

TEAM Armband Number _____	FINAL SCORE _____	CIRCLE PLACING: Purple (95–100) Blue (90–94.5) Red (80–89.5) White (79.5 or less)
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4-H Dog Showmanship

Class: Pre-Jr Junior Intermediate Senior
(Circle one)

4-Her's Name _____ Dog's Name _____ Breed _____

Show Location _____ Date _____ Judge _____

Judge's Comments and Suggestions for Improvement:

STRENGTHS:

WEAKNESSES:

		Maximum Points	Points Lost	Score
1. Fitting of the Dog:	Possible Problem Areas:			
a. Hair and coat	Clean, natural, not scaly, not matted, free from loose hair	5		
b. General absence of parasites.	Fleas, lice, mites and ticks	5		
c. Ears	Clean inside	5		
d. Eyes	Clean, free from matter	5		
e. Toenails	Not excessively long	5		
f. Teeth	Clean, free from excessive tartar	5		
2. Showmanship of the Handler:	Possible Problem Areas:			
a. Appearance of handler	Clothing ____ Footwear ____ Grooming ____	35		
	Smiling ____ Friendly ____ Confident ____			
b. Grace and ease of showing	Correct lead usage ____			
	Keeps dog set up ____ Follows instructions ____			
c. Avoids getting in awkward and/or unsightly positions	Keeps dog between judge and 4-H'er ____			
	Good footwork ____ Commands ____ Signals ____			
d. Easy and smooth movement	Lead handling _____			
e. Sportsmanship	Crowding or bothering another team _____			
f. Knows about this dog's care, condition and problems	Other _____			
3. Coordination Between Handler and Dog:	Possible Problem Areas:			
a. Dog's reaction to handler	Extra loud commands _____ Dog not responsive _____	35		
b. General communication between dog and handler	Unnecessary jerking or pulling _____ Dog cowering or unhappy _____			
c. Straight and even gait: DOG should move faster than a normal walk, but not at a gallop	Straight, even gait ____ Weaving ____ Dog lagging ____ Bumping handler ____ Crowding handler ____ Dog pulling away ____			
	d. Works as a team		Smooth turns ____ Smooth corners ____ Other _____	
Maximum Points		100		
Heavy disciplining Shows fear Fouling ring Disqualified Baiting Excused Less penalty for unusual behavior				
Updated 5/22	Explanation of Penalty		Total Net Score	

TEAM Armband Number _____	FINAL SCORE _____	CIRCLE PLACING: Purple (150-160) Blue (135-149.5) Red (120-134.5) White (119.5 or less)
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4-H Dog Obedience

Class: Pre-Novice (A) (B) (C)
(County use only) (Circle one)

4-Her's Name _____ Dog's Name _____ Breed _____

Show Location _____ Date _____ Judge _____

Judge's Comments and Suggestions for Improvement:

Exercise	Non-Qualifying		Qualifying	Maximum Points	Points Lost	Net Score
	Zero	Less than 50%				
Heel on Leash and Figure 8 on Leash	Unmanageable ____ Unqualified Heeling ____	Handler continually adapts pace to dog ____ Constant tugging on leash or guiding ____	<div style="text-align: right; margin-right: 20px;">Heeling Fig. 8</div> Extra command to heel or sit _____ Improper heel position _____ Occasional tight leash _____ Lagging/Forging _____ Heeling wide _____ No change of pace (Fast ____ Slow ____) Sits (Poor ____ No ____) Crowding handler _____ Sniffing _____ Lack of naturalness, smoothness _____ Handler touched dog _____ Handler error _____	35		
Stand for Examination on Leash	Does not remain in place ____ Growls or snaps ____	Sits or downs before or during examination ____	Resistance to handler posing _____ Extra command to stay _____ Less than 6 feet away _____ Moving slightly during exam _____ Moving after examination _____ Sits as handler returns _____ Lack of naturalness, smoothness _____ Handler error _____	30		
Recall on Leash	Didn't come on first command or signal ____ Sat out of reach ____	Extra command or signal to stay Moved from position ____ Anticipated recall command ____ Leaving handler ____	Stood or lay down _____ Double command (Finish ____ Come ____) _____ Extra command (Finish ____) _____ Poor sit (Front ____ Finish ____) _____ No sit (Front ____ Finish ____) _____ Finish (No ____ Poor ____) _____ Slow response _____ Touched handler _____ Lack of naturalness, smoothness _____ Handler error _____	35		
Maximum Subtotal				100		
Long Sit on Leash (1 minute)	Did not remain in place ____	Stood or lay down as handler returns ____ Repeated whines or barks ____	Forcing into position _____ Stood or lay down after handler returns to heel position _____ Minor move before handler returns _____ Minor whine or bark _____ Excessively loud commands _____	30		
Long Down on Leash (3 minutes)	Did not remain in place ____	Stood or sat as handler returns ____ Repeated whines or barks ____	Forcing into position _____ Stood or sat after handler returns to heel position _____ Minor move before handler returns _____ Minor whine or bark _____ Excessively loud commands _____	30		
Maximum Points				160		
Heavy disciplining Shows fear Fouling ring Disqualified Baiting Excused Less penalty for unusual behavior						
Updated 5/22	Explanation of Penalty			Total Net Score		

TEAM Armband Number _____	FINAL SCORE _____	CIRCLE PLACING: Purple (190-200) Blue (170-189.5) Red (150-169.5) White (149.5 or less)
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4-H Dog Obedience

