 4 for Intermediates and 5 for Seniors. Each exhibit will receive a ribbon. (Please provide your own container for cut flowers—be sure to mark the bottom with your name if you want the container back). Arrangement Exhibits will be displayed in the containers provided by the exhibitor. Exhibitors may use holding device of secure arrangements. Judging criteria are outlined on 4-H Cut Flowers Exhibit Score Card (713-01) and the 4-H Floral Arrangement Exhibit Score Card (713-02), available at the county Extension office and at the State 4-H website at: http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/fair-exhibit-and-contest-materials

Asters (3) Blooms
Bachelor Buttons (3) Blooms
Calendulas (3) Blooms
Chrysanthemums (1) Spray
Cosmos (3) Blooms
Dahlia under 3" disbudded (3)
Dahlia, 3-6" disbudded (1)
Dahlia, 6" & over disbudded (1)
Gladiolus (1) Spike
Gloriosa Daisy (3) Blooms
Lilies (1) Stalk
Marigold, African (1) Bloom
Marigold, French (3) Stems
Nasturtiums (3) Blooms
Petunia, (3) Stems
Roses, Miniature (1) Spray
Roses, grown in clusters (more than three blooms) (1) Spray
Roses, hybrid tea disbudded (1) Bloom
Roses, Other (1) Bloom
Snapdragons (3) Spikes
Statice (1) Spray
Straw Flowers (1) Stem
Zinnias (3) Blooms
Other, Perennial Cut Flowers
Other, Annual Cut Flowers

DEFINITIONS:
Bloom: an individual flower, one blossom to a stem
Spike: a stalk carrying many stemless or nearly stemless flowers
Spray: a portion of a plant with a number of flowers on one
Stalk: stiff stem, which may branch, with one or more flowers
Disbudded: removal of the lateral buds along the stem of the flower
CUT FLOWERS
713100011 Juniors, exhibitors limited to 3 separate flower types.
713100012 Intermediates, exhibitors limited to 4 separate flower types.
713100013 Seniors, exhibitors limited to 5 separate flower types.

ARRANGEMENTS
Flowers may be grown or purchased by the exhibitor.
713420011 Juniors, arrangement of fresh flowers in a suitable container.
713420012 Intermediates, arrangement of fresh flowers, any choice of design.
713420013 Seniors, arrangement of fresh flowers, any choice of design.
713420023 Seniors, arrangement of fresh flowers, with Fair theme
713420033 Seniors, miniature arrangement using dried or fresh materials, no larger than 8” x 8” x 8”.

DRIED MATERIAL
Flowers may be grown or purchased by the exhibitor.
713130041 Juniors, arrangement of dried flowers.
713130042 Intermediates, arrangement of dried materials.
713130043 Seniors, arrangement of dried materials.

CONTAINER GARDENING
Plants entered in Container Gardening must be grown by the exhibitor. Exhibitors may enter only one exhibit in each class number. **Member's name and county should be securely attached to the bottom of each container.** Exhibits exceeding 30 pounds or measuring larger than 30” x 30” will not be accepted.

Container Gardening Exhibit Information Card (7/6-02) must be firmly attached to the exhibit and covered with a closeable sandwich bag (ziplock) to keep the card dry. Please attach to the container with clear packaging tape or duct tape. Selection of herbs is the choice of the 4-H member.

Exhibitors should use the online publication *Select and Prepare Herbs for Exhibit* (4H 2335) as reference. It can be found at: [http://extension.oregonstate.edu/catalog/4h/4-h2335.pdf](http://extension.oregonstate.edu/catalog/4h/4-h2335.pdf). Herb tables are found in the *Michigan 4-H Guide to Herb Gardening* (4-H 2329) however any herb available in your area of the state may be exhibited. Junior herb container garden must include 2 herbs from different species. Intermediate herb container garden must include at least 4 herbs from different species. Judging criteria are outlined on 4-H Container Garden Exhibit Score Card (40-640) available at County Extension office or on the State 4-H website at: [http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/fair-exhibit-and-contest-materials](http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/fair-exhibit-and-contest-materials).

