

# DEPARTMENT 120

## CRAFTS EXHIBIT

### GENERAL INFORMATION

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**NEW:** You may enter up to 2 entries per entrant. Only one entry in each class is allowed per person.

*\*There are changes for the 2021 Exhibition. It is the responsibility of all exhibitors to carefully read and comply with all General Rules & Regulations, as well as those for each division following.*

### IMPORTANT DATES

Entry Form Due: Monday, September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
Entry Receiving: Saturday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021 (12-4:00pm)  
& Sunday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021 (12-4:00pm)  
Entry Pick Up: Tuesday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021 (2-6:00pm)  
Entry Fee: None

**REMINDER: REVIEW RULES UNDER DIVISION HEADINGS VERY CAREFULLY FOR DETAILS SINCE DIVISION RULES TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER GENERAL RULES!**

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

Please read carefully all 15 rules, also all instructions for each division you choose to enter since there are certain age and other requirements to be met. These rules apply to all Craft Departments.

1. Entry forms must be received by the dates indicated. **LATE ENTRY FORMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.** Therefore articles accompanied by entry forms will not be accepted on Receiving Days (Rule 14).
2. No person who teaches, instructs or judges for financial consideration, or sells any item in the following classes, may enter the Amateur Division. No hobby collections may be exhibited.
3. As each entry form is received, individual tags will be prepared for each article listed. Tags will be completed and then attached to each article when brought on Receiving Days (Rule 14).
4. **SPECIAL CLASS** notations must be printed in the uppermost right-hand corner of tag at Receiving Day to qualify for special judging.
  1. **JUNIOR CLASS- ALL DIVISIONS**  
Junior Class: 16 years of age and under.  
Specify "Junior Division" and age.
  2. **ADULT CLASS-** 17 years of age and over.
  3. **PROFESSIONAL CLASS-** Entries must be labeled as "Professional" in the uppermost right hand corner of the tag at Receiving Days. Entries not properly labeled or not accompanied by the proper fee will be disqualified. Professional Class is defined as anyone who accepts financial consideration for teaching their art or for selling their work. Entries must be accompanied by a \$5.00 entry fee payable on Receiving Days.
  4. **ORIGINAL DESIGN** must be labeled as such in the uppermost right-hand corner of tag at Receiving Days in order to qualify for special judging.
5. **ALL ARTICLES MUST HAVE BEEN COMPLETED WITHIN THE LAST 12 MONTHS AND MUST BE CLEAN. Only ONE entry in each classification. (Example: One each EA1, EA2, etc.). NO MORE THAN TWO ARTICLES PER ENTRANT**
6. Articles may be exhibited only once in Coolidge Hall.
7. Only articles listed on entry form will be accepted.
8. If an exhibitor has a homeowner or tenant homeowners package policy, they may have coverage protecting items being exhibited. The exhibitor should contact their insurance agent or company to determine what coverage they have under their policy.
9. Ribbon awards only for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and Honorable Mention, will be awarded at the discretion of qualified judges. Fine quality in the work, artistic coloring, and design are points carefully considered in the judging. No exhibit will be entitled to an award unless it possesses points of superiority (regardless of competition). Judges reserve the right to create additional classes when necessary. More than one type of ribbon may be awarded in each category.
10. All classes are available to both amateur and professionals.
11. Additional entry forms available at the Topsfield Fair office or online.

12. All exhibits displayed at the discretion of the Building Committee.
13. **Articles MAY NOT be removed before pick-up day. See Rule 15.**
14. **RECEIVING DAYS:** COOLIDGE HALL WILL BE OPEN TO RECEIVE ARTICLES ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2021 FROM NOON TO 4:00 P.M., AND SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2021 FROM NOON TO 4:00 P. M. THE BUILDING IS THEN CLOSED TO ARRANGE FOR JUDGING.
15. **PICK-UP DAY:** All exhibits will be released on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2021 from 2:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. Exhibitors must have a receipt to obtain their articles. NOT RESPONSIBLE for articles remaining after 6:00 P.M. Those articles will be moved to the Administration Building for pick-up. After 30 Days, crafts become the property of the Topsfield Fair.

