

EDUCATION ON SHOW SCHEDULE



Ekka!

ROYAL QUEENSLAND SHOW

AUGUST 10-18



Welcome from the President



Our competitions are the backbone of the Royal Queensland Show (Ekka), bringing the city and country together each year to showcase the best of the best.

In 2023 the 144th Ekka was the most attended Show since 2019, since before the Covid-19 pandemic. Queensland's biggest and most loved event was an incredible success, attracting around 400,000 people.

We were delighted to once again reward and recognise our exhibitors across 54 competition sections. The RNA received over 20,000 competition entries, a 12% increase on 2022, which is also back to pre-pandemic levels.

More than 4,400 exhibitors travelled from across the country for their chance to win a coveted blue ribbon when the Ekka awards and celebrates the best of the best.

The entries included 4,257 prized animals, 1,231 cakes and condiments and 634 works by Queensland students.

Our competitors were able to share in a total prize pool of almost \$680,000 – a 10% increase on last year.

In 2023 we hosted 10 international judges, ensuring exhibits were judged by some of the world's most highly experienced and respected individuals.

In 2024, the nine-day Show will be held from Saturday 10 August to Sunday 18 August, running over two full weekends.

Since 1875, the RNA has been dedicated to championing agriculture and is honoured to stage Queensland's largest event on behalf of the community each year.

We look forward to continuing this wonderful legacy for future generations of exhibitors and patrons to enjoy.

Good luck with your entries and see you at the 2024 Royal Queensland Show.

David Thomas
RNA President



ROYAL QUEENSLAND SHOW

AUGUST 10-18

145th ROYAL QUEENSLAND SHOW

SATURDAY 10 – SUNDAY 18 AUGUST 2024

EDUCATION ON SHOW

Council Stewards

Mr David Fagan

Honorary Council Steward

Mrs Noela Roberts

DELIVERY/ COLLECTION AREA

Upper Royal International Convention Centre, Brisbane Showgrounds, Gregory Terrace, Bowen Hills
Access from the Loading Dock

Applications To Enter Open Tuesday 21 November 2023

Applications To Enter Close Friday 19 July 2024 at 5pm

Entry Fees \$5.00 Per School

Age Groups Participation is open to the following year levels:

Prep
Year 1 to Year 2
Year 3 to Year 4
Year 5 to Year 6
Open –Prep to Year 6

Only one entry per student, per competition class can be accepted.
No more than 15 entries per school, per competition class

Delivery Of Exhibits Monday 29 July 2024

Delivery Location Loading Dock,
Upper level, Royal International Convention Centre,
600 Gregory Terrace
Bowen Hills

Judging Wednesday 31 July 2024

Collection Of Entries Monday 19 August 2024
Loading Dock,
Upper level, Royal International Convention Centre,
600 Gregory Terrace
Bowen Hills

PLEASE NOTE: All entries not collected on the above dates, will be disposed of.

EDUCATION ON SHOW REGULATIONS

2024 THEME OUR FARMERS - OUR FUTURE

Step into the world of agriculture and join us for a captivating exploration of 'Our Farmers, Our Future'. The theme for this year's Education on Show will take students on a journey through the heart of our food systems, highlighting and celebrating the vital role farmers play in shaping our future. Students will explore the intricate balance between traditional farming practices and cutting-edge innovations that sustainably drive our agricultural landscape forward. From the science behind crop cultivation to the importance of environmental stewardship, Education on Show aims to foster a deep appreciation for the dedicated individuals who toil the land to feed communities around the globe.

'Our Farmers, Our Future' invites you to connect with the roots of our sustenance and explore the possibilities that lie ahead in ensuring a resilient and prosperous future for generations to come. Join us in celebrating the unsung heroes who cultivate the seeds of tomorrow's abundance.

COMPETITION SCOPE

The competition is open to Queensland students from Prep to Year 6. Class eligibility is determined by student's year level.

All entries must be created in the 2024 school calendar year. **Schools are encouraged to conduct their own competitions in various classes and to send their best works to the Ekka for judging.** Schools and students are encouraged to enter in multiple classes. Home Schooled and Distance Education students are encouraged to enter. **Maximum entries per school in each class are 15.**

SPECIFICATIONS OF ENTRY

Unless stated otherwise, all class topics are designed for **individual** student entries. Each individual entry must have the following **information clearly written on the back of the exhibit** when delivered:

- First Name
- Last Name
- Grade level
- School (If applicable)
- Class as per schedule

With group entries please ensure the team name OR class name (if whole of class entry) is included on the entry.

Please note: ONLY Classes 3 and 15 are the group entry classes.

