

How to Become a MAFCA Era Fashion Judge

Era Fashion Committee

Are you considering becoming a fashion judge? Here is a simple guide to a rewarding, fun, and educational experience for current MAFCA members.

Be sure you have MAFCA's most recent publication of the *Fashion Guidelines*. This comprehensive book is the cornerstone to your participation and effectiveness as a fashion judge. You can order the book from MAFCA headquarters.

To begin the process of becoming a fashion judge, you will need to take six "open book" tests. These tests include general questions regarding judging and the five specific fashion categories: Major Garments, Headgear, Coordinated Apparel, Accessories, and Footgear. You will be using the *Fashion Guidelines* to obtain your answers.

The printable version of the tests can be found on-line at the MAFCA website. You may choose how many tests you want to complete at a time. However, in order to become an Apprentice Judge, you will need to complete tests 1-6 successfully to enter the judging program. Complete details regarding fashion judging and the advanced fashion judge certification program are outlined in the *Fashion Guidelines*.

Forward your completed test(s) to the Era Fashion Chairperson at MAFCA headquarters. You will be provided with feedback on your test(s) and your qualification to participate as an Apprentice Fashion Judge at a MAFCA sanctioned meet.

We wish you success and enjoyment as you consider entering another aspect of the Model A Ford hobby. Any questions regarding this process may be directed to the Era Fashion Chairperson at MAFCA headquarters.