



BRITISH GLOVE ASSOCIATION STUDENT GLOVE DESIGN COMPETITION 2010

The British Glove Association, in association with the Worshipful Company of Glovers, is delighted to announce its Student Design Competition 2010; the purpose of the competition is to encourage students to create original yet practical glove designs. Each entry should consist of a design for one pair of gloves.

COMPETITION CATEGORIES

CATEGORY 1

Design a pair of Gloves for the Lady Mayoress to wear during the Lord Mayor's Show in the City of London in November 2010.

Thought should be given to the type of outfit you will be complementing with these gloves. It is possible that the winning glove could be made up for the Lady Mayoress to wear so it should be possible to easily change the colour of your design as the gloves will have to complement the outfit chosen.

Each entry should be securely mounted on one side only of an A3 Board, with no attachments

Marks out of 10 will be given for each of the following:

1. The overall design of the glove.
2. Suitability for the Lady Mayoress.
3. Technical drawings to show how the glove would be manufactured.
4. Swatches of leathers/fabrics for the designs should be included and their suitability will be judged.
5. Research into the requirements for this occasion.

When looking at the design, the judge will consider marks out of 10 for the five points above, giving each entry an overall mark out of 50

CATEGORY 2

Design a pair of warm winter gloves for kids for Autumn/Winter 2010.

Think about fashion trends for kidswear for AW2010, what materials will be practical for kids as well as warm and affordable for the parents. Suggest a retail outlet who would sell your design and a suggested retail price.

Each entry should be securely mounted on one side only of an A3 Board, with no attachments

Marks out of 10 will be given for each of the following:

1. Overall design.
2. Technical drawings to show how the glove would be manufactured.
3. Swatches of suitable materials.
4. Suitability for the retail outlet chosen and retail price.
5. Trend research showing why you have chosen your theme/colours.

When looking at the design, the judge will consider marks out of 10 for the five points above, giving each entry an overall mark out of 50

CATEGORY 3

Design a pair of gloves for use in an industrial environment.

Think about what type of jobs would require gloves for protection, warmth, grip etc. Suggested industries include: Manufacturing, Cleaning, Gardening, Police Force, Fire Brigade etc.

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Marks out of 10 will be given for each of the following:

1. The overall design of the glove.
2. Technical drawings to show how the glove would be manufactured.
3. Swatches of suitable materials.
4. Evidence of appropriate research.
5. Suitability for the design for the industry selected.

When looking at the design, the judge will consider marks out of 10 for the five points above, giving each entry an overall mark out of 50

PRIZES AND AWARD CEREMONY

- **CATEGORY 1 PRIZES**

Winner: £300 plus a framed Certificate, and lunch at the Prizegiving ceremony.

Runner-up: £100 plus a framed Certificate, and lunch at the Prizegiving ceremony.

- **CATEGORY 2 PRIZES**

Winner: £300 plus a framed Certificate, and lunch at the Prizegiving ceremony.

Runner-up: £100 plus a framed Certificate, and lunch at the Prizegiving ceremony

- **CATEGORY 3 PRIZES**

Winner: £300 plus a framed Certificate, and lunch at the Prizegiving ceremony

Runner-up: £100 plus a framed Certificate, and lunch at the Prizegiving ceremony

- **DENTS PRIZE FOR THE MOST COMMERCIAL DESIGN**

All entries will be automatically considered for the award of a prize for the most commercial design, the prize for which will be £500, a framed certificate, a week's work experience at Dents and lunch at the Prizegiving ceremony.

- **SILVER SALVER**

The Silver Salver, inscribed with the college name and year, will be awarded to the college judged to have contributed the best designs from the final selection of 50 designs.

The Salver will be held by the college for one year, and the course tutor will be given a framed certificate and lunch at the Prizegiving ceremony.

The winning college will also be awarded honorary BGA membership for the year following the Prizegiving.

The prize-giving will take place in July 2010 at a formal lunch in a prestigious City of London venue. The first prize-winner in each of the three categories, with their Head of Department or Course Administrator, and the three Runners-up, together with the winner of the most commercial design and his/her Head of Department or Course Administrator, and the recipient of the Silver Salver, will be our guests. Award winning students may also bring, at their own expense, one personal guest to the event (the cost has normally been about £70).

RULES AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Entries:

- All Categories: Each entry should be securely mounted on **one side only of an A3 board, with no attachments**, and include the design, materials and all other information requested in the category brief;
- Students may submit more than one entry per Category, but each entry must be on a separate board as stated above;
- Students may submit separate entries for more than one Category;
- All entries should include the entrant's full name, college/university represented and contact details including telephone number, address and e-mail address.
- ALL entries will be considered for the Dents prize for the most commercial design

Judging:

- The panel of judges will be selected from Glove Manufacturers, Leather Manufacturers, Glove Buyers and Designers;
- The decision of the judges is final.

Supplementary Information:

- The British Glove Association may retain winning entries for a period of up to 12 months for display and publicity purposes, after which they may be requested to be returned to the college;
- Once postage costs have been ascertained, please purchase stamps to the same value and forward to the BGA so that the students' designs can be posted back to you after the prize-giving event. Unfortunately we are unable to accept cheques;
- Entry constitutes permission to use an entrants' name in any directly associated publicity material;
- The Rules are clearly stated and should not be modified. Entries not meeting the rules will be disqualified. The decision of the Judges is final.

All designs must be submitted by 31 March 2010 to:

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