**THE COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY ENTRY OR EXHIBIT IN ANY CLASS, WHICH FAILS TO CONFORM TO REGULATIONS. ENTRANTS WILL BE CONTACTED PRIOR TO THE OPENING OF THE FAIR TO RETRIEVE UNACCEPTED WORK.**

**Crafters (aged 18 and older) are invited to volunteer for exhibit monitoring and demonstrations. Volunteer schedule will be posted at Receiving Days (9/18 & 9/19).**

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## **DIVISIONS AND CLASSES**

### **CRAFTS**

#### **CLASS AA**

##### **Hand Decorated Metal Article**

1. Hand Decorated Metal Article

#### **CLASS AB**

##### **Hand Decorated Wooden Article**

1. Hand Decorated Wood Article

#### **CLASS AC**

##### **Hand Decorated Glass Article**

1. Hand Decorated Glass Article

#### **CLASS AD**

##### **Dolls**

1. French or German Antique Reproductions

2. China or Parian
3. Modern Reproductions
4. Ethnic Dolls
5. Original Sculpture
6. Cloth Dolls/ Animals
7. Holiday Dolls

#### **CLASS AE**

##### **Textile Painting**

1. Textile Painting

#### **CLASS AF**

##### **Weaving- May NOT Exceed 30" Overall**

1. Wall Hangings
2. Bed Coverings
3. Cotton Baby Robe
4. Carriage Robe
5. Table Cloths
6. Place Mats
7. Clothing
8. Pillows
9. Rugs
10. Miscellaneous

#### **CLASS AG**

##### **Native American**

1. Native American

#### **CLASS AH**

##### **Spinning- Hand (Drop Spindle)- May NOT Exceed 30" Overall**

1. Wall Hangings
2. Bed Coverings
3. Table Cloths
4. Place Mats
5. Clothing
6. Pillows
7. Rugs
8. Miscellaneous

#### **CLASS AI**

##### **Spinning- Wheel**

1. Wall Hangings
2. Bed Coverings
3. Table Cloths
4. Place Mats
5. Clothing
6. Pillows
7. Rugs

8. Miscellaneous

**CLASS AJ**  
**Metal Work**

1. Metal Work

**CLASS AK**  
**Jewelry- Handwrought**

1. Ceramic
2. Enamel
3. Sterling Silver or Copper
4. Beaded
5. Clay (Fimo)
6. Miscellaneous

**CLASS AL**  
**Liquid Embroidery**

1. Liquid Embroidery

**CLASS AM**  
**Leathercraft**

1. Leathercraft

**CLASS AN**  
**Miscellaneous- Artwork Sculpture**

1. Decoupage
2. Paper Mache Article
3. Shellwork
4. Stenciling
5. Clay (Fimo)- Other than Jewelry
6. Collage
7. Other

**CLASS AO**  
**Macrame**

1. Macramé

**CLASS AP**  
**Stained Glass**

1. Stained Glass- Large, 12” and Over
2. Stained Glass- Small, Under 12”

**CLASS AR**  
**Eggs**

1. Eggs

**CLASS AS**  
**Decorated Wreaths**

1. Floral
2. Shell
3. Fruit

**CLASS AT**  
**Quilling**

1. Small Picture Under 10”
2. Large Picture 10” and over

**CLASS AU**  
**Candles**

1. Candles

**CLASS AV**  
**Soap**

1. Soap

**CLASS AW**  
**Basketry**

1. Splint Woven- Ribbed
2. Splint Woven- Plaited
3. Round Reed
4. Coiled
5. Nantucket Baskets
6. Miscellaneous Baskets

**CLASS AX**  
**Ceramics**

1. Commercial Mold- Underglaze
2. Glaze
3. Stain
4. Overglaze
5. Decorated Greenware
6. Porcelain
7. Handmolded Clay
8. Stoneware

