

2025 D5 4-H FOOD CHALLENGE SCORECARD - PRESENTATION

Team Name: _____

County: _____

Age Division: ___ Junior ___ Intermediate ___ Senior

Entry Category: ___ Appetizer ___ Main Dish ___ Side Dish ___ Healthy Dessert

Team Presentation	Comments	Points	Score
<i>Knowledge of MyPlate and Dietary Guidelines:</i>			
Knowledge of MyPlate		5	
Knowledge of Dietary Guidelines for Americans		5	
<i>Nutrition Knowledge:</i>			
Knows key nutrition in prepared dish		6	
Knowledge of nutrient functions, effects, and deficiency risks		6	
Healthy substitutions and modifications		3	
<i>Food Preparation:</i>			
Explained key steps in how dish was prepared		4	
Role of main ingredients in dish		2	
<i>Safety Concerns and Practices:</i>			
Explained food safety according to Fight BAC		8	
<i>Serving Size Information:</i>			
Demonstrated knowledge of serving size for prepared dish		4	
<i>Food Appearance/Quality:</i>			
Food is appealing and appetizing		3	
Appeared to be cooked properly		3	
Attractive and appropriate gamish		2	
<i>Creativity:</i>			
Used ingredients in a creative way		5	
Incorporated grocery store items into dish or gamish		3	
<i>Effectiveness of Communication:</i>			
Displayed effective communication skills		6	
Poise and personal appearance		4	
<i>Questions:</i>			
Accurately and appropriately answered questions		6	
<i>Additional Comments:</i>		Total Points (75)	

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2025 D5 4-H FOOD CHALLENGE SCORECARD - PREPARATION

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Team Observation	Comments	Points	Score
<i>Teamwork:</i>			
Effective use of communication among team members		2	
Each team member played a key role in the preparation phase, whether cooking or preparing presentation		3	
<i>Safety concerns and practices:</i>			
Exhibited knowledge of how to use equipment safely (heat, utensils, sharps, etc.)		3	
Handled ingredients appropriately to avoid cross contamination		3	
Personal Hygiene (hair, nails, jewelry, etc.)		3	
<i>Preparation:</i>			
Practiced correct cooking procedures based upon ingredients provided		3	
Completed tasks efficiently and in a logical order		2	
<i>Management:</i>			
Used workspace efficiently		2	
Effective use of time		2	
Preparation table was clean at the conclusion of the preparation period		2	
<i>Additional Comments: (based on observation)</i>			
		Total Points (25)	

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