

# 4-H Fashion Show Narrative Examples

The following are great examples of narratives written by actual 4-H members.

One thing we would like to see in the following narratives is the name of the local 4-H club they are involved with.

We love how some mentioned their ages!

## *Clothing Selection*

This is Anna and she is ten years old. She chose this fancy dress to wear for Easter, some weddings and her new cousin's baptism. This dress has a bolero jacket and a tiered chiffon skirt. Anna accessorized her outfit with sparkly gold shoes and a gold necklace.

Tom is wearing an outfit he selected for school and casual events. Khaki pants are complemented with a dark brown tweed sweater that he wears over a turquoise-blue madras-plaid shirt. Tom is the president of his 4-H club and recently attended Iowa Youth & 4-H Conference at Iowa State University. He plans to study agricultural business in college.

## *Fashion Review*

This is Emily and she is ten years old. She likes to wear comfortable outfits when she's relaxing. That's why she sewed these lounging pants so she can lounge around. She also chose a lime green t-shirt and socks to be comfortable and to compliment her colorful pants.

Zeroing in on 2009 with a bright floral print, Becky is modeling a dress she constructed to wear to the junior-senior prom. Becky says 4-H has helped her develop confidence in speaking before groups. She likes giving 4-H presentations. Recently she traveled with other Iowa 4-Hers to Washington DC. She says 4-H has given her many great opportunities for learning and, after she finishes high school next year, she plans to carry on with her education by studying engineering in college.

## *The \$15 Challenge*

This is Sarah modeling a top and bottom made by Old Navy and purchased at Goodwill. Her goal was to find a nice, comfortable summer outfit because most of her shorts were getting too small. This outfit has pockets that have buttons on them so you won't lose your things. This has occurred in the past to Sarah. She lost \$5.00—oh no! She could have bought a whole outfit for that! The top has a small pocket as well. The shorts are a dark navy blue and the top has navy blue and white stripes. Her whole outfit cost \$4.10: \$1.80 for the shorts, \$1.80 for the top, and 50¢ for the bracelet.