The International Cat Association
TICA Junior Exhibitor Program: Senior Novice Level of Achievement

Instructions:
1. **Download** the form.
2. **Open** the form in Adobe Acrobat Reader.
3. **Fill out** the pdf fields.
4. **When printing select 'Fit' to suit your paper size.**

Date:

Junior Exhibitor Information

First Name: Last Name:

Region: Age:

Requirements

Junior Exhibitors must meet the following requirements to advance to the Senior Intermediate Level:

☐ Renew TICA Junior Membership, if expired.

☐ Have a mentor:

Mentors Name:

Mentors email:

Mentors phone:

Mentors signature :

☐ Have a kitten, cat, alter, HHPK, or HHP registered in your name:

Name of cat:

Registration number:

☐ Show in at least 4 TICA shows after earning your Junior Advanced level. Please list the following information on the shows attended. Use back of form to add more if necessary.

Show Name	Date	Entry Number

☐ Participate in a fund raiser for the Junior Exhibitors or your cat club or donate a service/time to the Junior Exhibitors or your club after earning your Junior Advanced level.

Show name: Date:

Service donated:

☐ Participate in at least 2 Junior Exhibitor Rings after earning your Junior Advanced Level.

Show Name	Date	Entry Number

☐ Attend at least one school, seminar or workshop after earning your Junior Advanced level.

Show name: Date:

Seminar/clinic attended:

Signature of Instructor/Witness:

☐ Obtain and read the Clerking Program and retain a copy in Personal Notebook.

☐ Assistant Ring Clerk at 2 shows.

Show Name	Date of Show	Evaluation Performed By

☐ Set up Clerking box. Have the clerking box signed off by Judge or Head Ring Clerk.

Name: Date:

Position:

☐ Secure a copy of both the Current By-Laws and Show Rules for your notebook.

☐ Complete the personal project.

Mentor's signature of receipt of report

☐ Meet your Regional Director. (You only have to introduce yourself if there is a new RD.)

Regional Director's name:

Date of meeting:

☐ Study Questions for Senior Novice Level.

☐ Complete open book test.

Mentor's signature of receipt of test:

I have completed all the requirements listed

Print Name:

Signature:

Date:

Mentor's Signature:

Regional Liaison Signature for advancement to Senior Intermediate Level:

Personal Project: Writing Assignment

Write a report on what you learned while attending a class TICA clerking, Show Rules, By-Laws or in your area of Distinction. Include a self-evaluation and a judge's evaluation in your report.

Senior Novice Level Questions

Do not forget that the questions are comprehensive from the previous levels. You are responsible for the information learned on the previous levels.

When agreeing to clerk, should you assume that the club will handle all the items you might need to clerk? Explain.

What should you have in a clerking kit?

What should you do as a clerk prior to the judge arriving?

Once the judge has arrived, what should you do?

Is it important to listen and write the absentees and transfers?

Once the absentees and transfers are called out what should you do?

What else does a clerk do besides marking the catalog?

Why do you initial the bottom of each yellow slip?

When the judge determines his final, do you call out or announce those numbers? What do you do?

What do you do with the yellow slips?

Why is it important to know the exact count of cats in each class?

Do you mark the clerking catalog with the yellow slips? Why or why not?

At the end of the day, should you give the master clerk the catalog you marked?

At the end of the day, what should you do?

What do you do with the cards at the end of the day?

Open Book Test

1) List 6 items that you should carry in your clerking kit.

2) A judge's duties include setting up the ring cards for the cats they will judge.

- ☐ a) True
- ☐ b) False

3) 3) It is the clerk's job to clean cages after a cat leaves the ring.

- ☐ a) True
- ☐ b) False

4) Explain how to mark the catalog if the results of the class was as follows:

The judge liked cat 262 best, 260 and then 261.

Cat 260 Scottish Fold, Red Mackerel Tabby and White

Cat 261 Scottish Fold, Red Spotted Tabby and White

Cat 262 Scottish Fold, Red Classic Tabby and White

Best of Color	Best of Division
Second Best of Color	Second of Division
Third Best of Color	Third of Division Would the breed

Would the breed plaques be the same as the Division plaques?

5) Explain why it is important to know the exact number competing in each class.

6) Name the six titles a cat can achieve.

7) At the end of the show, you should:

- ☐ a) Give the marked catalog to the Master Clerk
- ☐ b) File the number cards numerically for the next day
- ☐ c) Clean your area
- ☐ d) All of the above