

## Example using the Product Comparison Form

### Nutritious Snack

**Situation:** Pat is planning to have an after-the-game party for some of his classmates and wants to serve fresh popped popcorn. He's planning to use his electric popper and needs to watch his costs carefully. Some of Pat's friends prefer no salt, and some want their popcorn salted.

### Class Items:

1. Microwave Popcorn – Betty Crocker – 3 bags @ \$2.19 for 24 cups popped.
2. Orville Redenbacher's Gourmet Popping Corn -- \$2.79 for 30 oz. unpopped and 90 cups popped.
3. TV Time Popcorn -- \$1.59 for 16 oz. unpopped – 44 cups popped.
4. Golden Flake Popcorn -- \$1.39 for 10 cups popped.

Using the Product Comparison Form, 4-H'er can fill in the grid to help make their consumer decision and best place the class of items.

Product Comparison Form

	Cost	Unit Cost per serving	Electric	Qty Cups
1	\$2.19 for 24 cups popped	9 cents per serving	No	24
2	\$2.79 for 90 cups popped	3.1 cents per serving	Yes	90
3	\$1.59 for 44 cups popped	3.6 cents per serving	?	44
4	\$1.39 for 10 cups popped	13.9 cents per serving	?	10