

# ZERO TURN MOWER

<b>Contest Description:</b>	Contest will consist of participants identifying parts of a zero-turn mower and a driving and safety portion.
<b>Superintendent(s):</b>	Matt Foster
<b>Award:</b>	4-H Educational Trip
<b>Grade/Age Requirement(s):</b>	Must be enrolled in 8 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade as of August 1, 2021.
<b>Team or Individual Contest:</b>	Individual
<b>Number of Entries Per Parish:</b>	Two (2) Entries

## Contest Rules:

1. Refer to Louisiana 4-H University General Rules and Guidelines for a complete set of event rules and guidelines.
2. The event will consist of two parts with a point value and time limit as follows:
  - a. Part 1: Parts identification will consist of 25 parts to identify. Each incorrect answer counts 4 points. This event will have a time limit of 20 minutes.
  - b. Part 2: Driving portion consists of zero turn mower safety and operation. (See attached course). The scoresheets from each event will be added. Lowest overall score wins.
3. No coaches or Extension agents will be permitted on the ground floor of the Parker Arena. Contact with contests officials, other than the contest superintendent, will not be permitted to avoid conflicts of interest.

## Contest Resource(s):

- Louisiana 4-H Zero Turn Mower Scorecards, 2022
- Zero Turn Mower Course Diagram
- YouTube Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bHnwnhtSXrs>
- [https://extension.purdue.edu/4h/Documents/4-H\\_84\\_Conducting\\_Petroleum\\_Power\\_contests.pdf](https://extension.purdue.edu/4h/Documents/4-H_84_Conducting_Petroleum_Power_contests.pdf) (pages 27-31, 33, 35, 49, 51 & 52)