**CLASS AY**  
**Woodworking**

1. Contemporary Woodworking
2. Traditional Woodworking
3. Art Furniture
4. Made for Children
5. Clocks
6. Veneering/Marquetry

7. Wood Turning
8. Wood Carving

**CLASS AZ**  
**Modeling**

1. Aircraft
2. Boats/Ships
3. Cars/Land Vehicles
4. Dioramas
5. Structures
6. Other

**KNITTING & CROCHETING**

**Please read through the classes to enter the item in the appropriate category.**

**CLASS CA**  
**Hand Knit Home Accessories**

1. Afghan/Bedspread
2. Pillow/Bed Accessories
3. Dolly/Placemat
4. Rug
5. Holiday (Christmas stockings, Decorations, etc.)
6. Other

**CLASS CB**  
**Hand Knit Adult Clothing**

1. Cardigan
2. Pullover
3. Intarsia
4. Fair Isle
5. Dress/Skirt
6. Poncho/Cape/Jacket
7. Other

**CLASS CC**  
**Hand Knit Adult Clothing Accessories**

1. Vest
2. Shawl/Scarf
3. Socks/Slippers
4. Hat
5. Mittens
6. Other

**CLASS CD**  
**Hand Knit Baby/Child Clothing and Accessories**

1. Cardigan

2. Pullover
3. Snuggies/Layettes/Onesies
4. Booties/Socks
5. Hat/Bonnet
6. Blanket
7. 2 Piece (or more) set
8. Other

**CLASS CE**  
**Machine or Loom Knitting**

1. Adult Clothing
2. Baby/Child Clothing
3. Accessories
4. Other

**CLASS CF**  
**Felted Items**

1. Clothing
2. Accessories

**CLASS CG**  
**Knit Miscellaneous Items**

1. Handbags/Wallet/Eyeglass case
2. Amigurumi/Toys/Dolls
3. Other

**CLASS CH**  
**Crocheted Home Accessories**

1. Afghan/Bedspread
2. Pillow/Bed accessory
3. Dolly/Placemat
4. Rug
5. Holiday
6. Other

**CLASS CI**  
**Crocheted Adult Clothing**

1. Sweater
2. Poncho/Jacket
3. Shawl/Scarf
4. Other

**CLASS CJ**  
**Crocheted Baby/Child Clothing and Accessories**

1. Sweaters
2. Booties/Socks
3. Dress/Outfit
4. Afghan

5. Other

**CLASS CK**  
**Tunisian Crochet**

1. Clothing
2. Accessories
3. Other

**CLASS CL**  
**Tatting**

1. Dollies
2. Decorative Items
3. Finishing (Edging/Collars/etc.)

**CLASS CM**  
**Crocheted Misc. Item**

1. Handbags/Wallet/Eyeglass Case
2. Amigurumi/Toys/Dolls
3. Other

**NEEDLEWORK**

**Please read rules for Coolidge Building. Overall appearance is important but items entered in the needlework division are judged on their embroidery.**

**ADAPTED STITCHERY:** recommended stitches changed to suit needlework.

**ADAPTED DESIGN:** a design or picture taken from a picture, photograph or pre-existing design and adapted to needlework.

