409 Sew Fun
Junior level ages (8-13) as of January 1
Senior level ages (14-18) as of January 1

Older members who want to take a beginner level sewing project should take # 407 Accessories for Teens.

Members taking more than one clothing project in the same year need to meet specific guidelines available from the FCS Educator.

1. Construct a fully elastic-waist skirt, shorts, pants, or capris.

2. Follow project Guidelines on Page 5 of project book. (EXPLORE an interest area means to DO IT.) If taking the project for a second year, new learning experiences and new skills must be developed.

3. Bring to Interview Judging:
   b. Completed Style Review Commentary sheets.
   c. Your sewing box, basket, or tote and its contents.
   d. Pin cushion made.
   e. “Total Look” Outfit including simple item of clothing made using EASY or BEGINNER pattern to be worn for judging. If there are any questions about a pattern selected, please check with the Extension educator. See “Seven Clues” to fashion discussed on Page 35.

4. Be prepared to discuss:
   a. All information in project book.
   b. Stitching by hand.
   c. Items in sewing box.
   d. Parts of sewing machine.
   e. Parts of fabric.
   f. The Learning Experience and Leadership/Citizenship activities completed.

5. Exhibit at the fair:
   a. The article made. (Project book does not qualify as an exhibit.)

Note: 4-H’er needs to bring project on a hanger and change prior to judging. 4-H’er should plan to leave project (for judges to look at) and return in evening for Style Review.

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