

DEPARTMENT I-13 – Home Environment

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Entries must be completed online at www.carrollcountyfair.com. Entry fees need to be paid by credit card only. No late entries will be accepted.

Due to proposed Maryland budgetary constraints that are beyond the control of the Carroll County 4-H/FFA Fair Board, Inc., the Board reserves the right to withhold a portion of premium monies, up to and including all of an exhibitors earned premium payment, for the 2025 4-H/FFA Fair.

- 4-H or FFA member must be enrolled in an entrepreneurship, sewing, home environment, hobbies or craft project in order to enter the Home Environment Department at the Carroll Co. 4-H & FFA Fair.

RULES AND REGULATIONS – Home Environment Department

1. Exhibits must be the result of the current year's project.
2. The exhibit must be finished for use -- no raw edges showing. When required, exhibit must be equipped "ready to hang".
3. Exhibits in the Home Environment Department are items used in decorating the home. Clothing exhibits belong in the Clothing Department. Food exhibits (including non-perishable food) are not permitted in Home Environment Department classes. Lost Arts Department exhibit should be shown in Lost Arts.
4. Judging criteria includes: quality of workmanship, usefulness/functional furnishing items, color and design application, personal creativity, and cleanliness.
5. Premiums – Class Champion - \$5 Blue Award - \$4 Red Award - \$3.75; White Award – \$3.50

Section 001 – Home Environment Classes –

<u>Jr. (8-10)</u>	<u>Int. (11-13)</u>	<u>Sr. (14-18)</u>	
1001	2001	3001	Bedsread
1003	2003	3003	Braided rug
1006	2006	3006	Cleaning box for care of bedroom, bathroom, kitchen or other room – label box for which room. Exhibit should be of sturdy material and should have some type of handle for carrying. Trade or brand names should be covered. Be sure to leave visible directions for use of product. Actual cleaning items are to be included and arranged. Include a card that explains the use of each item
1007	2007	3007	Clock-Original design
1008	2008	3008	Clock- kit
1010	2010	3010	Counted cross stitch – framed picture – original design
1011	2011	3011	stamped cross-stitch – framed picture –
1012	2012	3012	Counted cross-stitch–wall hanging(original design
1013	2013	3013	stamped cross-stitch–wall hanging
1014	2014	3014	Counted cross-stitch – Misc.-original design
1015	2015	3015	stamped cross-stitch– Misc. –
1017	2017	3017	Crochet item – afghan
1018	2018	3018	Crochet item – other – non-clothing item
1019	2019	3019	Decorative bulletin board
1020	2020	3020	Decorative lamp with shade
1021	2021	3021	Decorative trash can – maximum height 17 inches
1022	2022	3022	Decorative lampshade
1023	2023	3023	Desk accessory
1024	2024	3024	Desk accessories—set of 3 or more related items
1025	2025	3025	Embroidery – original design –
1026	2026	3026	Embroidery – stamped design –

Section 001 – Home Environment Cont. Classes –

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1027	2027	3027	Gift basket wrapped—5 or more non-food items
1028	2028	3028	Gift basket unwrapped—5 or more non-food items
1029	2029	3029	Holiday door decorations ready to hang.
1030	2030	3030	Home furnishings accessory
1033	2033	3033	Knitted item — afghan
1035	2035	3035	Knitted item – other —
1037	2037	3037	Latch hook rug – kit
1038	2038	3038	Latch hook rug- original design
1039	2039	3039	Latch hook wall hanging – kit
1040	2040	3040	Latch hook wall hanging – original design
1041	2041	3041	Latch hook pillow – kit
1042	2042	3042	Latch hook pillow – original design
1043	2043	3043	Liquid embroidery
1044	2044	3044	Macramé item
1045	2045	3045	Natural novelty centerpiece all natural-material
1046	2046	3046	Needlepoint stamped design
1047	2047	3047	Needlepoint/—original design
1048	2048	3048	Crewel– stamped design
1049	2049	3049	Crewel—original design
1050	2050	3050	<u>Punched embroidery – original design</u>
1051	2051	3051	<u>Punched embroidery – kit design</u>
1053	2053	3053	Padded picture frame
1054	2054	3054	Plastic canvas
1055	2055	3055	Proper Place Setting - provide themed menu, place card, and place setting (including plate, napkin, silverware, and drink container) appropriate for occasion
1056	2056	3056	Quilted article– hand quilted
1057	2057	3057	Quilted article– machine quilted
1058	2058	3058	Room improvement notebook to include: floor plan drawn to scale show furniture arrangement before & after samples showing color scheme before & after photographs before & after story explaining improvement, including decisions made, cost, materials used, assistance received, etc.
1059	2059	3059	Stained glass item
1060	2060	3060	Stenciling item for the home
1062	2062	3062	Storage item – fabric only
1063	2063	3063	Storage item – other than fabric
1064	2064	3064	Table Covering—table cloth, four placemats, four napkins or table runner
1068	2068	3068	Thread, Fabric or Appliqué—non-quilted item– pillow—commercial design
1069	2069	3069	Thread, Fabric or Appliqué—non-quilted item – pillow—original design
1071	2071	3071	Thread, Fabric or Appliqué – other – non-quilted article
1072	2072	3072	Weaving item –for the home
1073	2073	3073	Wool item—for the home
1074	2074	3074	Window covering
1075	2075	3075	Fancy Napkin Folding
1076	2076	3076	Quilt Square Sampler-10” by 10” –shows a quilt pattern- Nine patch ,log cabin ,etc
1078	2078	3078	Decorative Hand or Guest Towel
1079	2079	3079	Fabric - no sew - blanket, throw or pillow (knotted, tied, etc.)
1080	2080	3080	Folded Towel Origami
1081	2081	3081	Decorative Bookends—original design
1082	2082	3082	Serving Tray
1083	2083	3083	Upcycled Home Furnishings item for use in the home

Section 002 - Home Environment Special Awards

- 10~~90~~72 Champion & Reserve Home Environment Exhibit Junior – rosette & rosette
- 20~~90~~72 Champion & Reserve Home Environment Exhibit Intermediate – rosette & rosette
- 30~~90~~72 Champion & Reserve Home Environment Exhibit Senior – rosette & rosette
- 1091 Most Creative Home Environment Exhibit Junior – rosette & rosette
- 2091 Most Creative Home Environment Exhibit Intermediate – rosette & rosette
- 3091 Most Creative Home Environment Exhibit Senior – rosette & rosette
- ~~407~~92 Grand Champion & Reserve Grand Home Environment Exhibit – rosette-~~& rosette~~
- 4093 Reserve Grand Champion Home Environment Exhibit – rosette
- ~~4073~~ ~~Most Creative Home Environment Exhibit – rosette~~
- ~~4074~~ 4094 Best Quilt Award - Award
- ~~4075~~ 4095 Best Proper Place Setting--rosette