**ORIGINAL:** a drawing or design created by the needleworker.

**MAXIMUM frame size cannot exceed 34".**

**CLASS DA**  
**Wallhanging Large 12" to 30", not including frame (Must be prepared to be hung on wall display)**

1. Cotton Floss Embroidered
2. Crewel
3. Needlepoint
4. Petit Point
5. Bargello
6. Brazilian
7. Silk & Metal Threads
8. Beaded

9. Silk Ribbon
10. Hardanger
11. Stamped Cross Stitch
12. Mixed Media (3 or More Types of Embroidery)
13. Adapted Embroidery
14. Adapted Stitchery
15. Original Design
16. Other

**CLASS DB**  
**Wallhanging Small 12" or Under, Not Including Frame (Must be prepared to be hung on wall display)**

1. Cotton Floss Embroidered
2. Crewel
3. Needlepoint
4. Petit Point
5. Bargello
6. Brazilian
7. Silk & Metal Threads
8. Beaded
9. Silk Ribbon
10. Hardanger
11. Stamped Cross Stitch
12. Mixed Media (3 or more types of embroidery)
13. Adapted Design
14. Adapted Stitchery
15. Original Design
16. Other

**CLASS DC**  
**Miniature Needlework 5" Or Under, Not Including Frame (Must be prepared to be hung on wall display)**

1. Cotton Floss Embroidered
2. Crewel
3. Needlepoint
4. Petit Point
5. Bargello
6. Brazilian
7. Silk & Metal Threads
8. Beaded
9. Silk Ribbon
10. Hardanger
11. Stamped Cross Stitch
12. Mixed Media (3 or more types of embroidery)
13. Adapted Design
14. Adapted Stitchery
15. Original Design
16. Other

**CLASS DD****Holiday Items (Ornaments, Stockings, Tree Skirts, etc.)**

1. Cotton Floss Embroidered
2. Crewel
3. Needlepoint
4. Petit Point
5. Bargello
6. Brazilian
7. Silk & Metal Threads
8. Beaded
9. Silk Ribbon
10. Hardanger
11. Stamped Cross Stitch
12. Mixed Media (3 or more types of embroidery)
13. Adapted Design
14. Adapted Stitchery
15. Original Design
16. Other

**CLASS DE****Clothing (Vests, Aprons, Sweatshirts, etc.)**

1. Cotton Floss Embroidered
2. Crewel
3. Needlepoint
4. Petit Point
5. Bargello
6. Brazilian
7. Silk & Metal Threads
8. Beaded
9. Silk Ribbon
10. Hardanger
11. Stamped Cross Stitch
12. Mixed Media (3 or more types of embroidery)
13. Adapted Design
14. Adapted Stitchery
15. Original Design
16. Other

**CLASS DF****Accessories**

1. Eyeglass Cases
2. Pocketbooks
3. Bags
4. Barrettes
5. Other

**CLASS DG****Pillowcases- Scarfs, Towels, Placemats, Small Table Cover (Under 36")**

1. Cotton Embroidered

2. Counted Cross Stitch
3. Cutwork
4. Hardanger
5. Brazilian
6. Stamped Cross Stitch
7. Candlewicking
8. Other

**CLASS DH****Table Cover (Over 36")**

1. Cotton Embroidered
2. Counted Cross Stitch
3. Cutwork
4. Hardanger
5. Brazilian
6. Stamped Cross Stitch
7. Candlewicking
8. Other

**CLASS DI****Bed Covering**

1. Cotton Embroidered
2. Counted Cross Stitch
3. Cutwork
4. Hardanger
5. Brazilian
6. Stamped Cross Stitch
7. Candlewicking
8. Other

**All Counted Cross Stitch: Please include Picture or Graph in an envelope attached to back of piece also gauge of fabric.**

**CLASS DJ****Counted Cross Stitch Large 12" to 30", not including frame**

1. Floral
2. Scenery
3. Juvenile
4. Animal
5. Sampler
6. Verse
7. Holiday
8. Religious
9. Structures (Houses, Buildings, etc.)
10. Special Occasion
11. Adapted Design
12. Figures
13. Other

**CLASS DK****Counted Cross Stitch Small 12” or Under, not including frame**

1. Floral
2. Scenery
3. Juvenile
4. Animal
5. Sampler
6. Verse
7. Holiday
8. Religious
9. Structures (Houses, Buildings, etc.)
10. Special Occasion
11. Adapted Design
12. Figures
13. Other

