

CHILD DEVELOPMENT

434 **Growing On My Own** (State Fair Eligible)

PROJECT: This beginner level project is for youth that want to learn about themselves, the way they grow, and understand their roles and responsibilities. Life skills practiced in this project are personal safety, critical thinking, motivation, concern for others, accepting differences, and planning and organizing.

JUDGING: Judged at Miscellaneous Project Judging. Bring project book and at least one example of an activity, that was conducted, or one item that was made to use with children.

FAIR: Member may display a poster or item that they made in their 4-H club booth or in the miscellaneous booth in the youth building (if your club does not have a booth). Posters must be 14" x 22".

435 **Growing With Others** (State Fair Eligible)

PROJECT: Intermediate level project in which youth learn how to prepare themselves for self-care, select age-appropriate toys, create a group of friends, develop family rules, prepare healthy meals, and check the home for safety hazards. Important life skills are planning and organizing, critical thinking, concern for others, accepting differences, teamwork, leadership, self-responsibility, and personal safety.

JUDGING: Judged at Miscellaneous Project Judging. Bring project book and at least one example of an activity, that was conducted, or one item that was made to use with children.

FAIR: Member may display a poster or item that they made in their 4-H club booth or in the miscellaneous booth in the youth building (if your club does not have a booth). Posters must be 14" x 22".

436 **Growing With Communities** (State Fair Eligible)

PROJECT: In this advanced level project, youth have the opportunity to consider child development careers, gain experience as a teacher or coach, participate in a community service project, and learn that children with different abilities have different needs. Planning and organizing, critical thinking, concern for others, accepting differences, teamwork, leadership, self-motivation, self-responsibility, and personal safety are life skills emphasized in this project.

JUDGING: Judged at Miscellaneous Project Judging. Bring your project book and at least one example of an activity, that was conducted, or one item that was made to use with children.

FAIR: Member may display a poster or item that they made in their 4-H club booth or in the miscellaneous booth in the youth building (if your club does not have a booth). Posters must be 14" x 22".

CITIZENSHIP/INTERNATIONAL

010 **County Government I** (County Project Only)

PROJECT: Member will attend a project orientation meeting. Member will learn about how county government operates by spending a full day in June with a County Commissioner, touring various government departments. Member will choose a county government department to observe and visit for one day. Member will keep a notebook or journal with a summary of their experiences.

JUDGING: Judged at Miscellaneous Project Judging. Bring notebook and/or journal that summarizes experiences. Be prepared to answer questions about your experiences.

FAIR: Member will make a display or poster (14" x 22") which can be exhibited at the fair.

011 **County Government II** (County Project Only)

PROJECT: Member must have taken County Government I before enrolling in County Government II. Member will develop a special interest project with guidance from a County Commissioner to do advanced study of some area of local government. Examples of topics are: court systems, four levels of local government, auditor duties, sheriff responsibilities, engineer responsibilities, land issues, Board of Elections, legislation, special projects and grants, or current issues (finances, land development, annexation, tax increment financing, tax abatement, etc.). This project can be taken multiple years using a different focus each year. Member will keep a notebook, scrapbook, or journal with a summary of their study and experiences.

JUDGING: Judged at Miscellaneous Project Judging. Bring completed notebook, scrapbook, or journal that summarizes experiences. Be prepared to answer questions about your experiences.

FAIR: Member will make a display or poster (14" x 22") which can be exhibited at the fair.

396 **...And My World I, The World Around Me** (State Fair Eligible)

PROJECT: Through fun group activities, members explore who makes up the world and what it looks like. Designed for members 9 – 18, this is intended to be a group project. Complete Guidelines listed on inside cover of project book.

JUDGING: Judged at Miscellaneous Project Judging. Bring project book, records and an educational display related to the project. Posters should be no larger than 14" x 22". Be prepared to discuss the project.

FAIR: An educational exhibit may be displayed in the member's 4-H club booth or in the miscellaneous booth in the youth building (if your club does not have a booth).

397 **...And My World II, People & Customs of the World** (State Fair Eligible)

PROJECT: Learn more about people around the world; their customs, cultures, values, and attitudes. Designed for members ages 9 – 18, this is intended to be a group project. Complete Guidelines listed in the project book.

JUDGING: Judged at Miscellaneous Project Judging. Bring project book, records and an educational display related to the project. Posters should be no larger than 14" x 22". Be prepared to discuss the project.

FAIR: An educational exhibit may be displayed in the member's 4-H club booth or in the miscellaneous booth in the youth building (if your club does not have a booth).
