Job Skills Demonstration OPEN

Career Competition

Career Cluster: Leadership

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

Competition Description
Evaluate each competitor's ability to demonstrate and explain an entry-level technical skill used either in the occupational area for which he or she is training or outside the training area.

Tasks To Be Evaluated
The competition requires a demonstration performing an occupational skill accompanied by a clear explanation of the topic using experiments, displays or practical operations.

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 (knee-length at minimum)
- Black dress shoes

State Requirement:
National Requirement OR Business Professional Attire.

Provided by Competitor
- All materials and equipment needed for the demonstration to be completed two times, once for the preliminaries and again for the finals, if required.
- All competitors must create a one-page resume and submit a hard copy to the technical committee chair

Provided by Technical Committee
- Timekeeper
- A performance space of 8'x12' that contains one table and one duplex (two plug-ins) 120-volt (15-amp) electrical outlet

Additional Information
*The demonstration is an individual performance; however, assistants may be used to set up and dismantle the demonstration if it is very heavy or large. Otherwise, the competitor is responsible for setting up the demonstration. Models or assistants may be used in the demonstration but will not say or do anything that assists the demonstration other than serve as a model as needed, e.g., facial, clothing design demonstration, etc.