

HOME ENVIRONMENT

Division 100
Department 130

EXHIBIT RULES:

1. All exhibits must have name of exhibitor, county and project unit attached on back or underside of the item(s). Extension office will provide a label/tag that can be used. The label may be attached by sewing, where applicable.

2. Definitions:

Exhibits in Unit 1, Unit 2, Unit 4

- A. An **accessory** is a small decorative piece (**NO** furniture, window covering, or floor covering) which adds spice to a room.
Example: small box, lampshade, picture frame, vase, candlestick, trays, etc.
- B. A **household item** is a small useable piece (not large furniture, window covering, or floor coverings)
Example: waste baskets, canisters, bulletin boards, planter, footstool, etc.

Exhibits in Unit 6

- A. **Refurbishing**: restoring a furniture piece to a new look by repairing damage and/or replacing seating or upholstery caused by wear or neglect.
- B. **Refinishing**: stripping and replacing the surface finish on a wood furniture piece.

Unit 1

- A. Completed e-Record including page 5 with record of expenses for all supplies, Home Environment Report Sheet, and photos of other items made during the project. All **MUST** be in a sturdy binder with exhibitor name, county and project unit on binder cover.
- B. Exhibit one of the following items that used at least 50% recycled or reused items (no furniture):
 - Centerpiece for table
 - Planter
 - Room or desk organizer
 - Decorative accessory for the home (see definition under Rule #2)
 - Household item (see definition under Rule #2)
 - Wall hanging

Classes:

1. Unit 1 - Junior
5. Unit 1 - Intermediate
9. Unit 1 - Senior

Unit 2

- A. Completed e-Record including page 5 with record of expenses for all supplies, Home Environment Report Sheet, and photos of other items made during the project. All **MUST** be in a sturdy binder with exhibitor name, county and project unit on binder cover.
- B. Exhibit one of the following:
 - Bulletin or Communication Board
 - Centerpiece for table
 - Planter
 - Room or desk organizer
 - Decorative accessory for the home (see definition under Rule #2)
 - Household item (see definition under Rule #2)
 - Wall hanging

Classes:

21. Unit 2 - Junior
25. Unit 2 - Intermediate
29. Unit 2 - Senior

Unit 3

- A. Completed e-Record including page 5 with record of expenses for all supplies, Home Environment Report Sheet, Room Scheme, two or more photos showing use of exhibit item with how it is used as part of total room design, and a statement on how you improved your family's safety. All **MUST** be in a sturdy binder with exhibitor name, county and project unit on binder cover.
- B. Exhibit one item or set from the following:
 - A room design
 - A wall hanging
 - 1 decorative pillow or a set of two decorative pillows
 - 1 table linen or a table linen set
 - Family Escape Plan

Classes:

41. Unit 3 - Junior
45. Unit 3 - Intermediate
49. Unit 3 - Senior

Unit 4

- A. Completed e-Record including page 5 with record of expenses for all supplies, Home Environment Report Sheet, a brief description of the room scheme with how the accessory fits into the room

shown, and up to three photos showing exhibit items in use. All MUST be in a sturdy binder with exhibitor name, county and project unit on binder cover.

- B. An accessory (see definition under Exhibit Rules #2) that has been made, refurbished or purchased to use in room or home.

Classes:

- 61. Unit 4 - Junior
- 65. Unit 4 - Intermediate
- 69. Unit 4 - Senior

Unit 5

- A. Completed e-Record including page 5 with record of expenses for all supplies, Home Environment Report Sheet, a brief description of the window treatment or bed covering made or purchased with how the exhibit piece fits into the room, and photos showing exhibit used with room scheme. All MUST be in a sturdy binder with exhibitor name, county and project unit on binder cover.
- B. One piece of a window treatment or bed covering that was made or purchased.

Classes:

- 81. Unit 5 – Junior
- 85. Unit 5 - Intermediate
- 89. Unit 5 - Senior

Unit 6

- A. Completed e-Record including page 5 with record of expenses for all supplies, Home Environment Report Sheet, a brief description of the room scheme with how the exhibit piece fits into the room, and photos showing original piece, process of refinishing or refurbishing, and completed piece. All MUST be in a sturdy binder with exhibitor name, county and project unit on binder cover.
- B. A refinished or refurbished piece of furniture (see definition under Exhibit Rules #2).

Classes:

- 101. Unit 6 - Junior
- 105. Unit 6 - Intermediate
- 109. Unit 6 - Senior

Unit 7 - Design Your Own

Prerequisite: Seniors Only. A minimum of 3 years of Home Environment must be completed before enrolling in Unit 7

- A. Completed e-Record including page 5 with record of expenses for all supplies, and information about accomplishments in written report. All MUST be in a sturdy binder with exhibitor name, county and project unit on binder cover.
- B. Optional: Article or display representing the information learned from project. If choosing optional exhibit, a drawing or copy of a plan for the article must be included in binder. The drawing or plan must include dimensions, list of materials used and a description of any changes in the article's specifications made by the exhibitor. Reasons for changes must be described. The drawing or plan will not be judged but will be used by judge in evaluating the article. If missing, the exhibit will not be eligible for top 10 placing at State Fair.

Classes:

- 129. Unit 7 - Senior

JUNIOR GRAND CHAMPION HOME ENVIRONMENT

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SENIOR GRAND CHAMPION HOME ENVIRONMENT

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