

Cultural Arts Exhibit

Category and Rules
Effective January 2024

	Category Description	Comments
1.	Basketry	Any material
2.	Beadwork	All bead worked except jewelry
3.	Ceramics	
4.	Chairs & Stools	Woven or Caned
5.	Crochet: Thread	
6.	Crochet: Yarn	
7.	Cross Stitch: Counted	Not Machine Cross Stitch
8.	Cross Stitch: Other	Not Machine Cross Stitch
9.	Decorative Painting	Tole, China Painting, Textile Painting (aprons), Stenciling, Any Other
10.	Diamond Painting/Art	Beads or Square beads-cannot be entered in beading
11.	Dolls	Any Type
12.	Embroidery: Hand	All Type including Brazilian, Ribbon, Crewel-all hand work
13.	Embroidery: Machine	All, including Machine Cross Stitch
14.	Fine Arts Painting: Acrylics	
15.	Fine Arts Painting: Drawings & Charcoal	
16.	Fine Arts Painting: Pastels	
17.	Fine Arts Painting: Oil	
18.	Fine Arts Painting: Watercolor	
19.	Floral Design	Any material except fresh/live flowers or fresh/live greenery
20.	Handcrafted Toy	Any Material
21.	Hand Stitching	Hardanger, Cutwork, Smocking, Applique
22.	Holiday Decoration: Christmas	Christmas items only- can include Diamond Painting/Art
23.	Holiday Decoration: Non-Christmas	Any other items - no Christmas item-can include Diamond Painting/Art
24.	Jewelry: Beaded	No diamond art beading
25.	Jewelry: Non-Beaded	
26.	Knitting: Hand	
27.	Mosaic Art	No beading or Diamond Painting/Art
28.	Needlepoint	Any Type Canvas
29.	Paper Crafts	
30.	Photograph: Black & White - Person	Individual, single person or two or more persons
31.	Photograph: Black & White - Place	Landscape, Scenery
32.	Photograph: Black & White - All Other	
33.	Photograph: Color - Person	Individuals, single person or two or more persons
34.	Photograph: Color - Place	Landscapes, Scenery
35.	Photograph: Color - All Other	
36.	Pottery	
37.	Quilts: Antique & Cathedral Window	All work of member
38.	Quilts: Baby & Lap	All work of member
39.	Quilts: Embroidered - Hand	All work of member
40.	Quilts: Hand-Pieced & Hand Quilted	All work of member
41.	Quilts: Machine-Pieced & Hand Quilted	All work of member
42.	Quilts: Machine Pieced & Machine Quilted	All work of member
43.	Quilts: Hand or Machine Pieced & Professionally Quilted	All work of members EXCEPT quilting may be done by another FCE member or non-member, paid or free
44.	Quilt: Pillow	All work of member
45.	Quilt: Wall Hanging	All work of member

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46.	Quilt: Other	All work of member: includes clothing, pot holders, place mats, and rag-time quilts
47.	Repurposing	Recycling material to create something new
48.	Rug Making	Any Type
49.	Sculpture	Any Medium
50.	Stained Glass	Leaded or copper foiled
51.	Tatting	
52.	Weaving: Hand	
53.	Weaving: Loom	
54.	Woodworking	All wood working

1. An Individual may enter only one item per category regardless of multiple club, county, or region membership.
2. All first and second place winners from each county can go to region to be exhibited. All first and second winners from the region may go to state to be exhibited. (Two entries per category may be exhibited). No substitution from original entry in county or region may be entered in the state exhibition.
3. Articles must be entirely the work of the member EXCEPT for Category #43.
4. The art or craft must have been completed during the past year (since last competition). All photography categories must be pictures taken by member and framed within the current year.
5. No pre-printed ("cheater") quilts will be accepted.
6. All frameable items must be framed.
7. Each member is responsible for arranging transportation for exhibits to and from the County, Region, and State Conference sites.
8. Each member is responsible for providing their own materials required to exhibit articles at the County, Region and State Conference sites. If items are best displayed hung, please provide a means of hanging. Tape and nails cannot be used on walls.
9. Entries will be exhibited by categories.
10. Once an item is entered in a specific category at the county level, no one is authorized to change the category number at Region or State Level.
11. The judges have the option of disqualifying any item that does not fit the category.
12. A "Viewer's Choice" award by popular vote will be presented.
13. A list of region winners must be sent to State Chair as soon as chosen. You must use the Region Reporting Form found on the TAFCE.org website. All information is required.
14. The Tennessee Association for Family and Community Education (TAFCE), its officers or members, or the University of Tennessee Extension staff will not be responsible for any lost, misplaced or damaged items. We do not anticipate any misfortunes, but this disclaimer must be clearly understood by all exhibitors.
15. All exhibitors must be TAFCE members in good standing.
16. Any new categories must be presented at the regional exhibition prior to bringing category to the state board for approval. The category must have statistics to show interest. Until the TAFCE State Board approves these categories, they can not be exhibited at the State Conference competition.

