



New Mexico 4-H Greentop Project Guide



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**400.F-4
(R -09)**

Simply Speaking

Project Materials:

- Simply Speaking, 100 F-4
- Simply Speaking Record Form, 300 F-4 (R-09)
- Simply Speaking Greentop 400.F-4

Project Objectives:

Once finished with the project, the member will be able to:

- Effectively organize presentations and demonstrations utilizing effective introductions, bodies, and conclusions.
- Prepare effective visual aids for demonstrations, illustrated talks etc.
- Develop and utilize an effective speaking voice using pitch, rate, and force.
- Cope with nerves in the presenting of presentations, workshops, etc.

Project requirements:

Work with your leader, parent, 4-H agents to select the project best suited for your skill level and needs. The project you decide on should fit into one of the areas below.

- Copy of your written speech
- Portfolio of your speech
- Pictures of your visual aids
- Story about your Simply Speaking experience
- Video of your presentation.

Other Project activities:

- Give demonstrations or illustrated talks about the different components of the public speaking project at the club or county level.
- Exhibit your speech at the county, regional, or state fair.
- Help others prepare a speech or demonstration.
- Compete in your county, district, or state competitions in the public speaking or talent review sections.

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Project Resources

- County Extension Agent
- Your 4-H Club or Project Leader
- Internet
- Library

Other Projects of Interest:

- Citizenship.....help others prepare a speech or demonstration
- Leadership.....give a demonstration about the different types of leadership
- Understanding Pre-School Children....reading or telling stories to younger children
- Photography.....give a demonstration on how to crop photographs

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