



## 2016 D6 4-H CRAFT & TEXTILE CONTEST

### Guidelines

- Must be a current enrolled 4-H member
- 4-H member does not have to attend the Midland County Fair (MCF) to be eligible to compete
- May be constructed from any medium (leather, metal, glass, fabric, etc.) but must fit on a table in a 3'x3' area
- Entries may be constructed from a pattern, kit, or be an original design
- Each participant is limited to one single item per entry category
- Item must have been made by participant between the dates of January 1, 2015 and the time of entry

### Entry Categories

**Household Item** - products used within a household that are tangible and movable personal property placed in the room of a house. E.g.: stool, lamp, coasters, painting/drawing

**Household Textile Item** - products used within a household derived from a TEXTILE (fabric) that are tangible and movable personal property placed in the room of a house. E.g.: pillow, blanket, curtain, placemat

**Wearable Textile Item** - a garment piece derived from a TEXTILE suitable for being worn. E.g.: shirt, vest, jacket, dress

**Jewelry Item** - personal item made to be worn and adorn. E.g.: bracelet, necklace, earrings, ring

**Accessory Textile Item** - an item derived from a TEXTILE that can be added to an outfit in order to make it more useful, versatile, or attractive. E.g.: purse, gloves, scarf, apron

**Holiday Item** - an item that helps celebrate a day of festivity. E.g.: Christmas ornament, Halloween mask, Easter basket, birthday banner

**Miscellaneous Item** - diverse items that do not fit in one of the other seven (7) categories. E.g.: iPad cover, key chain, camera strap, eyeglass case

### Age Divisions

#### **Based on the current 2015-16 4-H year:**

- Junior: minimum age of 8 and in 3-5 grade
- Intermediate: 6-8 grade
- Senior: 9-12 grade and maximum age of 18 as of Sept. 1, 2015

### Awards

- Blue, Red, White and Participant ribbons will be given based on standards of excellence.
- A Best of Show winner in each age division will be awarded.

### Entry Instructions

- Online registration will be conducted July 18-29 on 4-H Connect.
- A \$10 entry fee will be assessed per person. No refunds.
- Entries must be turned in to the District Office by Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> at 5 p.m.
- Judges will determine the placings and all decisions are final. Results will be available after the MCF concludes and will be published on the D6 4-H website, <http://d64-h.tamu.edu>.
- Entries will be displayed at the MCF, Aug. 25-28. Based on room availability and quality, all items may not be shown.
- Entries will be available for pickup at the Midland County Horseshoe Arena on Aug. 28<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-7:30 p.m. Entries not picked up at this time will be brought to the D6 Extension office in Fort Stockton and will be dispersed to the County Extension Agents at the D6 Administrative Meeting on Sept. 21<sup>st</sup>.

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## Judges Use Only

### 2016 D6 4-H Craft & Textile Contest Scorecard

**Junior | Intermediate | Senior**  
(circle appropriate age division)

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COUNTY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CATEGORY:** \_\_\_\_\_

You are competing against previously determined standards of excellence, not against your peers.

#### Factors to Consider

#### Point Value

**Creativity** \_\_\_\_\_ (worth 20)

**Craftsmanship** \_\_\_\_\_ (worth 20)

**Quality** \_\_\_\_\_ (worth 20)

**Appeal** \_\_\_\_\_ (worth 20)

**Appropriate for Age Division** \_\_\_\_\_ (worth 20)

\_\_\_\_\_ **TOTAL SCORE**

<b>AWARD</b> (circle one)	<b>Blue Award</b> (100 to 81 points)	<b>Red Award</b> (80 to 51 points)	<b>White Award</b> (50-31 points)	<b>Participant Award</b> (30-0 points)
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**COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_

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