IMPORTANT DATES

Application for Entry Closes	19 July 2024
Delivery of Entries	29 July 2024
Judging	31 July 2024
Collection of Entries	19 August 2024

SCHOOL POINTS COMPETITION

To be eligible for the School Points Competition in Education on Show, the Principal or Coordinator is required to certify on the school entry form, the total number of students currently enrolled in the school (include total enrolment Prep – Year 6).

Breakdown of prizes: Champion School of Show, 5 Sectional Winners and Individual Class Winners

POINTS FOR SECTIONAL WINNERS

Points for each class will be awarded on the following basis. Therefore, schools must include their enrolment when entering.

Primary School Enrolment	1st Prize	2nd Prize	3rd Prize
Up to 100 Students	6	5	4
101 – 300 Students	5	4	3
301 – 600 Students	4	3	2
Over 600 Students	3	2	1

Please note: Schools are eligible for one sectional winner prize ONLY.

CHAMPION SCHOOL OF SHOW

A prize will be awarded to the Primary School gaining the highest aggregate points across classes 1-15 respectively. This school will be awarded with a Certificate and Rosette.

SIZE

Painting: Maximum size A3

Mural: 1000mm x 400mm or 1200mm x 300mm

Picture: Maximum size A4, single sided unless otherwise stated

Report: 500 words unless otherwise stated

EDUCATION ON SHOW

The Education on Show competition is devoted to showcasing work by Queensland students. The Education on Show schedule covers a wide range of contemporary curriculum related skills and activities. The competition has been designed to encourage teachers to use it in conjunction with the curriculum.

Please read through the schedule thoroughly to comply with all that is required before undertaking the class topic with your students and before forwarding entries to the RNA.

PREP

Class 1 Outfit a Farmer (Visual Arts, Design & Technology)

Use a collage to dress a cardboard cut-out doll as a Farmer.

Medium: Card, Fabric, Paper, Any Other Medium

Maximum size: (H) 30cm

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

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Class 2

Handprint Art (Visual Arts)

Change your handprint into a picture of either a farm animal, piece of fruit or a vegetable.

Medium: Mixed media - painting/drawing, collage

Maximum size: A3

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

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Class 3

A Farm Scene (Visual Arts)

Group Entry - Create a MURAL illustrating any type of farm scene - crops, animals, energy etc Medium: Multi Media

Maximum size: 1000mm x 400 or 1200mm x 300mm

Specification: Label with class name/group name.

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

Prize Money supported by EDSCO

Prize Pack supported by Officeworks

SECTIONAL WINNER - PREP

Product, \$100

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YEAR 1 TO YEAR 2

Class 4 Poetry (English)

Write an acrostic poem using the letters of the word: FARMERS

Medium: Handwritten

Maximum size: A4

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

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Class 5 Plan a Garden (Design & Technology, Visual Art)

Draw a plan of a healthy vegetable garden for a backyard. Label (print) the vegetables in your garden.

Medium: paper, drawing/painting

Maximum size: Maximum A3

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

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Class 6 Wrapping Paper (Visual Arts, Design & Technology)

With fruit, vegetables or both use a printmaking technique (eg stamping, rubbing, tracing) to create a design for wrapping paper. No computer printing.

Medium: paper, painting

Maximum size: A3

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

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SECTIONAL WINNER - YEAR 1 TO YEAR 2

Product, \$100

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YEAR 3 TO YEAR 4

Class 7 Agricultural Map (Visual Arts, HASS,)

Draw a map of Queensland showing the locations of at least 5 different agricultural industries. Include a 'Key' to show where these primary industries are. (eg. sugar cane, fishing, mangoes, citrus, cotton, cattle sheep etc)

Medium: Map (may be traced), names must be printed. Can be shaded and include illustrations.

Maximum size: A3

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

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Class 8 Before and After a Drought - Drawing (Visual Arts, Science)

Draw a scene/landscape to illustrate the effect an event like drought has on the environment.

Medium: Drawing (diptych style), requires 2 panels to show before and after.

Maximum size: A3

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

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Class 9 Paddock to Place (Visual Arts, Design & Technology)

Create an illustrated timeline of either a crop or an animal illustrating the journey from its place of production to being served as food on your plate.

Medium: Handwritten, may include illustrations.

