- members may also enter **one** exhibit in the Celebrate our World class. All exhibits must be in the same level. All items should be clean and in good repair.
- 2. Judging criteria are outlined in 4-H Sewing/Clothing Construction Evaluation Sheet (320-01), the 4-H Sewing/Clothing Creative Expression Evaluation Sheet (320-02), or the Skills Notebook Evaluation Sheet (320-96) which can be found at the County Extension Offices and on the State 4-H website.
- 3. Judging standards are listed in Measuring Up: Quality Standards for Sewn Items/Projects (PNW-197). Each entry will be evaluated on ALL features. For skill levels 1-6 the use of fabrics or skills that are beyond the recommendations for this level are expected to be done well according to the standards, but will neither be given extra credit consideration for increased difficulty nor disqualified during judging. It is in the best interest of the member to stay within the suggested guidelines. See 4-H Clothing Guidelines for Leaders: Basic, Expanding and Advanced Skills (4-H 320-00L).
- 4. The 4-H Sewing/Clothing Exhibit Card (320-04) requests information about the exhibit which is needed by the judge to thoroughly evaluate the exhibit. This card must be securely attached to each entry except Skills Notebook exhibits. Securely attach the standard 4-H Exhibit tag to exhibits in this class. The Celebrate our World Explanation Card (998-03) is required for all exhibits in the Celebrate our World class.
- Hangers and/or garment bags are removed from exhibits prior to judging and might not be returned.
- 6. In addition to the 4-H Sewing/Clothing Exhibit Card, each garment or article in the construction classes must be labeled with the member's name, county, and project level. This label should be typed or printed in indelible pencil or ink on a piece of white fabric and sewn or fused onto the bottom inside of each piece.

**Note:** Fill in blank in class number (\_\_) with corresponding number for age level. The Advanced skill level is for Intermediates and Seniors only.

- 1 Junior
- 2 Intermediate
- 3 Senior

## **BASIC SKILLS LEVEL 1**

Fabrics used for this level should be stable medium weight, firmly woven with minimal stretch (4 inches of fabric stretches to 4 3/4 inches or less)

- **320 101 11**\_\_ **Garment or item showing cutting skills** with or without minimal stitching; made from fleece or other fabrics suitable for this level.
- **320 101 12\_\_ Garment with casing but no crotch seam** made from stable, medium weight, firmly **woven fabric** (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend).
- 320 101 13\_\_ Garment with casing and crotch seam made from stable, medium weight, firmly woven fabric (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend).
- 320 101 14 Garment with skills other than casing made from stable, medium weight, firmly woven fabric (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend).
- **320 101 15 Garment** from **polar fleece** or comparable fabric with minimal stretch.
- **320 101 16\_\_ Non-garment item sewn by hand** from felt, firmly woven fabrics (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend) or polar fleece with minimal stretch.
- **320 101 17**\_\_ **Personal accessory** from firmly **woven** fabrics (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend) or

polar fleece (minimal stretch).

**320 101 18**\_\_\_ **Item for the home** from firmly **woven** fabrics (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend) or polar fleece (minimal stretch).

320 101 19\_\_ Toy or Non-garment item for use in sports, picnics, camping, or with animals from firmly woven fabrics (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend) or polar fleece (minimal stretch).

## **BASIC SKILLS LEVEL 2**

Fabrics used in this level are stable medium weight fabrics and may have minimal stretch (4 inches of fabric stretches to 4  $\frac{3}{4}$  inches or less).

**320 101 21\_\_ Garment with casing** made from stable medium weight firmly **woven fabric** (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend).

**320 101 22\_\_ Garment with skills other than casing** made from stable medium weight firmly **woven fabric** (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend).

**320 101 23\_\_ Garment** from non-bulky **knit** fabric with minimal stretch.

320 101 24\_\_ Garment from polar fleece or comparable fabric with minimal stretch.

**320 101 25**\_\_ **Outfit (2 or more pieces)** Each piece of the outfit may use one or more of the following fabrics: stable, medium weight, firmly **woven** fabrics **and/or** non-bulky **knit** fabrics with minimal stretch, **and/or polar fleece** with minimal stretch.

**320 101 26\_\_ Personal accessory** from firmly **woven** fabrics (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend), non-bulky **knit** fabric with minimal or **polar fleece** (minimal stretch).

**320 101 27\_\_ Item for the home** from firmly **woven** fabrics (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend) non-bulky **knit** fabric or **polar fleece** with minimal stretch.

**320 101 28**\_\_ **Non-garment item for use in sports, picnics, camping, or with animals** from firmly woven fabrics (cotton, cotton/polyester blend, wool, wool blend), non-bulky **knit** fabric with minimal stretch, or **polar fleece** (minimal stretch).

**320 101 29\_\_ Doll, toy, or garment/accessories** for either from firmly woven fabrics (cotton, cotton blend, wool, wool blend), non-bulky **knit** fabric, or **polar fleece** with minimal stretch.

## **BASIC SKILLS LEVEL 3**

At this level, the focus should be on improving skills learned in level 1 and 2 and adding a new skill or two. Fabrics used in this level may have up to moderate stretch (4 inches of fabric stretches to no more than 5 3/8 inches).

**320 101 31**\_\_ **Garment** made from medium weight **woven** fabric which may have up to moderate stretch.

**320 101 32\_\_ Garment** made from **knit** fabric which may have up to moderate stretch.

**320 101 33 Garment** from **polar fleece** or comparable fabric which may have up to moderate stretch.

**320 101 34\_\_ Outfit (2 or more pieces)** Each piece of the outfit may use one or more of the following fabrics: medium weight **woven** fabrics **and/or knit** fabrics, **and/or polar fleece**; all fabrics may have up to moderate stretch.

**320 101 35\_\_ Personal accessory** from medium weight **woven** fabrics, **knit** fabrics, **and/or polar fleece**; all fabrics may have up to moderate stretch.

**320 101 36** Item for the home from medium weight woven fabrics, knit fabrics, and/or polar fleece; all fabrics may have up to moderate stretch.