

2025 Travis County Youth Fair Divisions/Classes

(please note: more information about these Divisions/Classes can be found in the Rule Book)

BAKED FOODS CLASSES – DIVISION A

1. Chocolate Cakes (no cupcakes or cake balls)
2. Other Cakes (no cupcakes or cake balls) NO CHOCOLATE INGREDIENTS
3. Bar Cookies/Brownies (24 per plate) - NO TARTS
4. Other Cookies (24 per plate) - NO TARTS
5. Candies (full recipe)
6. Pies - NO TARTS, CRUST MUST BE HANDMADE/HOMEMADE and full size
7. Yeast Breads
8. Fruit or Nut Quick Breads
9. Mystery Ingredient (Bacon) – Entry must highlight the ingredient and not used as a garnish. Travis County Youth Show will announce the ingredient and the class(es) it may be used in by October 1st. Entries containing the mystery ingredient will be moved to this class if they meet the requirements.

PRESERVED FOODS CLASSES – DIVISION B

10. Jellies, Jams, Marmalades & Preserves (1/2 pint or 1 pint size sealed jar with 1/4" headspace)
11. Pickled Vegetables (1 pint or 1 quart size sealed jar) (Leave 1/2" headspace) (NO TOMATOES MAY BE INCLUDED FOR FOOD SAFETY REASONS)
12. Barbecue Sauces (1 pint or 1 quart size sealed jar) (Leave 1/4" headspace)
13. Dried Foods, including jerky (No Wild Game) – Each entry must have 12 pieces for judging.

TEXTILE CLASSES – DIVISION C

14. Constructed Garments, with or without embellishments.
15. Accessories (belts, scarves, button covers, etc.) All leather items must be entered under Leather in the Crafts Division, even if the item could be considered a fashion accessory. Accessory items such as belts, purses, wallets, boots, etcetera which are made of leather will not be accepted in the Textiles Division.
16. Quilts - smaller than 1,600 square inches (wall hangings, baby blanket, etc)
17. Quilts - larger than 1,600 square inches
18. Stuffed Animals/Stuffed Dolls (Sewn by Exhibitor)
19. Pillows
20. Needle Work (embroidery, cross stitch and needlepoint projects: do NOT cover back stitches)
21. Knitting/Crochet

GROUP PROJECT CLASSES – DIVISION D

22. Textiles (i.e. Quilts)
23. Wooden Indoor Furniture
24. Wooden Outdoor Furniture

ARTS CLASSES – DIVISION E

25. Color drawings may use one of the following: Pencil, chalk pastels or oil pastels.
26. Black and white drawings may use one of the following: Charcoal, ink or pencil.
27. Mixed Media - A technique involving the use of two or more artistic media that are combined into a single composition. Acceptable media: pencil, chalk pastels, oil pastels, collage, ink, marker, crayon and paint.
28. Paintings, oil or acrylic
29. Painting, tempera- water colors or gouache
30. Original Sculpture (clay, plaster, paper Mache, etc. – does not include GreenWare)
31. Small Recycled Trash to Art (Measuring 24" x 24" or less)
32. Large Recycled Trash to Art (Measuring over 24" x 24" or less)

CRAFTS CLASSES – DIVISION F

33. Artistic Compositions (artificial flowers, mirrors, shadow boxes, antlers, etc.)
34. Jewelry & Beads – must be mounted on display board
35. Lamps. (All lamps must be in working order and include light bulb. Lamp will be tested by the judge.)
36. Wreaths (No Live Plants – provide a hanging loop or door hanger for display)
37. Leather Craft (leather kits, tooled, carved, dyed/painted, laced/stitched)
38. Mosaics (All grout must be completely dry BEFORE Check-in. NO damp grout or strong odor allowed.)

PHOTOGRAPHY CLASSES – DIVISION G

39. Landscape, Flora, Scenic
40. People
41. Animal-Domestic or Wildlife
42. Food (no photos of alcohol allowed)
43. Computer Enhanced (altered or created with software, include the original image unmounted)
44. Details and Macro (details or parts of a subject)
45. Night Photography (no sunlight allowed in photograph, photo must be after dusk and before dawn)
46. Theme (Industrial)

WOODWORKING CLASSES – DIVISION H

47. Wooden Furniture (Examples: Picnic table, swing, play house, patio set, chair armoire, gun cabinet, bed, etc.)
48. Small Tabletop Accessories/Decorative Items (Examples: Cutting board, writing pen, jewelry box, candle holder, clock, lamp, shelf, hat rack, mailbox, bird house/feeder, display case, etc.)
49. Large Accessories (Examples: Chest, tack box, plant stand, bookcase, stool, hall tree, hat rack, etc.)

PLANTS CLASSES – DIVISION I

50. Foliage plant in an 8" in diameter, plastic, terra cotta colored pot
51. Succulent/Cactus in an 8" in diameter, plastic, terra cotta colored pot
52. Vine plant in an 8" in diameter, plastic, terra cotta colored pot
53. Flowering Plant in an 8" in diameter, terra cotta colored pot
54. Fern in an 8" in diameter, plastic, terra cotta colored pot
55. Dish Gardens – Succulent/Cacti (includes at least three different types of plants, provided by TCYS) Pot may be no larger than 12" in diameter, plastic, terra cotta colored pot
56. Dish Gardens – Foliage (includes at least three different types of plants, provided by TCYS) Pot may be no larger than 12" in diameter, plastic, terra cotta colored pot

AGRICULTURAL/OUTDOORS RECREATION CLASSES – DIVISION J

57. Field Machinery and Equipment (hay hauling equipment, spraying equipment, hydraulic equipment, shop equipment, mounted or pull-type tractor equipment, electrical shop equipment)
58. Shop Equipment (Basic Shop tables and benches, specialized work tables and benches)
59. Pick-up and ATV Equipment (bumpers, headache racks, grill guards, pick-up or truck flat beds)
60. Livestock Handling (gate and livestock panels, squeeze chutes and restraining equipment, trim chutes, blocking stands, livestock crates and head gates, creep and self-feeders,
61. Farm Equipment Restoration (Tractors and Implements)
62. Game Equipment (Feeders, stands, and blinds)
63. Non-towable Cooking Equipment (Stationary BBQ pits, fire pits, grills, etc.)
64. Indoor and Outdoor Metal Furniture (Project must be over 50% constructed of metal)
65. Blacksmithing (Hand Forged Knives/Utensils. Project must be over 50% hand or power forged)
66. Supplied Plan Class (Exhibitors must follow a downloadable CAD plan. Projects could include but are not limited to fire pits, shop tables, shop equipment, and furniture.)
67. **EXHIBITION ONLY:** Farm Equipment Restoration (Tractors and Implements)
68. **EXHIBITION ONLY:** Trailers
69. **EXHIBITION ONLY:** Towable Cooking Equipment