

Category – History*

*denotes that event may be entered as a group

Collections

Models

Research

General Information:

Each entry must be complete and ready for display. Displays must occupy a table or floor space no larger than four feet by 30 inches. If electricity is needed, designate this on registration. All switches and cords must be U.L. or C.S.A. approved and projects must be wired in a safe manner. **NO ENTRY CREATING A SAFETY HAZARD WILL BE PERMITTED.** The following are not allowed as part of the project: dangerous chemicals, offensive odors, explosives, open flames, running water, and live animals or insects. Model kits are not permitted.

Helps to consider:

Entries must be ready for display and have a written explanation available. Photographs, charts, graphs, diagrams or other audio-visual aids can add clarity to a display. Adults may advise, but must not build any part of the display that the child is capable of building. Collections should be planned with an orderly classification in mind. An explanation of the historical relevancy of the items should be known by the student. Models, too, should have a clear historical relevancy. Research should be limited to a specific person, specific event or time. Students should include all their sources, and be able to explain the historical relevancy of their chosen topic. Audio-visuals may increase the effectiveness of their research report.

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## Collections

Collections - Students may enter collections that demonstrate historical relevance. Collections may include accumulations of like or related items with significance.

## Rules:

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## Judging Criteria

Originality:

- ideas and concepts must be student's
- unique subject matter or unusual presentation

Thought/Clarity:

- accuracy of displaying historic facts are apparent
- entry clearly understood by average person

**Workmanship:**

- effort and study went into the entry as well as the display
- quality of construction and attractiveness of collection
- attention to detail

**Presentation:**

- demonstrates knowledge of items collected or of model
- development of theme throughout project

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Models

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Judging Criteria

Originality:

- ideas and concepts must be student's
- unique subject matter or unusual presentation

Thought/Clarity:

- accuracy of displaying historic facts are apparent
- entry clearly understood by average person

Workmanship:

- effort and study went into the entry as well as the display
- quality of construction and attractiveness of model display
- attention to detail

Presentation:

- demonstrates knowledge of model
- development of theme throughout project

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## History Research

**History Research – Research Report and display on people, events, objects or positions in governments demonstrating historical importance or relevance.**

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## Judging Criteria

**Originality:**

- ideas and concepts must be student's
- unique subject matter or unusual presentation of research

**Thought/Clarity:**

- accuracy of displaying historic facts are apparent
- entry clearly understood by average person

**Workmanship:**

- effort and study went into the research as well as the display
- quality of construction and attractiveness of display
- attention to detail

**Presentation:**

- demonstrates knowledge of research
- development of theme throughout project