



2025 Texas 4-H Roundup At-a-Glance

- Event Date: June 2-5, 2025
- The 2024-2025 Texas 4-H Roundup Guide is now the [Texas 4-H Roundup Handbook](#). It combines the Roundup Guide and Registration Packet information. We will not have a formal Registration Packet released in the Spring.
- Registration cost for the 2025 Texas 4-H Roundup will remain the same as it was in 2024.
- 4-H members, families, coaches, and County agents know the cost of registration prior to competing and qualifying to attend the event so they can plan accordingly.
- We are working on hotel room blocks as well and they should be in the range of \$99-\$149 based on current bids submitted. This information will be released by December.
- **IMPORTANT** Participants must be active Senior level 4-H members in the Texas 4-H Youth Development Program by **March 1, 2025 or have competed in another District level contest.**

REGISTRATION DEADLINES:

- April 14 - May 6, 2025: Roundup Registration through 4HOnline. Late registrations will incur additional charges.
- Chaperones/Volunteers: We recommend enrollment as soon as possible, by no later than April 17, 2025, which **may still not** guarantee approval by the registration deadline.

NOTABLE CONTEST CHANGES/UPDATES

See Roundup website for more details <https://texas4-h.tamu.edu/events/roundup/>

It is the responsibility of the 4-H members/teams to be familiar with contest rules. Be sure to read ALL Contest rules and guidelines because even some may have minor changes this year, not noted below.

CONSUMER DECISION MAKING

- Guide posted with updated categories.
- Two additional categories (Cell Phones and Laptops/Chromebooks)
- Total now of 14 categories within the CDM Guide

QUIZ BOWL

- Resources have been updated for all categories – use the resource pages that denotes updated in 2025
- For the State in 2025, we will be adding current event resources (ie, magazines, journals, etc) to each topic area. Those sources will be released after January 2025, and questions from these sources will appear in the State Contest along with the questions from the main resources noted above.
- Only the contestants and contest officials are allowed in the contest room during the preliminary matches. As determined by contest officials, audiences may be permitted to watch the final game (s), which will be announced during orientation, if applicable. Any audience member making excessive noise or movement that could influence a team's answer will be asked to leave the contest.
- Contestants are not allowed to bring any items into the contest room with them, including but not limited to phones, smart devices, recording devices, or scribing materials.
 - a. This rule will also be enforced for the audience if allowed to observe during the final(s) round.

HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

- Updated Class list

FASHION SHOW

- First Place winners can compete for one of spots to represent Texas at the 4-H FCS National Championship in San Antonio. Texas can send 2 for construction, 2 for buying and 2 for Upcycle Your Style (new category at National Fashion Revue). First place winner will create a video interview based on the National Fashion Revue rules and guidelines.
- **Reminder** – Once a 4-H member has competed in the 4-H FCS National Championship Fashion Revue, they are no longer eligible to compete in that same category again. For example, if a participant competes in the construction category, they cannot compete in any construction categories at Texas 4-H Roundup but may compete in the buying.
- Keep an eye out for the addition of an "Upcycle Your Style" opportunity for the 2025-2026 season. More details to come!

DUDS TO DAZZLE SOLO SHOWCASE

- A maximum of 28 individuals will be able to compete in the Duds to Dazzle solo contest at Texas 4-H Roundup.

FOOD CHALLENGE

- The following items have been added to the supply box list.
 - Bench Scraper
 - Rolling Pin
 - Meat Tenderizer
- **Judging Time Changes:** Judges will now be allowed 4 minutes to write comments for each team.

FOOD SHOW

- 2025 State Contest Theme: *Cooking through the Decades*
- **Knowledge Showcase Resources:** For clarification, the Knowledge Showcase quiz questions will be developed from resources listed within the Food Show guide and NOT the resources listed on the Texas 4-H Food and Nutrition page.

POULTRY JUDGING

- Follow the National 4-H Poultry Judging Contest Guidelines
- Use of the Poultry Form #478-6-IN
- One set of reasons to the contest on a hen class

EDUCATIONAL PRESENTATION

- Before selecting your category, make sure the presentation does not fit better in another educational presentation category.
- Review the Scoresheet as well so you are familiar with what the judges are looking for during your presentation.
- Categories were added and descriptions updated in 2024

VET SKILLATHON

- Written examination will be presented as scenario demonstrations. Participants should be familiar with primary use of instruments in the identification portion as well as life cycles of parasites in identification portion.
- 2025 added Math Applications. The math questions will vary based on the scenario. Questions may include conversions, dose calculations, dilutions, cost calculations and invoices.

4-H TALENT SHOWCASE

- There is a title change/reversal for Musical Instrumental, the update name for the category is Instrumental Music
- For the Poetry/Prose category, the requirement that material must be memorized has been removed.