



Celebrate Texas Independence Day
Student History Fair 2021

2021 Theme:

Communication in Texas History Prior to 1900

Awards:

- ★ Senior Scholarship
- ★ Peoples Choice
- ★ 1st Place in Each Category & Level
- ★ 2nd Place in Each Category & Level
- ★ 3rd Place in Each Category & Level
- ★ Group Award in Each Category & Level

Categories:

- ★ Exhibit
- ★ Research Paper
- ★ Creative Writing Paper
- ★ Performance
- ★ Artwork

See RULES and deadlines for participation on the reverse side.

Submit Entries:

Complete Entry Form For Each Entry: <http://bit.do/2021SHF>- (case sensitive)

By Mail: Texas Heroes Foundation Attn: Heather Flannery/TID Student History Fair,
P.O. Box 5356, Granbury, TX 76049 by 2/5/20

Electronically: March2Texas@gmail.com on or before 2/5/20

In Person: Acton United Methodist Church 3433 Fall Creek Hwy. on either 2/21/21 or 3-5 pm or
2/22/21 5-7pm.

Contact Heather Flannery, 940-465-0431 with any questions.

AWARDS CEREMONY will be held at Acton United Methodist Church on Friday, February 26th, 6:30 pm. All entries are open to view and vote for People's Choice Award from 5:30-6:15 pm on 2/26/21.

All Entries **MUST** be picked up at the end of the awards presentation at 6:30 pm on February 26, 2021, at Acton United Methodist Church. All entries not picked up will be discarded.

Rules For Entry

ALL CATEGORIES:

- ★ **Complete Entry Form For Each Entry:** <http://bit.do/2021SHF> (case sensitive)
- ★ **Must relate to 2021 Student History Fair theme**

Research Paper:

- ★ Must work alone
- ★ Must be original, factual and historically based
- ★ Must be typed and double-spaced
- ★ Word count: less than 1,000 words, provided on cover sheet
- ★ Must provide a list of sources
- ★ Submitted electronically (**PDF only**) or mail by **2/5/21**

Creative Writing Paper:

- ★ Must work alone
- ★ Must be original, factual and historically based.
- ★ Must be typed and double-spaced
- ★ Word count: less than 1,000 words, provided on cover
- ★ Must provide a list of sources
- ★ Submitted electronically (**PDF only**) or mail by **2/5/21**

Exhibits:

- ★ Work alone or in a group (5 people or less)
- ★ Exhibit size – no larger than 40” wide, 30” deep, and 6’ high.
- ★ Include any combination of photos, research paper, artwork, 3-D models, etc.
- ★ Submitted in-person **2/21/21** 3-5 pm or **2/22/21** 5-7 pm

Artwork:

- ★ Work alone or in a group (5 people or less)
- ★ Entries can include any painting/print style, sculpture, photography, or any other art form.
- ★ Must be mounted to hang or stable enough to display
- ★ Submitted in-person **2/21/21** 3-5 pm or **2/22/21** 5-7 pm

Performing Arts:

- ★ Work alone or in a group
- ★ May include ballads, scenes, duets, solo, choirs
- ★ Must be 10 minutes or less
- ★ Performed in-person **2/21/21** 3-5 pm or **2/22/21** 5-7 pm **by appointment**
- ★ Call Peggy Freeman to schedule an appointment at (214) 675-5752

Criteria for Judging

- 1. Historical Content & Accuracy**
- 2. Relates to 2021 Theme: “Communication in Texas History Prior to 1900”**
- 3. Organized Structure and Clearly Stated**
- 4. Creativity and uniqueness of the subject matter**
- 5. Demonstrates abundant research**
- 6. Grammar, Punctuation, and Spelling (if applicable)**

For more information about the theme and more opportunities to extend and enhance your project visit:

www.nhd.org.