



Clallam County 4-H Educational Posters-

4-H members who exhibit their projects at the Clallam County Fair are encouraged to create Educational Posters to be displayed in the barn at fair.

- Posters must be turned in to your club leader before August 1st. Leaders must turn club posters in by 4:00pm to the Extension office on August 1st. All posters to be judged must have a 4-H Building Green Sheet attached. Poster judging is completed prior to fair.
- Posters must be done by the 4-H member in their current project area(s). Limit 2 posters per project area.
- Some clubs, barns or project areas require posters—check with your club or project leader and the Clallam County Exhibitor’s guide for specific project requirements.
- Posters **should not** be the same as what you use for your demonstration visual aids. Members can make an additional poster for their demonstration on the same topic.
- Educational Displays (tri-fold or 3 item) are a different exhibit (see 4-H/FFA Building Exhibitor’s guide) and do not count toward the poster requirements.
- Posters will be judged using the “WSU Educational Poster Score sheet.”

Other helpful tips-

Use large, readable lettering with contrasting, visible color choices.

Keep it simple- share your message with minimal text.

Lettering can be printed from the computer.

Colored tape can be used as a border.

Take care and keep your work neatly done.

Judged posters not meeting the following criteria will be marked down:

	Size is 22” by 28” (Regular Poster Board Size)
	Topic is about current project area.
	Include a clear title (In large, readable font.)
	Has a simple, accurate message.
	Has a border --SOLID Color--No patterns (colored tape can be used)
	Font is large enough to read from 10 feet away.
	No copyrighted illustrations or cartoons.
	Members Name and Age division on the back of the poster. (No names on the front, please!)

To Exhibit a 4-H Educational Poster or Display at WA State 4-H Fair:

- Must have received a blue ribbon at county fair as a poster or display.
- Fill out State Fair entry forms and leave Exhibits at the State Fair check-in the 4-H Building on Sunday afternoon of fair. Still life Exhibits will be delivered and entered in the WA State 4-H Fair by 4-H staff and returned to 4-H member after the state fair.
- Please request approval to enter large displays.