

North Florida Fair Department 210
 Criteria for Judging
 Class 18 Recycled Arts

Judges should use this score sheet as a reference for judging 4-H exhibits in this class. This sheet should be completed by judges, folded, and attached to all exhibits that are awarded a white or green (participation) ribbon.

	BLUE	RED	WHITE	Comments
Materials				
50% made from recycled or natural materials (i.e. pinecones, straw).				
Description identifying recycled materials attached to item.				
Item is a two- or three-dimensional piece of art from previously used materials. The completed art piece is different from its original use.				
Designs and Creativity				
Workmanship/technique/materials – overall composition was planned filling space adequately.				
Neatness/appearance – care was taken in the creation of the item.				
Appropriate combination or use of materials.				
Recycled items are clean, sanitary and safe.				
Creativity – item is unique or original. Creative use of color, pattern or material.				
Other				

Things to Consider:

1. Entries in this class must be made with at least one (1) recycled object (i.e. an item that is being used differently than its original purpose). Recycled art can take many forms: 2-dimensional, 3-dimensional, fashion design and accessories, weaving, interactive, mechanical, electronic, kinetic and multimedia works.
2. Over 50 percent of the final work of art must be from recycled or natural environmental materials, such as pine cones, sticks, plastics, aluminum cans, newspapers, cardboard, etc.

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3. All materials used must be clean, sanitary and safe. (i.e. items that previously contained food must be washed, remove excess dirt from natural materials, etc. and sharp edges should be removed).
4. Artwork must be original.
5. Youth must attach a description of recycled material to their exhibit.