**Container exhibits will be cared for by 4-H volunteers at Oregon State Fair. The 4-H program cannot be responsible for the condition of the plant when it is returned.**

CONTAINER GARDENING, ORNAMENTAL, JUNIOR
716115011 - Terrarium (closed container)
716115021 Dish Garden (cacti & succulents, more than 1 plant)
716114031 Houseplant (1 plant)
716113041 Patio Plant(1 outdoor plant in a container)
716113141 Patio Planter (more than 1 outdoor plant, can be combination of annuals, perennials, herbs and/or vegetables)
716112051 Potted Vegetable
716116001 Potter Herbs (must be 2 herbs)
716117061 – Other - For exhibits that do not fit in above classes
CONTAINER GARDENING, INTERMEDIATE
716115012 - Terrarium (closed container)
716115022 Dish Garden (cacti & succulents, more than 1 plant)
716114032 Houseplant (1 plant)
716113042 Patio Plant (1 outdoor plant in a container)
716113142 Patio Planter (more than 1 outdoor plant, can be combination of annuals, perennials, herbs and/or vegetables)
716112052 - Potted Vegetable
716116002 Potter Herbs (must include 3 herbs)
716117062 - Other - For exhibits that do not fit in above classes
716200012 - Display - An experiment with plant(s) in containers. Exhibit must show and include a written explanation of what was done and a summary of what was learned. Display not to exceed 30" wide x 24" deep x 36" high.

CONTAINER GARDENING, SENIOR
716115013 - Terrarium (closed container)
716115023 Dish Garden (cacti & succulents, more than 1 plant)
716114033 Houseplant (1 plant)
716113043 Patio Plant (1 outdoor plant in a container)
716112143 Patio Planter (more than 1 outdoor plant, can be combination of annuals, perennials, herbs and/or vegetables)
716112053 - Potted Vegetable
716116003 Potted Herbs (must include 4 herbs)
716117063 - Other - For exhibits that do not fit in above classes.
716200013 - Display - An experiment with plant(s) in containers. Exhibit must show and include a written explanation of what was done and a summary of what was learned. Display not to exceed 30" wide x 24" deep x 36" high.
716300013 - Commercial Exhibit - of plants (flat or market package). Include planting dates, costs incurred and suggested retail pricing.

VEGETABLES
The publication "Selecting and Preparing Vegetables for Exhibit," 4-H 2334, should be used by exhibitors as a reference except for the specific numbers of vegetables required for plate and collection exhibits which is listed below.
This publication specifies the number of vegetables required for plate and collection exhibits and also provides tips for selecting and preparing vegetables for exhibit. Judging criteria are outlined on the 4-H Vegetable Collection Exhibit Score Card (712-01) and the 4-H Vegetable Garden Exhibit Score Card (712-02). The Vegetable Exhibit/Collection Explanation Card (712-07) is to be attached to each exhibit. These publications are available at the county Extension office or on the State 4-H website at: http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/fair-exhibit-and-contest-materials. Note that exhibitors can enter only one exhibit in each class with the exception of "Other."

Plate exhibits will be exhibited on 9" paper plates. Vegetable Collection exhibits must fit on a tray 18" x 14-1/2" x 2-3/4".

NOTE: Fill in blank in class number (_) with number from one of the corresponding vegetables.

CLASSES – NUMBER OF VEGETABLES (REQUIRED APPEARS IN PARENTHESES)

Beans, Snap (Wax, Italian, Green)(5)
Beans, Other (Dry, Horticulture, Limas, Purple)(5)
Beans, Horticultural (12)
Beets (5)
Broccoli (1) main head or (5) side shoots
Carrots (5)
Corn, Sweet (2)
Cucumbers, Slicing (Lemon, Burpless, Slicing varieties)(2)
Cucumbers, Lemon (2)
Cucumbers, Pickling (5)
Garlic, Regular (2), Elephant (1)
Kohlrabi (2)
Lettuce (1 plant) leaf lettuce in vase of water
Onions, Bulb (3)
Onions, Green (5 onions)
Peas, in pod (5)
Peppers, Bell or Sweet (2)
Peppers, Hot (5)
Potatoes, (5)
Pumpkins (1)
Squash, Summer Crookneck (2)
Squash, Summer Zucchini (2)
Squash, Winter (1)
Tomatoes, slicing (3)
Tomatoes, Cherry (5)
Tomatoes, Other (5)
Turnips (2)
Other # (refer to 4-H 2334)

VEGETABLES EXHIBITS, JUNIOR
4-H members may enter a maximum of 3 plate exhibits, in addition to one vegetable collection.
712100011 - Plate Exhibit of One Type. Limit 3 entries.
712100021 - Vegetable Collection Exhibit. Include 3 different vegetables in same amounts required as in plate exhibits.

