

OAAS APPRENTICESHIP EXEMPTION FORM



IMPORTANT: form must be submitted a minimum of 2 weeks prior to the date of the apprenticeship – no allowances for late forms. Note: Incomplete forms will not be accepted.

Complete the Applicant information and all the information for the Exemption Option(s) you are requesting.

Applicant Information:

Name: _____

Address: _____ Home District: _____

Email: _____ Phone/cell: _____

OPTION 1) Apprenticing at Fair Prior to Attending the OAAS Judging School for the Category Exemption

The OAAS requirement is that a person must attend an OAAS judging school for a specific Category prior to apprenticing at a fair for that Category. The OAAS may allow an exemption **provided the following 3 criteria have been met**: 1) the person is an OAAS Certified Judge in a different Category; 2) the person has reviewed the OAAS Judging Standards for that Category and 3) the OAAS office has approved the online request.

A maximum of 1 apprenticeship prior to attending the Judging School for that Category would be allowed.

Seeking an exemption to apprentice prior to completing an OAAS Judging School for the following Category/Categories:

Category _____

Category _____

I certify that I am an OAAS Certified Judge in a different Category and have read the “**OAAS Judging Standards**” for the requested Category/Categories.

(Applicant’s signature)

OPTION 2) Apprenticing with a non-OAAS Certified Judge Exemption

The OAAS expectation is that apprenticeships will be completed with an OAAS Certified Judge. The OAAS realizes that we do not have sufficient OAAS Certified Judges to ensure that apprenticing with an OAAS Certified Judge will be always possible.

A maximum of 1 apprenticeship with a qualified non-OAAS Certified Judge per Category would be allowed.

Seeking an exemption to apprentice for the following Category with a non-OAAS Certified Judge:

Fair: _____

Category: _____

Non-OAAS Judge’s name: _____

Non-OAAS Judge’s address/phone/email _____

I certify that I have successfully completed an OAAS judging school for the requested Category within the past 3 years.

(Applicant’s signature)