

# DEPARTMENT 031 – COMMUNICATIONS

Fair Year: 2023

Entries must be made by July 31 of exhibit year.  
Face-to-face judging the Saturday before the Fair, 9:00 am-2:00 pm, Youth Building.

Poster size: 14"x22". Tri-fold displays are not allowed.

Letters, poetry, essays, etc. should be in clear plastic sleeves or clear covered folders so it can be easily visible when displayed.

Premiums: \$2.00 - \$1.75 - \$1.50 - \$1.25

## DIVISION 240 - COMMUNICATIONS

### COMMUNICATION

Open to youth enrolled in the 4-H Communication project or youth of other groups doing equivalent work.

#### Class No.

1. Poster on a list of ground rules for family meetings
2. Poster or report about the five steps for dealing with conflict
3. Create a family scrapbook on special events: birthday book, holiday book, vacations book, etc.
4. Poster on how to conduct an interview
5. Poster, collage, report, or scrapbook about the things you learned from a person you interviewed
6. Any other communication exhibit

### SPEAKING

Open to youth enrolled in the 4-H Speaking project or youth of other groups doing equivalent work.

#### Class No.

7. Poster showing the five (5) parts of a speech

8. Poster explaining different types of speeches including: informative, persuasive, entertaining (humorous or dramatic)
9. Collection of 2 or more items that document how you planned your speech
10. Poster of stress reduction tips and suggestions for dealing with speech anxiety
11. Any other public speaking exhibit

### CREATIVE WRITING

Open to youth enrolled in the 4-H Creative Writing project or youth of other groups doing equivalent work.

#### Class No.

12. Write a letter to your future self
13. Write a letter to a fictional character
14. Create a journal or diary (not your personal journal or diary)
15. Write and illustrate an original children's book
16. Create a booklet or scrapbook of original poetry
17. Any other piece of original creative writing (short story, essay, etc.)

### AGRICULTURE AWARENESS

Open to any youth. Topic:

2022: "Did you know Calumet County has an amazing diversity of Agriculture?"

Class No. (Grades just completed.)

18. Grades 3-5 (essay 100-300 words)
19. Grades 6-8 (essay 350-400 words)
20. Grades 9+ (essay 450-500 words)

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

21. Interview
22. Resume & Cover Letter

Grades K-2 (poster 14"x22") entry is listed with the Cloverbud classes in Department 017.

Agriculture Awareness – Calumet County Farm Bureau will award \$10.00 to the first place winners in each Class number; \$7.50 to the second place winner in each Class number; \$5.00 to the third place winner in each Class number; and \$2.50 to the fourth place winner in each Class number.

All entrants in the Agricultural Awareness classes will receive a coupon for a free sundae from the Calumet County Farm Bureau.

## DIVISION 241 – SPEAKING CONTEST

Held in February at the Calumet County Courthouse. See 4-H Newsletter for details.

Premiums: \$3.00 - \$2.50 - \$2.00 - \$1.50

1. Interpretive Prose Poetry, Grades 3-5
2. Interpretive Prose Poetry, Grades 6-8
3. Interpretive Prose Poetry, Grades 9+
4. Traditional Speech, Grades 3-5
5. Traditional Speech, Grades 6-8
6. Traditional Speech, Grades 9+

## DIVISION 242 – DEMONSTRATION CONTEST

Contest held in April at the Calumet County Courthouse. See 4-H Newsletter for details.

Premiums: \$3.00 - \$2.50 - \$2.00 - \$1.50

1. Grades 3-5
2. Grades 6-8
3. Grades 9+