

Demonstrations

**A DEMONSTRATION IS WHEN YOU SHOW & TELL
NO LIVE PETS, KNIVES OR FIREARMS ALLOWED FOR DEMONSTRATIONS**

Steps in Giving a Demonstration

1. Planning

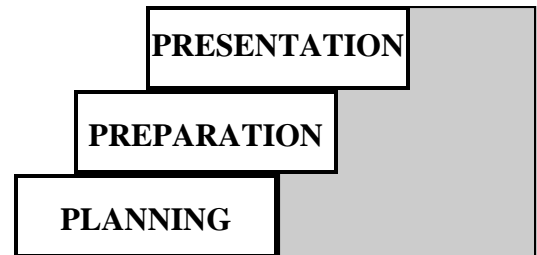
- A. Choose an interesting subject on your 4-H project.
- B. List steps involved in the demonstration and outline them.
- C. Make a list of all materials and equipment needed.

2. Preparation

- A. Secure the necessary materials.
- B. Prepare demonstration according to plans.
- C. Practice.

3. Presentation

- A. Check to make sure you have everything you need.
- B. Speak slowly and clearly. SMILE!!
- C. Keep your working area neat and clean.
- D. Ask for questions. Answer them as well as you can. If you don't know the answer, admit it.
- E. If you have a finished product, show it.
- F. Thank your audience for their attention.



Good Demonstration Should Have Three Main Parts

1. Introduction

- A. Use a catchy title to get the attention of the audience.
- B. Tell briefly what you are showing.

2. Body


- A. Tell and show your project step by step.
- B. Talk while you are showing each step.
- C. Visual Aids

3. Summary (Conclusion)

- A. Briefly restate the MAIN points of your demonstration.
- B. Thank your audience for listening.



Demonstrations should be the following length:
3-5 minutes for everyone

Project	Beef	Citizenship	Clothing and Textiles	Communication/Public Speaking
Demo Examples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to give a calf a shot. How to show a heifer. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to fold a flag. How a bill is passed. How to exhibit the flag. How to renovate cemeteries. How to trace family tree. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Replacing a button. Selecting clothes that match. How to iron clothes. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to write a speech. How to debate. How to recite a poem.
Project	Companion Animal (dog, cat, rabbit)	Computers and Technology	Consumer Education/Economics	Dairy
Demo Examples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to train your dog. How to groom your dog. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to put together a power point. How to set up a web page. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to write a check. How to balance a budget. How to buy stocks. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to groom dairy heifer for show. How to show dairy heifer
Project	Electric	Engineering/Safety Science	Entomology	Food Science
Demo Examples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to build a lamp. How to wire a lamp. How electricity is conducted. How to make homemade flashlight. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to change spark plugs in lawnmower. How to change tire on bicycle. How to make a home-made fire extinguisher. How to make a first aid kit 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to start an insect collection. How to identify insects. How to control insect pests in your house. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to store meat properly. How to pickle cucumbers. How to grill on BBQ. How to know when meat is done.
Project	Forestry, Wildlife and Fisheries	Goat	Horse	Horticulture/Garden
Demo Examples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to plant a tree. How to rig a fishing lure. How to make a tree stand. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to groom a goat for show. How to milk a goat. How to show a goat. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to braid a Horse's mane. How to clean a saddle. How to determine a Horse's age by teeth. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to raise tomatoes. How to grow African Violets. How to Prune Shrubs
Project	Leadership/Personal Development	Line and Design	Nutrition, Health and Fitness	Performing Arts/Recreation
Demo Examples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to use Parliamentary Procedure in meetings. How to 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to build a birdhouse. How to Oil Paint. How to do a wood carving. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to make a fruit smoothie. How to bake cornbread. How to start exercise program. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to play the trumpet. How to design a game. How to collect old coins.
Project	Photography	Plant Science	Poultry	Sheep
Demo Examples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to take a digital photograph. How a camera works. How to make a video. How to develop film in darkroom. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to do a soil test. How to transplant tobacco plants. How to control insects in corn. How to raise plants in greenhouse. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How prepare pullets for show. How to select feed for your chickens. How to candle eggs. How to select birds for show. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to shear a sheep. How to groom sheep for show. How to give a lamb a shot. How to show a sheep.
Project	Swine			Veterinary Science
Demo Examples	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to groom a hog. How to select a feed for your pig. How to ear notch a hog. How to select a hog for show. 			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> How to give an animal a shot. How to worm an animal. How to find all the parts of the animal

Demonstration Topics by Project