

April 15, 2025

TO: All Churches, Organizations and Schools
RE: 2025 Booth Entry for Educational Building

Dear Participant:

We would first like to thank you for participating in the Education Building exhibits in 2024. Your organization is invited to participate in the 175th Hillsdale County Fair. Educational Building Superintendent William White would like to announce the theme for this year's fair.

Beyond Expectations Since 1851

We hope that you have your thinking caps on and will come up with unique ideas tying the theme into your organization and agriculture. To register your organization for a booth in the Educational Building, ***we need to hear from you by May 2nd, 2025.*** Please confirm your attendance by filling out the information attached and returning it to our office. **It is very important, especially for the schools to give us a contact person and phone number to reach during the summer months.** All efforts will be made to give you the same space as you had last year.

Please note that Classes 500, 600, 700 & 800 are for YOUTH. Youth are not to exceed the age of 19 by December 31st of the current fair year. Please do not enter these classes if the work is not done by a youth group. **Learning Objective:** To encourage youth to work together reaching and exploring to develop a creative, educational, informational display around a chosen fair theme.

Class 900 is a NON-YOUTH class which will be for Church & Other Organizations.

Please use the following score card for each section:

Sections 5, 6 & 7

• Student body representation	20
• Originality of student work	40
• Neatness	15
• Variety of media (material & technique)	15
• Creativity in following the theme	10
	100

Sections 8 & 9

• Neatness	15
• Variety of media (material & technique)	15
• Creativity in following the theme	10
• Biblical Integrations	20
• Express/Clarity of intended Message	40
	100

General Rules: Each exhibit may be built around a central theme or unit with materials exhibited developing the chosen theme. **Exhibits must be in place no later than Saturday, September 20th, NO SUNDAY SET-UP,** and shall remain until 10:00 p.m. Saturday, September 27th. Judging may begin after 6:00 pm Saturday, September 20th.

Sincerely,
William White
Churches, Organizations and Schools Superintendent

**Churches, Organizations and Schools
General Entry Form
175th Hillsdale County Fair – September 21st – September 27th, 2025
Phone: 517-437-3622
Email: dena@hillsdalecountyfair.org**

175 Years at the Hillsdale County Fair

**Theme:
Beyond Expectations Since 1851**

DEADLINE: MAY 2nd, 2025

Exhibitor Number: _____
(Office use only)

Organization Name: _____

Email: _____

Contact Person: _____ Telephone: home _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

(NOTE: Premium payments will be mailed to address above unless otherwise indicated.)

	Dept.	Section	Class	Description
_____	49	5	500	Public & Non-Public Elementary, City, Church and Village City Schools
_____	49	6	600	High School Clubs & Organizations
_____	49	7	700	Department Organizations
_____	49	8	800	Church Schools & Youth Religious Groups
_____	49	9	900	Church & Other Organization Exhibits (Non-Youth Groups)