



# Cultural Arts Competition

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What is it and how you can showcase craftwork passed down through generations

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# Today we will...



- Discuss the Cultural Arts Competition
- Discover resources available to assist with the competition categories
- Make a bona-fide entry for this year's competition





# Cultural Arts and Heritage PoW

- This Program of Work aims to introduce participants to the elements and principles of art while helping participants understand why they may or may not “like” what they see when viewing art.
- The Cultural Arts Competition falls under the Cultural Arts and Heritage Program of Work.
- Other activities in this PoW include visiting museums, genealogy, etc





# Cultural Arts Competition

- The Cultural Arts Competition comprises 27 categories, most have at least 2 subcategories of items that can be entered
  - For example, category **19. Painting, ART** comprises three subcategories.
    - **A. Acrylic, B. Oil, and C. Watercolor**
- More examples of categories include apparel, drawing, quilts, and photography
- In total, there 94 subcategories that can be entered





# Rules for the Road

- Make sure to read all state Cultural Arts Rules and any additional rules set by your county for the competition
- State rules for the Cultural Arts Competition are found on page 41 and 42 of the Homemakers Handbook.
- Let's review these
- There may be a quiz!





# Competition Guidelines (1/4)

- Entries must be your own work
- Completed in the last 2 years
- Exhibitors can only enter one entry per subcategory
- Blue and purple ribbon entries from previous years cannot be reentered this year
- Please make sure to label your items!





# Competition Guidelines (2/4)

- You are responsible for transporting items to the area and state competition unless you make other arrangements
- You must provide the materials to properly display your items. For example, providing an easel for large paintings.
- Items must be tagged with the state provided tags. This process will vary from county to county.





# Competition Guidelines (3/4)

- Neither the Kentucky Extension Homemakers Association nor the University of Kentucky will be responsible for any lost, misplaced or broken items.
- We do not anticipate any misfortune, but this disclaimer must be clearly understood by all exhibitors.
- Please label any easels, picture stands, hangers, or other display equipment.





# Competition Guidelines (4/4)

- The exhibitor is responsible for category/subcategory determination. However, entries in the wrong category determined by competition officials can be moved to the correct category.
- Items cannot be removed early from the competition without approval of the Cultural Arts Chair. Exceptions can be made for emergencies





# Subcategory Rules to Note

- All felted items should be entered in the felting category. Items that have been knitted or crocheted and wet felted should not be entered in knitting or crochet
- Photographs should be either mounted and/or in a frame. Matting and glass is optional.
- Quilts must be done in its entirety by the members.
- Scrapbooking entries are limited to 1 or 2 pages.





Quiz!



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# True or False

- I can enter in an item someone else made?
- I can enter a quilt I made for the new decade in 2020?
- I have two beautiful oil paintings. I can enter both in the oil painting subcategory?
- My hooked rug won 1<sup>st</sup> place last year, I can enter it again?
- I can submit an unmounted photograph into the competition?





# Resources for Completing Cultural Arts Entries



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# UK Master Resource Page

- <http://fcshes.ca.uky.edu/content/publications-master-list>



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# Make Your Own Cultural Arts Competition Entry



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# Three options

Category 11. Drawing

B. Pen and Ink

E. Pencil Color

Category 14. Holiday Decorations

D. Winter

Category 23. Paper Crafting

A. Card Making

B. Origami



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# Questions?



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