



The faculty, staff, and students of Joliet Junior College would like to invite you to participate in our Annual Livestock Judging Contest on April 9th & 10th. In an effort to comply with local and state guidelines, we have spread out the contest across two days. We will be hosting the Questions division teams on Friday, April 9th and the Reasons division teams on Saturday, April 10th.

Questions Division

Date: Friday, April 9th

Time: Group 1 – Check in: 9:00-9:45am
Contest: 10:00am
Group 2 – Check in: 12:30-1:15pm
Contest: 1:30pm

Divisions: JR Division – Pre-High School
SR Division – High School

Questions: Three (3) sets of ten (10) questions worth five (5) points each.

Reasons Division

Date: Saturday, April 10th

Time: Check in: 8:00-8:45am
Contest: 9:00am

Divisions: One Reasons Division

Reasons: Four (4) sets of oral reasons given and at least one set will be on a performance class.

The following information applies to both the Questions and Reasons Divisions.

Location: JJC Weitendorf Agricultural Education Center

Registration: Pre-registration is required. You can register at the following link:

<https://forms.gle/y5PLLj7gZ3NiWD5w5>. Registration closes April 5th. Time slots are first come, first served. Each time will be capped at 120 students. Substitutions can be made the day of the contest. It is most crucial for us to know the number of students you plan on bringing. We ask that you keep your students outside until it is time to break into groups.

Teams: Will consist of **4 members with top 3 scores counting** in team scoring. Coaches may enter as many teams and individuals as they wish.

Eligibility: All divisions are open to youth that are not currently attending a college or university. We would prefer that teams be comprised of individuals from a single FFA Chapter, 4-H Club, or county. No randomized All-Star teams please. Students may only participate in either the Questions or Reasons Division, not both.

Entry Fee: \$10 per contestant

Classes: Contest will include cattle, swine, sheep and goat classes.

COVID Protocol: Masks are required, and social distancing will be enforced.

Contacts: Please reach out with any questions, concerns, or accommodations to the contacts below.

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