

# Colorado 4-H Ceramics Units 1-4 Project Judging Sheet

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Jr. \_\_\_\_\_ Int. \_\_\_\_\_ Sr. \_\_\_\_\_ (Check One)

Year in Project \_\_\_\_\_

Project Level: (Check One)  
**Glazes Unit 1** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Underglazes Unit 2** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Overglazes Unit 3** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Unfired Finishes Unit 4** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Earthenware** \_\_\_\_\_ **Stoneware** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Porcelain** \_\_\_\_\_

American System Placing: (Check One)  
**Champion** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Reserve Champion** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Placing 3-10** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Grand Champion** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Reserve Grand Champion** \_\_\_\_\_

Danish System Placing: (Check One)  
 (For County Use Only)  
**Blue** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Red** \_\_\_\_\_  
**White** \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibit: Completed e-Record secured in a sturdy binder/notebook. One piece or set showing techniques learned.

## Judging Element 1: 4-H E-Record E=Excellent, G=Good, F=Fair and N/I=Needs Improvement—must have comments

Item	E	G	F	N/I	Comments
Record Cover: Complete or Not Complete: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> , No <input type="checkbox"/>					
Project Goal (Juniors at least 1 goal, Intermediates at least 2 goals, and Seniors at least two goals)					
Project Info. & Activity Log (Looking for project information---meetings, tours, practices, etc. and time spent of project)					
Demonstration (At least one demonstration—does not have to be in project area)					
Community Service (At least one community service---does not have to be in project area)					
Expense Record (Looking for the cost of practicing and making the project)					
How Did You Do? (Looking for the explanation of how the person rated themselves)					
Project Photos (Pictures should show the progress of the project with captions)					
Project Story (Should be related to project)					
Specific Project Information					
Completed two learning projects with information listed					
Technique Sheets (At least 3 technique sheets including tools used, brushes used, media used and steps used to complete the project)					

## Judging Element 2: 4-H Ceramics Project Exhibit N/I=Needs Improvement –must have comments.

Item	E	G	F	N/I	Comments
Ceramic Exhibit --Meets Guidelines: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> , No <input type="checkbox"/>					
Shows Creativity (consider age, experience and technique used)					
Cleaning of greenware (no evidence of seam lines or imperfections, all drip marks removed, piece sit evenly on table, no nicks, chips or rough areas, any replace detail should not be obvious)					
Greenware (no evidence of deformed greenware, good quality greenware with good detail)					
Appearance of finished product (consider the cleaning of the greenware, glaze should not have pinholes, should be clear not cloudy, no unwanted crazes or cracks, glaze should have an even application—no streaks, no rough areas or dust pockets, design should not appear too small or too large, all vessels need to be finished inside, bottom and/or pour gate need to be finished.					
Color Combination (Colors should not clash, colors should be contrast in the colors)					
Bottom of piece (All stilt marks need to be removed—either felted or smooth)					