

# HORTICULTURE

Limit of 2 entries per class in Horticulture

## Premium Code: STATIC ITEMS

The purpose of Horticulture is to encourage participants to start and maintain vegetable and herb gardens. In addition, 4-H'ers can participate in planting, growing, and caring for flowers and houseplants. There is also a special gardening project in this category that 4-H'ers can participate in.

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Follow the guidelines in Selecting and Preparing Vegetables, Herbs, and Fruits for Exhibit 4H226 when preparing entries for the fair.

## VEGETABLES

Scoresheet: SF108

**NOTE: Number of specimens vary from FFA rules!**

### Rules:

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4. Follow the guidelines in "Selecting and Preparing Vegetable, Herbs, and Fruits for Exhibit" 4H226 (revised June 2013)

(Free Download –

<http://4h.unl.edu/4hcurriculum/preparingvegetabesherbandsfruit> ) when preparing entries for the fair.

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#### Classes

201 Lima Beans-12

202 Snap Beans-12

All Classes with \* Not Eligible for State Fair

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- 203 Wax Beans-12
- 204 Beets-5
- 205 Broccoli-2
- 206 Brussels Sprouts-12
- 207 Green Cabbage-2
- 208 Red Cabbage-2
- 209 Carrots-5
- 210 Cauliflower-2
- 211 Slicing Cucumbers-2
- 212 Pickling Cucumbers-5
- 213 Eggplant-2
- 214 Kohlrabi-5
- 215 Muskmelon/Cantaloupe-2
- 216 Okra-5
- 217 Yellow Onions-5
- 218 Red Onions-5
- 219 White Onions-5
- 220 Parsnips-5
- 221 Bell Peppers-5
- 222 Sweet (Non-Bell) Peppers-5
- 223 Jalapeño Peppers-5
- 224 Hot (Non-Jalapeño) Peppers-5
- 225 White Potatoes-5
- 226 Red Potatoes-5
- 227 Russet Potatoes-5
- 228 Other Potatoes-5
- 229 Pumpkin-2
- 230 Miniature Pumpkins-(Jack Be Little type)-5
- 231 Radish-5
- 232 Rhubarb-5
- 233 Rutabaga-2
- 234 Green Summer Squash-2
- 235 Yellow Summer Squash-2
- 236 White Summer Squash-2
- 237 Acorn Squash-2
- 238 Butternut Squash-2
- 239 Buttercup Squash-2
- 240 Other Winter Squash-2
- 241 Sweet Corn-(in husks)-5
- 242 Swiss Chard-5
- 243 Red Tomatoes-(2" or more in diameter) 5
- 244 Roma or Sauce Type Tomatoes- 5
- 245 Salad Tomatoes-(under 2" diameter) 12
- 246 Yellow Tomatoes-(2" or more in diameter) 5
- 247 Turnips-5
- 248 Watermelon-2
- 249 Dry Edible Beans-1 pint

- 250 Gourds, mixed types- 5**
- 251 Gourds, single variety- 5**
- 252 Any other vegetable-** 2, 5 or 12 that doesn't fit in any other class (do not duplicate entries in classes 201-251)
- 255 4-H Vegetable Garden Collection-** Of five kinds of vegetables. Display Garden Collection in a box not more than 24" in any dimension. Showmanship will be considered in judging, but plastic grass, cotton, figurines, etc. should not be used in exhibit boxes. Each vegetable in the collection should be exhibited with the number specified for individual class (201-252). Do not duplicate entries in classes 201-252 with any in the group collection.
- 256 4-H Cultivar Vegetable Collection-** Vegetables entered in the collection are 5 cultivars from a single exhibit: for example, 5 cultivars of all types of peppers or squash or onions or tomatoes, etc. Display in a box not more than 24" in any dimension. Showmanship will be considered in judging; but plastic grass, cotton figurines, etc. should not be used in exhibit boxes. Each vegetable in the collection should be exhibited with the number specified for individual class (201-252).
- 258\* Best Dressed Veggie-** All edible decorations OR any decoration added. Use your creativity.