



HELPFUL, HANDY HOME HOW 2'S



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Project Overview

Many people are on a tight budget. That doesn't mean you cannot enjoy a nice home. You can easily do many of the tasks that you would otherwise pay a professional to do. This project is to help you improve and beautify your home

Key Learning Topics

- Living Room: fill small holes, shim a door, or hang curtains.
- Kitchen: adjust cabinet doors, replace drawer tracks, or unclog drains.
- Bathroom: cleaning the sink, fixing a drip, adjusting the toilet.
- Bed Room: fluff the carpet, polish furniture, or fix a closet door.

Expanding the Project

- Share what has been learned about repairs by helping others.
- Start a community service project with the skills you have learned.
- Participate in FCS Skill A Thon contest at the County, District or State levels.

Resources

- Helpful, Handy Home How 2's Project Book
- General Project Record Sheet

Exhibit Guidelines

1. Helpful, Handy Home How 2's Poster.
2. Photo Journal of a Home Repair Project.
3. SD exhibit including SD Project Record Sheet.

Note: if entering posters or display boards in #3 listed above, ensure that they meet the following guidelines:

- Posters may be no larger than 14 X 22 inches. Posters are defined as any flat paper, foam board, cardboard, or other backing appropriate for hanging on the wall.
- Display Boards may be no larger than 18 x 48 inches. Display boards are defined as scored, freestanding science boards.
- Exhibits: Exhibit bases for three dimensional vertical displays may be no larger than 24 x 24 inches

Targeting Life Skills:

- Self-discipline
- Leadership
- Wise use of Resources
- Critical thinking
- Problem solving
- Decision Making
- Self-esteem
- Resiliency
- Self-Motivation
- Personal Safety

