

CATA Curricular Code Change Proposal

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Proposed By: (Name, School, Email)	
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CDE Host Site Contest Coordinator's Signature	
If you answered yes to any of the above questions, please explain.	
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Description: (Describe what is changing.)

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Contest:	Poultry Judging
Proposed by: (Name, School, Email)	Caitlyn Indendi - Strathmore High School cindendi4932@portervilleschools.org

Issue: (Describe the reason/rationale for the proposed change.)
<p>The Team Activity currently creates issues in the Poultry Judging Contest at the State level. There is, not at this time, a space to input Team Activity scores on the Judging Card scorecard. As such, the score needs to be input manually and it can cause difficulties in tabulations if it is not scored correctly. We either need to include a section on the Judging Card scorecard for Team Activity or Class 14 of the Poultry contest should be removed to create more ease and continuity for scoring the contest.</p>

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Removing the Team Activity would affect the team total, thus affecting tabulations of the contest. It would not, however, affect the awards needed at the contest as there is not currently a sub contest award for Team Activity.

If we add a section to the Judging Card scantron then the scorecards would need to be updated for the contest, thus affecting the scorecards. Tabulations would remain the same in this case.

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A section would need to be added to the judging card form in order to accurately count Team Activity scores. There is currently no section for the Team Activity and that section is having to be input manually at tabulations and mistakes are being made in calculating total team scores.

If adding a section for Team Activity Score is not an option, then the Team Activity should be removed from state level contests. This would affect team score totals.

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Change suggested is to remove Class 14 from State Level contests or add a section on the Judging Card scorecard to fit the needs of the contest.

“Class 14: A team activity valued at 75 points (15 multiple choice questions valued at 5 points per question) involving a written scenario that the entire team makes a decision on. Information will be given to the entire team about a specific area of poultry (the same area the test covers based on the year stated in the Poultry Science Manual produced by Texas A&M). Teams will review information, a management problem or problems and use a logical process to solve the identified questions. 30 minutes will be given for this team activity. The Team Activity is to occur at the beginning of the contest.”

Warning: Make sure you add all the topics or concerns you would like to discuss at the Curricular Code CDE meeting. If it's not posted on the CATA Curricular Code Changes website by June 1st, it **cannot** be discussed.

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Contest:	Poultry
Proposed by: (Name, School, Email)	Dan Flatt- Atwater High School dflatt@muhsd.org

<p>Issue: (Describe the reason/rationale for the proposed change.)</p> <p>Some contests for eggs and further processed parts have more than one defect per item. This is confusing to participants and needs to be uniform throughout all contests. One defect is all you need to know that contestants know the material. We should not be trying to make contestants guess and make up defects.</p> <p>The team portion of the test (if the contest has one) needs to be the first station for all students and then they split into their groups and do the rest of the contest. If this is the second station after the individual test there is opportunity for cheating while doing the team portion of the test. (my team observed others doing this)</p>

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Addition to the rules section. Nothing else

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Rules:

Only one defect to be present in all external egg classes and all further processed product per question number on the Judging Card Score sheet.

Team activity(if included in the contest) needs to be the first station that all contestants complete. Then the rest of the contest as normal.