**All Bunka: Please include Kit Picture on back in an envelope. Maximum frame size cannot exceed 34”.****CLASS DL****Japanese Bunka Embroidery- Numbered Large, not including frame (anything over 24” will be displayed but may not be hung).**

1. Floral
2. Scenery
3. Juvenile
4. Figures
5. Animal
6. Holiday
7. Fluffy
8. Religious
9. Adapted Stitchery
10. Adapted Design
11. Original Design
12. Other

**CLASS DM****Japanese Bunka Embroidery- Unnumbered, not including frame (anything over 24” will be displayed but may not be hung).**

1. Floral
2. Scenery
3. Juvenile
4. Figures
5. Animal
6. Holiday
7. Fluffy
8. Religious
9. Adapted Stitchery
10. Adapted Design

11. Original Design
12. Other

**CLASS DN****Plastic Canvas Small**

1. Flat
2. Free Standing
3. Three Dimensional

**DO****Plastic Canvas Large 14” to 30”, not including frame**

1. Flat
2. Free Standing
3. Three Dimensional

**DP****Applique and Sculptural Felt**

1. Applique Felting- Attaching wool yarn, wool felt, or wool roving to a flat piece of fabric.
2. Sculptural Felting Birds- Creating a three dimensional bird of felt from wool roving.
3. Sculptural Felting Animals- Creating a three dimensional animal of felt from wool roving.
4. Sculptural Felting Other- Creating a three dimensional piece of felt from wool roving.

**QUILTING**

An acceptable quilt consists of top, batting, and back with top and back made of fabric only. Pieced or appliqued, machine or hand quilted, or tied. All quilts must have a 5” casing on the top edge of the back of the quilt, in order to insert a rod. Quilts without rod pockets will not be accepted. Quilts must be free of pet hair, mold and smoke odors. Quilts longer than 88” will be folded and pinned. Please provide the length and width of the quilt you are entering at Receiving Day. If you would like to share the story of your quilt, please bring it when you drop your quilt off.

**Please indicate if quilt has been professionally quilted on entry form.****Judging is based on individual merits on the following critique of overall appearance, color and design and workmanship.****CLASS EA****Bed Quilts**

1. Bed Quilts

**CLASS EB**  
**Wall Hangings**

1. Wall Hangings

**CLASS EC**  
**Miniature Quilt**

1. Miniature Quilt

**CLASS ED**  
**Group Quilt- (any entry made by 3 or more individuals)**

1. Group Quilt

**CLASS EE**  
**Junior Quilt- (any entry made by an individual under the age of 16)**

1. Junior Division

**CLASS EF**  
**Other Quilted Item**

1. Other Quilted Item

**RUG**

**CLASS FA**  
**Braided- Spiral or Butted**

1. Area Rug, 2' x 4' to 3' x 5' (Or to 4' Round)
2. Area Rug, 3' x 5' to 6' x 9' (Or to 6' Round)
3. Large Oval Under 6'
4. Small Oval Under 6'
5. Odd Shape

**CLASS FB**  
**Hooked Yarn (Latch and punch hook type)**

1. Wall Hangings
2. Original Designs

**CLASS FC**  
**Hooked Wool Strips—6' or over**

1. Primitives
2. Other

**CLASS FD**  
**Hooked Wool Strips—Under 6'**

1. Primitives

2. Wall Hanging
3. Original Design

**CLASS FE**  
**Nursery Patterns (Must be prepared for hanging)**

1. Small Rugs and Hangings
2. Floral
3. Oriental

**CLASS FF**  
**Sheared Punch Needles**

1. Flat Surface Pillows, Hangings, Small Rugs to 2' x 4'
2. Flat Surface Rugs, 2' x 4' to 3' x 5'
3. Other
4. Sculptured Rugs, 2' x 4' to 3' x 5'
5. Sculptured Rugs, 3-1/2' x 5'

