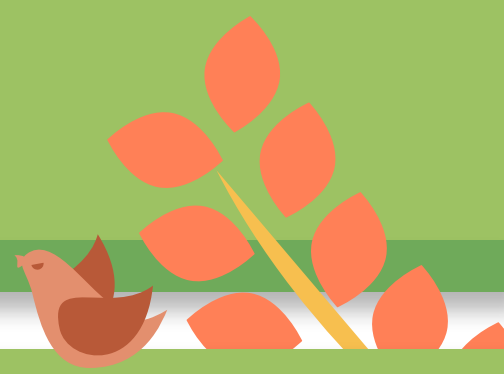




# North Carolina 4-H Presentations Artistic Arrangement



**Flowers Carved from radishes**, arrangements crafted with dried wildflowers or kissing balls with potato bases, the 4-H presentation category of Artistic Arrangement offers youth the opportunity to share their creative flair for displaying nature's beauty.

## TOPIC IDEAS

- Design edible place favors
- Create a corsage for your favorite person using herbs
- Make a wreath using all natural materials
- Build a fairy crown using leaves from your favorite plant
- Craft a holiday table arrangement

## PURPOSE/OBJECTIVES:

- To teach youth how to properly arrange horticultural crops or wild plants with live or dried material.
- To teach youth to recognize the value an arrangement plays in a decoration scheme.
- To afford youth the opportunity to learn a skill that could yield future income opportunities.

## ADDITIONAL RULES

- Use any cut flowers and other horticultural products in arrangements, corsages, plaques, etc. Materials may be live or dried. Weeds and native materials may also be used.
- Artificial plants, flowers, and silks are **Not Allowed**.
- Youth must **Demonstrate**, not just present at NJHA

## NATIONAL COMPETITION – NJHA

The gold winner in the senior class of Artistic Arrangement is eligible to attend the National Junior Horticultural Association's annual convention. The winner receives a scholarship that covers the cost of registration.

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A fall table arrangement that uses garden grown, native and commercially purchased material.



Lee county 4-H'er demonstrating floral design basics at the NJHA convention in Virginia.



Stokes county 4-H'er demonstrating her interest in the Japanese art of Ikebana.



# GROW FOR IT

