

Prepared Speech

Career Competition

Career Cluster: Leadership

State Qualifying Exam: No National Contest: Yes Participation: Individual

Competition Description

To evaluate each competitor's ability to prepare and present clearly and effectively a series of thoughts relating to the conference theme: No Limits.

Tasks To Be Evaluated

This competition assesses public speaking skills through delivery of a five- to seven-minute speech.

Clothing Requirement

National Requirement: Class A: SkillsUSA Official Attire

- Official SkillsUSA red blazer or official SkillsUSA red jacket
- Button-up, collared, white dress shirt
 (accompanied by a plain, solid black tie or
 SkillsUSA black tie), white shirt (collarless or
 small-collared) or white turtleneck, with any
 collar not to extend into the lapel area of the
 blazer, sweater, windbreaker or jacket
- Black dress slacks or black dress skirt (kneelength at minimum)
- Black dress shoes

State Requirement:

National Requirement OR Business Professional Attire.

Provided by Competitor

 All competitors must create a one-page resume and submit a hard copy to the technical committee chair at the orientation.

Provided by Technical Committee

- Stopwatch
- Timecards