

SHOPPING IN STYLE EXHIBITOR FORM

Name: _____ 4-H Age: _____

Club: _____ Years in clothing project: _____

(Check one): Shopping in Style Casual _____ Shopping in Style Dressy _____

Check the one that applies: _____ All garments were ready-to-wear

_____ I selected the pattern and fabric for the project and had the garment(s) made for me

_____ I selected both handmade and ready-to-wear garments

Attach a picture of yourself wearing your new outfit. Additional photos showing how the garments fit into your existing wardrobe may accompany the exhibit form.

Explain why you selected this outfit and how it fits in to your wardrobe plan.

Member

Leader/Parent of Guardian

List the items in this outfit:

Garment	Fiber content	Care needed (from label)	Other information on label or tags (finishes, etc.)	Original price	Price Paid

Accessory	Explain source (already owned, gift, purchased, or other)

What did you learn from this selection that will be helpful to you in the future?

4-Hers 15 and older are required to figure cost per wear for garments. (4-Hers 12-14 are encouraged to figure cost per wear of garments)

Garment	Price you Paid	+ Cost of Care/Maintenance (Number of cleanings in garment lifetime multiplied by the cost for each cleaning*)	= Total Garment Cost	÷ Number of wearings in garment lifetime	= Cost per Wearing

* Use \$.50 per laundry load as the cost of home laundering an item. Use actual cost of dry cleaning.



Cost Per Wear Example

Jane recently purchased an outfit to wear to church and dress up occasions at school – a skirt and blouse. The skirt cost \$21.99 and the blouse cost \$12.99.



Jane figures she will wear the blouse every other week for 2 years (52 times) and launder each time it is worn. She plans to wear the skirt with other tops once a week but only wash it twice a month for 2 years (48 times).

Here's how she would complete the Cost Per Wear Form.

Example:

Garment	Price you Paid	+ Cost of Care/Maintenance (Number of cleanings in garment lifetime multiplied by the cost for each cleaning*)	= Total Garment Cost	÷ Number of wearings in garment lifetime	= Cost per Wearing
Blouse	12.99	52 x \$.50 = \$26.00	\$38.99	52	\$.75 cents
Skirt	21.99	48 x \$.50 = \$24.00	\$45.99	104	\$.44 cents

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