Maximum size: A4

First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20

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SECTIONAL WINNER - YEAR 3 TO YEAR 4

Product, \$100

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YEAR 5 TO YEAR 6

Class 10 Technology in Farming (English, Digital Technologies)
Use research to explain how technology has impacted an agricultural industry of today (eg robotics, renewable energy, drones, mustering methods, production techniques etc).
Medium: 1 page typed text + 1 illustrated page.
Maximum size: 2x A4 pages.
Text maximum: 500 words
First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20
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Class 11 An Agricultural Career (Visual Arts, English)
Create a poster advertising and promoting a particular career in agriculture. Must include a slogan.
Medium: Poster, multimedia
Maximum size: A3
First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20
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Class 12 Ode to a Farmer (English)
Medium: Handwritten
Maximum Size: A4, one page only.
First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20
Prize Money supported by EDSCO
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SECTIONAL WINNER - YEAR 5 TO YEAR 6

Product, \$100
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OPEN

Class 13 A World without Farmers (Visual Arts, Design & Technology)
Create Comic/Cartoon including speech bubbles depicting what the world would be like without farmers.
Medium: Comic strip – hand drawn in landscape format
Maximum Size: 10 frames each 100mm x 100mm. Frame arrangement 5 on top of 5. First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20
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Class 14 Bush Tucker Dish - Procedural Text (Design & Technology, HASS)
Create a dish using Native Australian ingredients
Medium: Handwritten, may be illustrated
Maximum Size: A4
First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20
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Class 15 Then and Now (Visual Arts, Digital Technologies) Group Entry

Create a mural that compares a traditional farming method or procedure with modern farming technology.
Medium: Multimedia
Maximum Size: 1000mm x 400mm or 1200mm x 300mm
Specifications: Label with teacher's name for whole class entry.
First: \$40; Second: \$30; Third: \$20
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SECTIONAL WINNER - OPEN

Product, \$100
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CHAMPION

CHAMPION SCHOOL OF SHOW

A prize will be awarded to the school gaining the highest aggregate points across all classes for the "School Points Competition".
Product, \$200, Rosette
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GENERAL REGULATIONS

The attention of Exhibitors is drawn to the fact that all entries that are accepted will be subject to the Royal National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland Act 1971, as well as to the By-Laws, General Regulations of the Association and any Competition Specific Regulations which appear in this schedule.

Judging will be performed by a panel of Judges appointed by the Royal National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland.

No refunds will be made after close of entry. No refunds will be given for entries not presented or not adhering to the schedule regulations.

If COVID-19 recommendations and mandates advised by the Federal and State Governments mean the competition class you entered cannot proceed, the RNA will issue a full refund of your entry fee.

NOTICE TO INTENDING EXHIBITORS

Entries for the Royal Queensland Show can ONLY be made online through our [Exhibitor Portal](#). Entries submitted other than on the online portal will be returned to the Exhibitor and, unless all requirements are submitted online by 5.00pm on the Application to Enter closing date, as shown in the Schedule, they will not be considered.

As a condition for acceptance of all entries, all exhibitors/competitors agree to the following:

- All information submitted as part of my exhibitor profile is true and correct, including taxation status and bank account information.
- Neither myself nor my family members will indulge in any social, professional or other interaction with an official or judge contracted or sub- contracted by the RNA before or during the Royal Queensland Show.

PRIVACY STATEMENT

You can be assured that the privacy of your personal information is of the utmost importance to us. The information provided by you in any application for membership or application to enter is used by the Royal National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland (RNA) to offer member services or to organize and conduct competitions at the Royal Queensland Show. By applying for membership or entering such competitions you consent to provide such details as your name, address and exhibit details. Competition information may be made available to the media and included in RNA publications.

The exhibitor irrevocably consents to the RNA publishing or reproducing in any manner whatsoever any particulars or information in relation to their exhibits; the publication or reproduction may be in a printed form or visual image through electronic means and/or on the internet. Your information will not be disclosed without your consent for any other purpose unless required by the law. By providing your email address you are consenting to receive communications from us relating to the Royal Queensland Show. For full privacy details visit <https://www.rna.org.au/privacy-policy.aspx>

PRIZE MONEY

1. Prize Money stated in the Schedule excludes GST.
2. All Prizes and Prize Monies are SUBJECT TO CHANGE at the discretion of the Competition Committee
3. GST will be added to the Prize Money for Exhibitors who are registered for GST purposes.
4. Prize money will be paid into your nominated bank account by 31 October following the Show.
5. The Association will provide a "Recipient Created Tax Invoice" to Exhibitors who are registered for GST purposes
6. All cash prizes and trophies must be claimed within six months from the closing date of the Royal Queensland Show. Prizes not claimed and by that date will be considered to have lapsed, and the amount will become a donation to the Association. (RNA By-Laws)

