# Home Economics ACF Entries

A How To Guide to enter items in the Home Economics Department

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# Home Economics Catalog can be found at

https://austincountyfair.com/home-economics



Hard Copy Catalogs available at the Fair Office

Check In Items – Monday, 4 pm to 6:45 pm/Tuesday, 9 am to 11:45 am Judging – Tuesday Noon until Complete

Removal/Pick up Items – Sunday, 11 am to 2 pm



#### Home Economics Age Divisions

- •4H/FFA Junior Green 3<sup>rd</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> grade
- •4H/FFA/FCCLA Senior Pink 9th to 12th grade
- Open Youth –Yellow (Any Austin Cty Resident)
- Extension Education White Member TEEA
- Open Adult Blue (Any Austin Cty Resident)

#### How to fill out the Entry Forms!

#### 1. Determine which category you are in

- Youth (Pages 27-44 in the Home Economics Catalog)
  - 4H/FFA Junior 4H/FFA member Grades 3 thru 8
  - 4H/FFA/FCCLA Senior- 4H/FFA/FCCLA member Grades 9 thru 12
  - Open Youth Enrolled in Austin County School Grade K thru 12
- Adult (Pages 45-60 in the Home Economics Catalog)
  - Extension Active member of Austin County Extension Education Club
  - Open Adult Any adult who resides in Austin County

#### Section: Color Coded Cards & Tags

- 2. Forms are Color coded based on Section
  - 4H/FFA Junior Green
  - 4H/FFA/FCCLA Senior Pink
  - Open Youth –Yellow
  - Extension Education White
  - Open Adult Blue
  - Flower Show Light Blue
  - Fine Art Salmon



Forms are available at the Fair Office

### What do you need?

#### 3. Large Entry Card Per Division, Item Tags & Fair Catalog

- Fair Catalog (Hard Copy or Online Version)
- Large Entry card for each category you enter
  - Top of each card states Corresponding Category
- Corresponding Item tag for each item in the Division
  - Example of How many of each needed:
    - Plan to Enter Flowers, Baked Good, & Canned Foods
      - You will need three Large Entry Cards (3 Divisions)
    - I will enter 3 Flowers, 4 Baked Goods and 5 Canned Goods
      - You will need 12 small Item Tags (Total of 12 Entries)

#### Instructions to Fill Out Large Cards

- Last Name/First Name
- Address/City
- Cell Phone Daytime cell phone number
- Club, Chapter, Home School
- Division Choose one Division per Card
  - Example Clothing and Needlework Category A

Clothing and Needlework	Category A
Home Improvement	Category B - Home Improvement
Home Improvement	Category C - Crafts
Home Improvement	Category D - Wood Work
Flower Show/Specimen	Category E
Baked Goods	Category F
Canned Foods	Category G
Photography	Category H
Quilts	Category J

You need one Large Card per Division!

Last Name	First Name
Mailing Address	
Cell Phone Number	Parent Cell Phone Number

#### Refer to Home Economics Catalog

- Example: You have Constructed a Blouse
- A Constructed Blouse goes in Category A Clothing and Needlework
  - Class A1

#### CLOTHING AND NEEDLEWORK DIVISION

CATEGORY "A"

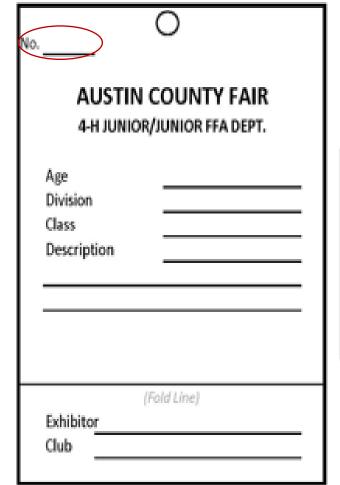
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#### CONSTRUCTED ITEMS

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A1.	Blouse	A15. Skorts
A2.	Capris	A16. Slacks
A3.	Coat/Shawl/Poncho	A17. Sport Outfit
A4.	Costume	A18. Suit
A5.	Dress - Casual	A19. Swimsuit Cover-Up
A6.	House Robe	A20. Vest
A7.	Jacket	A21. Apron
A8.	Jumper	A22. Pillow
A9.	Miscellaneous	A23. Pillowcase
A10.	Night Gown or Pajamas	A24. Throw
A11.	Shirt	A25. Tote Bag
A12.	Shorts	A26. Towels
A13.	Shorts & Tops	A27. Wall Hanging, Stitched
A14.	Skirt	
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#### Cards & Item Tags

- 1. Age of Exhibitor
- 2. Division (Ex. Baked Foods)
- 3. Class Letter and Number
  - Example: Write A1
- 4. Description of Item
  - Example: Constructed Blouse Blue Short Sleeve
- 5. Tag Number (Red Ovals)
  - Example: Place the Corresponding Tag number in this block
- Each Item must have a Tag each tag has a corresponding No.
- Securely attach the tag to your item. (Tied or Pinned)
- 6. List all items under this category together on this card. You need a separate card per Division.
- 7. Cards must be signed by both a parent and Exhibitors.