VEGETABLE EXHIBITS, INTERMEDIATE
4-H members may enter a maximum of 4 plate entries in addition to their choice of a vegetable collection exhibit or poster display.
712100012 - Plate Exhibit of One Type. Limit 4 entries.
712100022 - Vegetable Collection Exhibit. Include 4 different vegetables in same amounts required as in plate exhibits.
712200032 - Poster or display describing results of 4-H members experimental garden. Display not to exceed 30" width x 24" deep x 36" high.

VEGETABLE EXHIBITS, SENIOR
4-H members may enter a maximum of 5 plate entries in addition to their choice of a vegetable collection exhibit, commercial display, or educational display.
712100013 - Plate Exhibit of One Type. Limit 5 entries.
712100023 - Vegetable Collection Exhibit. Include 5 different vegetables in same amounts required as in plate exhibits.
712100033 - Commercial Display, include 10 lb unit of produce with record of costs of commercial garden.
712200043 - Educational Display, describing the experimental design and results of an experiment in commercial gardening display not to exceed 30" width x 24" deep X 36" high.
HERBS
Herbs must be grown by the exhibitor. Exhibitors may enter only one exhibit in each class number. A Herb Dried, Fresh-Cut Explanation Card (712-06) must be firmly attached to all herb exhibits which are judged by the criteria in Herb Fresh Cut Exhibit Score Sheet (712-05) and Herb Dried Exhibit Score Sheet (712-04) which are available at the Extension office or on the State 4-H website at: http://oregon.4h.oregonstate.edu/fair-exhibit-and-contest-materials.

The publication Select and Prepare Herbs for Exhibit (4-H 2335) should be used by exhibitors as reference which is online at: http://extension.oregonstate.edu/catalog/4h/4-h2335.pdf. Selection of herbs is the choice of the 4-H member. Any herb available in your area of the state may be exhibited. A list of herbs that could be selected for exhibits is listed in the Michigan 4-H Guide to Herb Gardening (4-H 2329) but may be taken from any table any year.

HERB EXHIBITS, FRESH CUT
Fresh cut herbs with their own vegetables class, such as onions and garlic, should be exhibited in that class, not in the Fresh Cut Herb classes.

712117001  Herbs, Fresh Cut, Junior, (one bunch with stems one inch in diameter)
712117002  Cut Herb Collection, Junior (include 3 different herbs in same amounts as fresh cut exhibit)
712117002  Herbs, Fresh Cut, Intermediate (one bunch with stems one inch in diameter)
712117012  Cut Herb Collection, Intermediate (include 4 different herbs in same amounts as fresh cut exhibit, 1 which is new this year)
712117003  Herbs, Fresh Cut, Senior (one bunch with stems one inch in diameter)
712117013  Cut Herb Collection, Senior (5 different herbs in same amounts as fresh cut exhibit, 2 which are new this year)

HERB EXHIBITS, DRIED
The information card must include drying method. Basil chives, dill leaves, fennel and parsley should not be exhibited dried because they are best preserved by freezing. Display all herbs in a self-closing bag: one inch bunch secured with a twist tie or three tablespoons dried leaves or one tablespoon of dried seeds.

712118001  Herbs, Dried, Junior, Display all herbs in a self-closing bag: one inch bunch secured by a twist tie or three tablespoons dried leaves or one tablespoon of dried seeds.
712118011  Herbs, Dried Collection, Junior (3 herbs in same amounts as dried herb exhibit)
712118002  Herbs, Dried, Intermediate, Display all herbs in a self-closing bag: one inch bunch secured by a twist tie or three tablespoons dried leaves or one tablespoon dried seeds.
712118012  Herbs, Dried Collection, Intermediate, (4 herbs in same amounts as dried herb exhibit, 1 which is new this year)
712118003  Herbs, Dried, Senior, Display all herbs in a self-closing bag: one inch bunch secured by a twist tie or three tablespoons dired leaves or one tablespoon of dried seeds.
712118013  Herbs, Dried Collection, Senior (5 herbs in same amounts as dried herb exhibit, 2 which are new this year)