Class: Novice

4-Her's Name _____ Dog's Name _____ Breed _____

Show Location _____ Date _____ Judge _____

Judge's Comments and Suggestions for Improvement:

Exercise	Non-Qualifying		Qualifying	Maximum Points	Points Lost	Net Score
	Zero	Less than 50%				
Heel on Leash and Figure 8 on Leash	Unmanageable ____	Handler continually adapts pace to dog ____	Heeling Fig. 8 Extra command to heel or sit _____ Improper heel position _____ Occasional tight leash _____ Lagging/Forging _____ Heeling wide _____ No change of pace (Fast ____ Slow ____) Sits (Poor ____ No ____) Crowding handler _____ Sniffing _____ Lack of naturalness, smoothness _____ Handler touched dog _____ Handler error _____	35		
	Unqualified Heeling ____	Constant tugging on leash or guiding ____				
Stand for Examination off Leash	Does not remain in place ____	Sits or downs before or during examination ____	Resistance to handler posing _____ Extra command to stay _____ Greater than 6 feet away _____ Moving slightly during exam _____ Moving after examination _____ Sits as handler returns _____ Lack of naturalness, smoothness _____ Handler error _____	30		
	Growls or snaps ____					
Heel off Leash	Unmanageable ____	Handler continually adapts pace to dog ____	Extra command to heel or sit _____ Improper heel position _____ Lagging/Forging _____ Heeling wide _____ Sits (Poor ____ No ____) No change of pace (Fast ____ Slow ____) Crowding handler _____ Sniffing _____ Lack of naturalness, smoothness _____ Handler touched dog _____ Handler error _____	45		
	Unqualified Heeling ____					
Recall off Leash	Didn't come on first command or signal ____	Extra command or signal to stay	Stood or lay down _____ Double command (Finish ____) Extra command (Finish ____) Poor sit (Front ____ Finish ____) No sit (Front ____ Finish ____) Finish (No ____ Poor ____) Slow response _____ Lack of naturalness, smoothness _____ Hands not at side _____ Touching handler _____ Handler error _____	35		
	Sat out of reach ____	Double command to come ____ Moved from position ____ Anticipated recall command ____ Leaving handler ____				
Maximum Subtotal				140		
Long Sit off Leash (1 minute)	Did not remain in place ____	Stood or lay down as handler returns ____	Forcing into position _____ Stood or lay down after handler returns to heel position _____ Minor move before handler returns _____ Minor whine or bark _____ Excessively loud commands _____	30		
		Repeated whines or barks ____				
Long Down off Leash (3 minutes)	Did not remain in place ____	Stood or sat as handler returns ____	Forcing into position _____ Stood or sat after handler returns to heel position _____ Minor move before handler returns _____ Minor whine or bark _____ Excessively loud commands _____	30		
		Repeated whines or barks ____				
Maximum Points				200		
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4-H Dog Obedience

Class: Graduate Novice

4-Her's Name _____ Dog's Name _____ Breed _____

Show Location _____ Date _____ Judge _____

Judge's Comments and Suggestions for Improvement:

Exercise	Non-Qualifying		Qualifying	Maximum Points	Points Lost	Net Score
	Zero	Less than 50%				
Heel on Leash	Unmanageable ____ Unqualified heeling ____	Handler continually adapts pace to dog ____ Constant tugging on leash or guiding ____	Heeling Fig. 8	35		
			Extra command to heel or sit Improper heel position Occasional tight leash Lagging/Forging Heeling wide No change of pace (Fast ____ Slow ____) Sits (Poor ____ No ____) Crowding handler Sniffing Lack of naturalness, smoothness Handler touched dog Handler error			
Stand for Examination off Leash	Does not remain in place ____ Growls or snaps ____	Sits or downs before or during examination ____	Resistance to handler posing Extra command to stay Greater than 6 feet away Moving slightly during exam Moving after examination Sits as handler returns Lack of naturalness, smoothness Handler error	30		
Heel off Leash and Figure 8 off Leash	Unmanageable ____ Unqualified heeling ____	Handler continually adapts pace to dog ____	Heeling Fig. 8	45		
			Extra command Improper heel position Lagging/Forging Heeling wide No change of pace (Fast ____ Slow ____) Sits (Poor ____ No ____) Crowding handler Sniffing Lack of naturalness, smoothness Handler touched dog Handler error			
Drop on Recall off Leash	Does not come on first command or signal ____ Does not drop on first command or signal ____ Sat out of reach ____	Extra command or signal to stay after handler leaves ____ Moved from place ____ Anticipated: Recall ____ Drop ____ Come in ____ Double command to come ____	Stood or laid down Double command: (Finish ____) Extra Command: (Finish ____) Poor sit (Front ____ Finish ____) No sit (Front ____ Finish ____) Finish (No ____ Poor ____) Slow response Touched handler Lack of naturalness, smoothness Hands not at sides Handler error	30		
Maximum Subtotal				140		
Long Sit 3 min. (handler out of sight)	Did not remain in place ____	Stood or lay down as handler returns ____ Repeated whines or barks ____	Forcing into position Stood or lay down after handler returns to heel position Minor move before handler returns Minor whine or bark Excessively loud commands	30		
Long Down 5 min. (handler out of sight)	Did not remain in place ____	Stood or sat as handler returns ____ Repeated whines or barks ____	Forcing into position Stood or sat after handler returns to heel position Minor move before handler returns Minor whine or bark Excessively loud commands	30		
Maximum Points				200		
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