## Arts & Sciences Categories

#### Art

- Calligraphy & Illumination: Decorative lettering or manuscript-style art.
- Charcoal & Pastels: Shading and color blending with dry media.
- ➤ Mixed Media (2D): Combining hand-done techniques (e.g., ink and watercolor).
- Model Painting: Hand-painting miniatures, figurines, or terrain pieces.
- ➤ Painting: Oils, acrylics, watercolors, or tempera.
- ➤ Penciling & Inking: Sketches, line art, or detailed illustrations.

Digital art, animation, or digitally assisted art is not permissible in this category and must be entered into the Storytelling category.

#### Bardic

- Chant & Recitation: Spoken word performances, such as period poetry, dramatic monologues, or oratory.
- Comedy: Live performances of humorous monologues,

- sketches, or period-appropriate stand-up.
- ➤ Instrumental Performance: Live playing of historical or fantasy-inspired instruments.
- Singing & Vocal Performance: Solo or group singing of original or traditional songs.
- ➤ Theatrical Performance: Skits, dramatic scenes, or comedic acts.
- Improvisational Bardic: On-thespot creation of songs, poems, or tales based on audience prompts.
- Mixed Bardic Performance: Combination of singing, oration, and instrumental play in a single act.

Pre-recorded or digitally enhanced items are not permissible in this category and must be entered into the Storytelling category.

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### **Brews & Spirits**

- Beer & Ale: Homebrewed or period-inspired beer, ales, or meads.
- ➤ Liquor & Spirits: Distilled spirits, including whiskey, rum, gin, and flavored infusions.
- Cider & Perry: Fermented apple or pear-based beverages.
- ➤ Tea & Herbal Infusions:

  Brewed teas, tisanes, or herbal infusions.
- ➤ Coffee & Coffee-Based Drinks: Brewed coffee, espresso, or coffee-based beverages.
- ➤ Recipe Creation &

  Documentation: Original or
  period-inspired recipes for
  brews, spirits, teas, or coffees,
  including detailed instructions
  and ingredient sourcing.

#### Construction

- ➤ Building: Crafting structures, huts, shelters, or other large-scale creations.
- Weapon Crafting: Creating period or fantasy-inspired weapons, including swords, axes, and bows.
- ➤ Armoring: Crafting armor, shields, or protective gear.

- Woodworking: Making furniture, tools, or decorative wooden items.
- Metalworking: Creating metal items, including tools, jewelry, or decorative pieces.
- Stonework: Carving, shaping, or building with stone materials.
- Leatherworking: Crafting leather goods such as belts, pouches, or accessories.

### Cooking

- Baking: Crafting bread, pastries, cakes, and other baked goods.
- ➤ Fermentation: Making fermented foods and beverages, such as sauerkraut, kimchi, or yogurt.
- Period Recipes: Cooking dishes inspired by historical or fantasy traditions, with attention to authentic methods and ingredients.
- ➤ Preservation: Techniques for preserving food, such as pickling, canning, or curing.
- ➤ Roasting & Grilling: Cooking meat, vegetables, or fish over an open flame or in an oven.
- Specialty & Exotic Dishes: Creating unique or exotic dishes that fit the world of the

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- Legend, such as magical or rare ingredients.
- Stews & Soups: Preparing hearty soups, broths, and stews, often with period ingredients.

### Costuming

- ➤ Ensemble Assembly & Kit:

  Putting together complete
  outfits, ensuring all pieces (garb,
  accessories, etc.) work together
  to form a cohesive look.
- Fantasy Race Costuming:
  Creating costumes inspired by
  fantasy races, such as elves,
  dwarves, orcs, and other
  fantastical beings.
- ➤ Garb Creation: Designing and crafting period or fantasy-inspired clothing, including dresses, tunics, and robes.
- ➤ Textiles & Fabrication: Working with fabrics to create periodaccurate textures and patterns, including dyeing, embroidery, or weaving.
- Wig & Hair Styling: Styling and creating period or fantasyinspired wigs, beards, or hairpieces.

### Sculpture

- Stone Carving: Crafting sculptures or reliefs from stone or similar materials.
- ➤ Wood Carving: Shaping and carving wood to create statues, figures, or decorative pieces.
- Clay & Ceramic Sculpture: Creating sculptures from clay, including pottery, figurines, or decorative pieces.
- Metal Sculpture: Crafting sculptures from metal, including welded or forged pieces.
- ➤ Found Object Sculpture: Using repurposed or found materials to create artistic sculptures.
- ➤ Miniatures: Creating smallscale sculptures, often used in gaming, display, or as detailed representations of larger works.
- Mixed Media Sculpture: Combining different materials or media to create threedimensional art.

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### Storytelling

- ➤ Animation: Crafting animated stories, whether 2D, 3D, or stop-motion.
- Digital Art: Creating visual stories through digital mediums, such as graphic design or digital illustrations.
- Dioramas & Models: Constructing detailed models or dioramas to visually represent scenes or stories.
- Photography: Capturing moments or narratives through the lens, telling stories visually.
- ➤ Oral Storytelling: Traditional spoken word storytelling, from myths to personal tales.
- ➤ Recordings: Creating and sharing audio or video recordings that tell a narrative or capture performances.
- Videography: Creating and editing video content that tells a narrative or story.

## Writing

- Creative Writing: Crafting original fiction, poetry, and other imaginative narratives.
- Diaries & Journals: Writing personal reflections or records, often used for character

- development or immersive roleplay.
- ➤ Fan Fiction: Writing stories based on established characters, worlds, or universes.
- ➤ Historical Writing: Crafting narratives or content based on historical events or settings.
- Letters & Correspondence: Writing letters or communication pieces that contribute to character-building or worldbuilding.
- ➤ Roleplay Writing: Creating incharacter narratives or exchanges within a roleplaying context.
- Scripts & Screenplays: Writing dialogue-driven content, such as plays, skits, or screenplays.
- Worldbuilding: Creating detailed settings, rules, and lore for a fictional world.