

# Youth Talent Contest

## Wednesday, Sept. 12 - 7:00pm

Division #1: 3-9 yrs of age      Division #2: 10-15 yrs of age

Division #3: 16-21 yrs of age

**Entry Fee: \$25.00**  
**Entry Deadline: Sept. 1st**

(turn in between 10am-12pm at stage area on Sept.1 or must be received in mail by Sept 1st )

### Qualifications & Rules

1. Division 1: Age 3-9 (division does not advance onto state competition).  
Division 2: Age 10-15 (rules below apply).  
Division 3: Ages 16-21 (rules below apply).
2. Contestants must be single, never married, and no children.
3. Contestants must compete in and win the Youth Talent Contest sanctioned by their County Fair. Contestants must legally reside in the county they represent for six months immediately preceding the county contest or must be a full-time student who has attended school (academic, not dance, etc.) in that county for one full semester immediately preceding that county's contest. In the event a contestant's parents are divorced and live in separate counties, and have been court ordered to reside jointly with both parents, the contestant can only compete in one of the two counties in which the contestant's parents reside.
4. After winning at the county level, no substitutions of individuals in any act will be allowed at the State Contest. Also contestants may not change categories after winning at the county level, but may change selection of song, music, etc.
5. If a county winner is unable to compete at the State Contest, the County Contest Director can appoint a runner-up to replace them.
6. A contestant will be allowed to compete in more than one category if the second category is with a group of two or more. No contestant will be allowed to compete in more than two categories.
7. Talent presentation must not exceed three (3) minutes at state competition.
8. A contestant may not enter both the Talent Contest and the Queen or Teen Pageant.
9. Youth talent contestants must submit entry form by deadline date. No exceptions!
10. Failure to abide by any of the above rules will result in disqualification.
11. The dress code is completely optional, but must be in good taste (no holes in clothing).
12. Contestants must provide their own instruments, **music on CD only**, cords for instruments and amp.
13. Cash prizes awarded to winners in all divisions.
14. All contestants must be checked in by 6:00 pm at the sound tent with Bill Rogers.
15. Song choice must be age appropriate. If not, it will result in point deduction.
16. Previous year winners are eligible to compete unless awarded grand champion at AR State Fair.

Entry form available online at: [www.thecrawfordcountyfair.com](http://www.thecrawfordcountyfair.com)

For more information call: Marla Keady @479-719-0736

**Talent Show will be held in conjunction with pageants.**



**Categories for all Divisions:**  
**Vocal Solo \* Vocal Group**  
**Instrumental Solo \* Variety Act**