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EXHIBIT CATEGORIES

Class II – Sewing

1. Apron – Half
2. Apron – Full
3. Bags – Purses – any style
4. Garments – Adult
5. Garments – Child (children under 12)
6. Holiday Decoration Tree Skirt
7. Holiday Stocking
8. Pillow – Holiday
9. Pillow – Other
10. Placemats – Set of 4
11. Potholders – Set of 3
12. Table Runner – Holiday
13. Table Runner – Other

Class III – Vegetables – Must be in regulation quart or pint jars

1. Corn
2. Green Beans
3. Kraut
4. Tomatoes
5. Tomato Juice
6. All other Vegetables

Class IV – Pickles and Relishes – Must be in regulation quart or pint jars

1. Beets - Pickles
2. Cucumber Pickles – Dill
3. Cucumber Pickles – Sweet
4. Relish – Any Kind
5. Salsas/Sauces
6. All Other Pickled Vegetables

Class V – Fruit – Must be in regulation quart or pint jars

1. Apples
2. Peaches
3. Pears
4. Applesauce
5. All Other Fruits

Class VI – Jams and Preserves – Must be in regulation pint or half pint jars

1. Apple Butter
2. Blackberry Jam
3. Pear Preserves
4. Strawberry Preserves
5. Peach Preserves
6. All Other

Class VII – Jellies – Must be in regulation pint or half pint jars

1. Apple Jelly
2. Blackberry Jelly
3. Grape Jelly
4. All other Jelly

Class VIII – Food - Cooking

1. Biscuits (3)
2. Bread – Yeast – whole loaf
3. Bread – Banana bread – whole loaf
4. Bread – other – whole loaf
5. Cakes – pound cake (1/4 cake)
6. Cakes – Chocolate (1/4 of cake)
7. Cakes – Other (1/4 of cake)
8. Cupcakes Frosted – any kind (3)
9. Cookies – Oatmeal (3)
10. Cookies – Chocolate Chip (3)
11. Cookies – Peanut Butter (3)
12. Cookies – other (3)
13. Cornbread (3 pieces)
14. Candy – Fudge – (3 pieces)
15. Candy – Divinity – (3 pieces)
16. Candy – other – (3 pieces)

17. Fried Pies – 3 any kind
18. Pie – Apple (1/4 pie)
19. Pie – Cherry (1/4 pie)
20. Pie – Pecan (1/4)
21. Pie – Other (1/4) (no meringue)

Class IX– Live Floral

1. Cut Flower Arrangement (Native flowers and grasses)
2. Cut Flower Arrangement (Daisy, roses, mums, zinnias etc.)

Class X – Potted Plants

1. African Violets
2. Succulents and Cacti
3. Ferns
4. All Other Plants

MOORE COUNTY fce CULTURAL ARTS

The Moore County fce Cultural Arts show is to be held annually in conjunction with Frontier Days. The following rules apply:

- *Approximately one month prior to Frontier Days an article will be placed in the Moore County News inviting all to participate in the cultural arts show. Anyone residing in Moore County or is a member of the Moore County fce organization or the Lynchburg Ladies Handiwork Shop are eligible. A list of the categories will also be published with the article and placed in the yearly fce book. Cultural Arts categories that have been set by the state cannot be changed unless the state board votes to remove or add an item. Fair items are set by the fce council and can be added to or subtracted from by a vote of the council.*
- *Acceptable items are those that have been produced during the year since the last Cultural Arts Show.*
- *Judging will be begin at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday. NO ONE is allowed in the judging area except the judge, the County Agent and the County Council President.*
- *All items entered must have been made during the year since the last cultural arts show.*
- *The judge or judges will be obtained by the County Extension Agent only. Judges should be knowledgeable, unbiased and not affiliated with participants.*
- *All items must have an official entry tag attached and the names are not to be seen by the judge.*
- *Adult entries and junior entries will be judged separately.*
- *Canned goods must be in regulation canning jars, with lids and bands sealed properly. Items will be disallowed if this rule is not adhered to. Canned goods will be judged on looks alone and never opened or tasted.*
- *Food items will be judged on looks and taste. All entries must be covered with plastic wrap or in plastic bags.*
- *First place winners in each category will receive \$3.00 and a ribbon. Second place winners in each category will receive \$2.00 and a ribbon. Third place winners in each category will receive \$1.00 and a ribbon.*
- *Funds for this program will be gotten from the fce budget and any sponsors that we can find.*
- *Only fce members who place first or second in the cultural arts areas may have their entries sent on to the Region for judging. If no fce member places first or second then the next actual fce winner may be moved up for Regional submission.*
- *Floral Arrangements – All arrangements must have been done by exhibitor.*
- *Potted Plants – Flowers and other plants must be grown by exhibitor. NO entries by commercial growers.*
- **ONE ENTRY PER PERSON PER CATEGORY**
- *This contest is open to all persons irrespective of race, national origin age, sex or disability.*