**CLASS FG**  
**Hall or Stair Runner**

1. Braided
2. Hooked

**CLASS FH**  
**Braided with Hooked Center**

1. Under 6'
2. Over 6'
3. Other

**SEWING**

**Items must be clean, without stains.**

**CLASS GA**  
**Novelty Pillows**

1. Appliquéd
2. Embroidered
3. Patchwork
4. Smocking
5. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GB**  
**Handbags/Backpacks/Totes**

1. Appliquéd
2. Patchwork
3. Smocking
4. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GC****Men's Clothing**

1. Sports Jacket
2. Suit (2-Piece)
3. Suit (3-Piece)
4. Slacks
5. Vests
6. Shirts
7. Shorts
8. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GD****Women's Clothing**

1. Coats
2. Suits (2-Piece)
3. Suits (3-Piece)
4. Jackets
5. Dresses
6. Skirts
7. Shirts
8. Slacks
9. Gowns
10. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GE****Children's Clothing**

1. Coats
2. Suits (2-Piece)
3. Suits (3-Piece)
4. Jackets
5. Dresses
6. Skirts
7. Shirts
8. Pants, Overalls
9. Formal Wear, Girls
10. Formal Wear, Boys
11. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GF****Infant's Clothing (Newborn - Size 2)**

1. Coats
2. 1-Piece Suit
3. 2-Piece Suit
4. 3-Piece Suit
5. Jackets
6. Dresses
7. Skirts
8. Shirts
9. Pants
10. Shorts

11. Overalls
12. Bibs
13. Christening Outfits
14. Layette Sets
15. Bonnets
16. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GG****Small Wearing Accessories**

1. Scarves
2. Shawls
3. Ties
4. Hats
5. Apron
6. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GH****Toys**

1. Dolls
2. Stuffed Animals
3. Mobiles
4. Puppets
5. Doll Clothes
6. Books
7. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GI****Teddy Bears**

1. All Original
2. Real Fur- Jointed
3. Real Fur- Unjointed
4. Plush- Jointed
5. Plush- Unjointed
6. Mohair- Jointed
7. Mohair- Unjointed
8. Fabric- Jointed
9. Fabric- Unjointed
10. Commercial Pattern
11. Miniatures
12. Bent Leg
13. Reproduction Antique- Stieff

**CLASS GJ****Christmas**

1. Stocking
2. Tree Skirt
3. Ornament
4. Table Decoration

**CLASS GK****Miscellaneous (at the discretion of Committee Members)**

1. Wedding Gowns/Apparel
2. Costumes
3. Miscellaneous

**SMOCKING**

**Items must be clean, without stains.**

**CLASS GL****Infant's Clothing (Newborn to 24 Months)**

1. Bishop Dress
2. Yoke Dress
3. Daygown/Nightwear
4. Overalls/Romper/Sunsuit
5. Button-On Suit
6. Christening Outfit
7. Coat
8. Round Yoke Dress/Romper
9. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GM****Girl's Clothing**

1. Yoke Dress or Blouse
2. Bishop Dress or Blouse
3. Full Smocked Bodice
4. Pinafore
5. Sundress/Jumper/Culotte Jumper
6. Skirt
7. Dropped-Waist/Smocked Waist Dress
8. Coat
9. Two Piece Outfit
10. Yoke Overalls/Sunsuit/Jumpsuit
11. Bishop Bubble/Sunsuit/Jumpsuit
12. Nightwear
13. Round Yoke Dress/Jumpsuit
14. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GN****Boy's Clothing**

1. Overall/Sunsuit
2. Playclothes
3. Miscellaneous

**CLASS GO****Women's Clothing**

1. Dress/Jumper
2. Skirt
3. Blouse
4. Ensemble
5. Nightwear Apparel
6. Miscellaneous

