

Fairs Program PO Box 42560 Olympia WA 98504-2560

# Application for State Funding — Youth Shows

Application Deadline: December 1, 2024

**Instructions**: Fill in all data fields. Include a contact email address. For data fields that do not apply to your youth show, enter N/A. WSDA will provide a copy to your sponsoring agency. Detailed instructions are attached. Submit form to Washington State Department of Agriculture (WSDA) by email to fairs@agr.wa.gov no later than the application deadline.

Applicant					
Name of Youth Show		Physical Addre	Physical Address		
Mailing Address		Principal Cont	act	Phone Number	
Email Address		2025 Fair Date	2025 Fair Dates		
Sponsoring State Agency OSPI WSU		Area Served (v	Area Served (where exhibitors, contestants, and participants are from)		
<b>Number of Exhibitors</b> — An exhibitor is one individual regardless of the number of entries the exhibitor displays.					
	4-H	FFA	Open	Total	
Exhibitors					
Number of Exhibits — Count each entry judged and eligible for premiums and prizes as an exhibit.					
	4-H	FFA	Open	Total	
Live Exhibits				<u> </u>	
Still Life Exhibits					
Total Exhibits					
<b>Premiums, Ribbons, and Prizes</b> — Amount awarded for exhibits and educational contests or demonstrations.					
Total Premiums, Ribbons, and Prizes Awarded:					
Other Data					
Total Attendance — including paid exhibitors, grandstand, complimentary:					
Number of Volunteers — total number of volunteers supporting the youth show:					
Describe the improvements made to grounds and facilities during the prior year.					
2. Describe the area and population the fair serves.					
3. Describe how the community supports the fair.					
4. Describe educational programs and outreach the fair provides that reflect the diversity within the fair's local population.					

# Application for State Funding, continued

Financial Report					
This information is an essential part of this application and must be verified as to its accuracy by the signature of the president of the youth show board and the secretary or manager of the youth show.					
Operating Expenses — Expenses must be in conjunction with the youth show event, not year-round expenses. See instructions.					
Advertising and Promotional Activities	Office Expenses: Phone, Internet, Supplies, etc.				
Scholarships	Management/Staff Costs: Payroll, Insurance, etc.				
Contracted Services	Rentals and Repairs				
Decorations and Supplies	RV Park Expenses				
Entertainment	Security and Traffic Control Expenses				
Fees and Licenses	Utilities: Electricity, Fuel, Water, Sewer				
Grounds, Landscaping, Maintenance	Other Operating Expenses				
Insurance					
Judges' Fees and Expenses	Sub Total				
Premiums, Prizes, and Awards	Capital Outlay				
	TOTAL Operating Expenses				
Revenue					
Revenue Generated for Youth Show					
State Allocation Received	TOTAL Youth Show Revenue				
Certification					
We certify that we have reviewed the financial records of this youth show and find that this financial report is correct to the best of our knowledge.  Signed By:					
President Name	Secretary or Manager Name				
President Signature	Secretary or Manager Signature				
Date Signed	Date Signed				

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# Application for State Funding — Youth Shows Instructions

## **Applicant Information**

Include the following:

- Name of the youth show
- · Physical address of show
- Mailing address of show
- · Contact information including name, email address, and phone number of principal contact
- Dates of next year's show
- Sponsoring State Agency is OSPI if an FFA show or WSU if a 4-H show
- Enter the counties where your exhibitors are from

#### **Show Report Data**

Record data on the following:

- Number of exhibitors.
  - o Record the number of 4-H, FFA, and Open Class exhibitors.
  - o Total the number of exhibitors.
- Number of exhibits.
  - o Record the number of adult and youth exhibits.
  - Total the number of exhibits.
- Premiums, ribbons and prizes. This is the amount awarded for exhibits and educational contests or demonstrations of an educational nature. This does not include judging expenses, prizes, or premiums for promotion or entertainment activities such as queen contests, parades, dances, rodeos, or races.
  - o Record how much the show spent on premiums, ribbons, and prizes for live and still life exhibits.
- Other Data. Data is collected to understand your show's economic impact.
  - o Record total attendance at your show. If your show does not monitor or measure attendance, you may estimate attendance. One example is to take the number of exhibitors and add a multiplier effect to account for friends and family attending the show.
  - o Record number of volunteers.
  - o Record improvements made to grounds and facilities, area and population served, community support, and the educational programs and outreach that are reflective of the diversity within the fair's local population.

### Financial Report

The Washington State Department of Agriculture uses revenue data to help determine the economic impact of your show. Revenue information is not used to determine the allocation your show receives. Under RCW 15.76.160, the department uses operating expenses in the calculation to determine allocations.

### **Revenue and Operating Expenses**

This information is an essential part of the application. See Fairs Operating Expenses Q&A for more details and examples of types of operating expenses.

- Enter the amount of the previously received state allocation.
- Categorize and record the amount the fair spent on operating expenses. See Fairs Operating Expenses Q&A for more details.
- Enter the amount the show spent on capital outlay, if any. This amount does not include money reimbursed by WSDA for capital improvement grant projects.
- Total the amount the show spent in operating expenses.

#### Certification

• The fair board president and secretary or manager must sign and date the certification.