WORKPLACE HEALTH AND SAFETY

1. The Brisbane Showgrounds are a designated Workplace within the meaning of the Workplace Health and Safety Act 2011 and exhibitors/competitors are required to ensure that they and all persons under their direction or control, including their contractors or sub-contractors, comply with all requirements of the Act and the RNA holds each exhibitor responsible to discharge its obligations to provide and maintain a safe place and system of work during occupation by the exhibitor of any area of the Showgrounds.
2. Each exhibitor/competitor will assess the risk to themselves, staff, volunteers, family, other exhibitors, RNA staff, show visitors, children and any person foreseeably affected by the presentation of their exhibit.
3. Risks identified by exhibitors/competitors will be eliminated or controlled by the exhibitor/competitor and particular attention will be paid to ensuring public safety and safety of other exhibitors/competitors.
4. Exhibits will only be held and handled by competent persons whose experience is known to the exhibitor/competitor.
5. A "No Smoking Policy" will be strictly adhered to and policed by exhibitors/competitors and all are advised that the use of Primus stoves, any heating or lighting appliances of a like character, or any naked light, is strictly prohibited in the pavilions.
6. Any exhibitors/competitors intending to bring electrical equipment to the Showgrounds will be required to ensure that such equipment is fitted with residual current protection and that all electrical leads, tools and appliances have been inspected by a licensed electrical contractor and currently tagged. The use of double adaptors is prohibited, and all power boards must also be tested and tagged.
7. All exhibitors/competitors will comply with the requirements of the Act and its Regulations and Standards in every other respect. This is essential for the safety of all exhibitors/competitors and the general public. The Act imposes very severe penalties in the event of noncompliance with its provisions. Anyone who do not comply will not be allowed to exhibit at the Royal Queensland Show.
8. The Brisbane Showgrounds is subject to a Special Facility License issued under the Liquor Act 1992 and strict laws related to the consumption and possession of liquor across the Brisbane Showgrounds site. The consumption or possession of liquor outside of the licensed bar areas is not authorized by the RNA and in many cases may be an offence for which on the spot fines can be issued by Police and Liquor Licensing Investigators.

DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE

132. It there is any inconsistency between By-laws 133 - 153 and any other By-laws of the Association, By-laws 133 - 153 will prevail.
133. The functions of the Disciplinary Committee shall be to hear and determine all complaints, allegations and other matters relating to:
- a) prohibited substances, as defined in these By-laws or Sectional Regulations.
 - b) any alleged breach of the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Association by an exhibitor and relating to an exhibit or to a competition, except if the alleged breach is of a kind that the Chairman of a Sectional Committee considers is of a less serious nature and should properly be dealt with by the Sectional Committee, and
 - c) any other alleged breach of the Rules, By-Laws and Regulations of the Association that may be referred to Disciplinary Committee pursuant to By-Law 137 (a).
147. The Disciplinary Committee may announce its decision orally or in writing. A decision that is announced orally shall have effect in accordance with its terms.
148. If the opinion of the Disciplinary Committee is not unanimous, the decision of the majority shall prevail. If the Disciplinary Committee are equally divided on any question concerning the guilt or innocence of a person, the question shall be resolved in that person's favour.
149. If the Disciplinary Committee considers that there has been a breach of the rules, By-laws or regulations of the Association, it may impose such a penalty as it considers to be appropriate, including without limitation:
- a) a reprimand.
 - b) a monetary fine (payable at such time/s as the Disciplinary Committee may determine)
 - c) withdrawal or withholding of any award or ribbon.
 - d) disqualification in respect of any class.
 - e) expulsion from the Showground.
 - f) where the person concerned is a member, a suspension or termination of that membership.
 - g) a ban.
 - h) exclusion.
 - i) prohibiting a Person from exhibiting or competing at the current Show or at any future Show.
 - j) a direction that an Exhibit be removed from the Showground.
 - k) any other mandatory requirement; and
 - l) any other penalty provided for in other regulations of the Association.
150. There shall be no appeal from any decision of the Disciplinary Committee.

INSURANCE

161. The RNA may (but is not obliged to) take out a policy of insurance in respect of the legal liability on the part of an Exhibitor for loss or damage suffered by a third party caused by any act or omission of an Exhibit or the Exhibitor.
162. The RNA, RNA Staff Members and Officials of the RNA are not liable to any Exhibitor if the RNA fails to take out a policy of insurance effectively protecting any Exhibitor or Exhibit, or if any such policy does not operate to indemnify the Exhibitor in respect of the loss or damage in question.

REGULATIONS & BY-LAWS

All Entries and Exhibitors are subject to RNA Regulations and By-Laws set out in this schedule as well as other By-Laws that may pertain to this competition.

The RNA always reserves the right at its absolute discretion without assigning any reason to:

- a) substitute a Judge when necessary.
- b) re-allocate Judging days for a particular breed.
- c) if entries numbers require an extra Judge, appoint an additional Judge if necessary.

Full copies of the RNA By-Laws may be obtained upon application to the Competitions Department.

If you are unsure of any of the rules stated in this schedule or your eligibility to enter the competition, please contact the entries department at entries@royalqueenslandshow.com.au

GOODS AND SERVICES TAX

The RNA's ABN is 41 417 513 726



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COMPETITIONS