Class Letter and No.	Description of Item (Example - Christmas Angel Ornament or Wooden Bird House)	Tag No.

#### Notes for Entry Tags!

- Exhibitor number is required for Open Adult and Extension Education
- Exhibitor numbers are available at the Fair office.
- Exhibitor numbers are NOT required for Youth Categories
- Division Ex: Clothing and Needlework Category A
- Class Ex: A1
- Description of Article Ex: Constructed Blouse
- Exhibitor: Name of Exhibitor
- School or Club: Ex: 4H/FFA Chapter, EEA or leave blank for Open Adult

#### Procedure to Check In Entries

- It is requested to have Cards and Tags filled out before arrival
- Items will be accepted in the Expo Building IAW the Schedule
- Take your items to the Payment Table
- Present your Large Cards to the Clerk
  - Items are \$1.00 each up to 10 items
  - If you enter more than 10 items, it is a flat fee of \$10.00
  - The clerk will mark each of your large cards PAID
- Take items to your Corresponding Division

(4H/FFA Junior, 4H/FFA/FCCLA Senior, Open Youth, Extension Education, Open Adult)

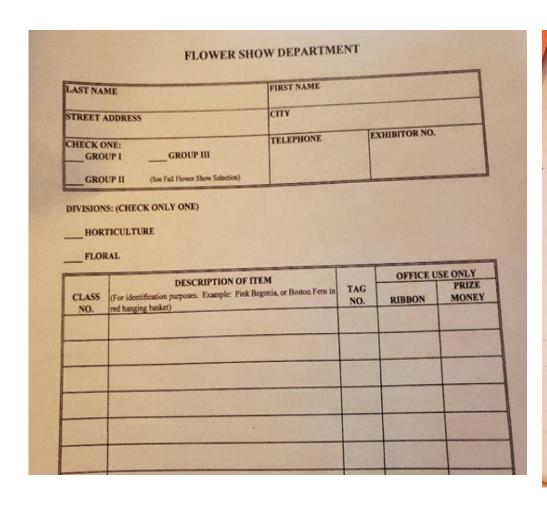
- A Volunteer will check off your items and place them in the location of that specific category
- You are done! Now to wait for Judging to be Completed!

#### Procedure to Check Out Entries

- Items will be released IAW the Schedule
- Items removed prior to the Schedule will forfeit prize money.
- Prize money will be available IAW the Schedule
  - Any prize money not claimed by Nov 1 will be forfeited
- Locate your items per category
- Volunteers may have combined categories, ask a Volunteer
- A Volunteer will check off your items and release them to you.
- If you win Grand or Reserve Champion. Please take pictures for the paper and Award Recognition.
- You are done!

## Flower Show

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- This is a separate show. No Exhibitor Number Required
- Group I Any adult citizen of Austin County and not an owner of a nursery or floral shop.
- **Group II** Students of Austin County that are not part of 4H, FFA, FCCLA.
- Group III Any commercial owners of a nursery, floral shop, or floral designer who perform their duties in a professional capacity.
- Please see specific rules in the Home Economics Catalog
- Please see pages 65-68 in the Home Economics Catalog

# Fine Arts Department School & Open

## Fine Arts Department

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First Name:		Town:		
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#### School & Open Fine Arts Dept.

- All artwork submitted must have been made since the previous fair.
- Only one (1) piece of artwork per person will be accepted.
- All exhibits in this department must be labeled, giving name, address, school, and exhibitor division.
- Exhibitor divisions are:
  - Open: Adult (non-professional), high school, junior high and youth
  - School Art: high school, junior high and elementary
  - Please see pages 61-64 in Home Economics Catalog

#### Youth Supreme & Country Auction

- Details for the Youth Supreme & Country Auction can be found in the Home Economics Catalog per contest.
- Please note that Ag Mechanics rules are located in the Fair Catalog
- The Youth Supreme & Country Auction will be held on the second Saturday of the fair. See official schedule for details.

### Thank you!

Home Economics Committee and Department Chairs take great pride and care working with your entries!

If you have any questions, please see the Department Chair of your specific department.

We appreciate your support, your time and your efforts!

Thank you for participating in the Austin County Fair Home Economics Department!