

Latch Hook

1. See General Guidelines.
2. The article you exhibit must be finished and ready to use (i.e. wall hangings must be ready to hang with rod, hanging wire, etc., rugs must be bound **AND** backed with latex adhesive, pillows must be finished, etc.). Keep in mind that shaped articles are more difficult than square ones.
3. Members may use rug patterns, kits, or develop their own original design. If you are using your own original design, start with a blank canvas and create or develop a design. A design can be taken from another picture by tracing onto tracing paper. A proportion can then be created by using grids to fit your article size. The original drawing or picture should accompany the finished latch hook article.

LEVEL A (grades 3 & 4)

Exhibit one item up to 225 square inches. * Members may use rug patterns or kits. No original designs are necessary in this division.

LEVEL B (grades 5 & 6)

Exhibit one item over 225 square inches and up to 576 square inches. * Members may use rug patterns or kits. No original designs are necessary in this division.

LEVEL C (grades 7, 8, 9)

Exhibit one item 225 - 720 square inches. * Item may be of an irregular shape. Members may use rug patterns, kits, or develop their own original design. Hilo kits and designs are also acceptable.

LEVEL D (grades 10, 11, 12)

Exhibit one large article (over 576 square inches) or a set of articles. In this level it is the design, workmanship, etc. that counts, not the size. This level may include an exhibit of sets of articles, such as bath sets, etc.

* To find the size of your article in square inches, multiply the width of the design by the height of the design (i.e. $15 \times 15 = 225$ square inches; $18 \times 18 = 324$ square inches; $16 \times 20 = 320$ square inches; $24 \times 24 = 576$; $20 \times 36 = 720$ square inches; etc.).

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