

WOODWORKING DISPLAY

GENERAL CONTEST RULES:

The contest is for any woodworking project that is considered an accessory to a structure. The entire project may be constructed out of any make of wood or laminate that is related to the field of woodworking. Displays may include but not limited to the following examples: Book Cases, Coffee Tables, Cabinets, Armoires, or China Hutches.

PURPOSE:

- To develop competency skills in the area of woodworking.
- To develop an appreciation for positive competition.
- To relate technology/career instruction to a chosen career path.

ELIGIBILITY:

Open to an individual student or one team of 2-3 active SkillsUSA members per chapter.

SUBMISSION:

The individual or team will submit project onsite at the SkillsUSA Georgia State Leadership and Skills Conference per the conference program. A preliminary judging round will be held and a maximum of 7 projects will be selected to move on to the final judging. The final individuals or teams will also be interviewed by a panel of judges.

All contestants will take the PDP test and submit a resume.

CLOTHING REQUIREMENTS:

For Men:

Official red blazer or jacket, black dress slacks, white dress shirt, plain black tie with no pattern or SkillsUSA black tie, black socks, and black shoes OR Professional/Business dress.

For Women:

Official red blazer or jacket, black dress slacks or skirt, with businesslike white, collarless blouse or white blouse with small, plain collar that may not extend onto the lapels of the blazer, black sheer or skin-tone hose, and black shoes OR Professional/Business dress.

AWARDS:

Gold, Silver and Bronze medals will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. The winner of this contest does not advance to the National SkillsUSA Leadership and Skills Conference.

CONTEST GUIDELINES:

1. The individual or team must adhere to the following format:
 - a. Complete a notebook, display board, and project in which demonstrate progressive steps of the procedure. Photo documentation is required both in the notebook and on the backboard.
2. Each individual entry or team will be interviewed about his/her project.
3. The notebook should be no more than 10 pages (excluding table of contents and title page) and will receive a point deduction if it is more than 10 pages in length.

4. Display board must show career opportunity and progressive progress.
 - a. Left side of display board – career opportunities
 - b. Right side of display board – training requirements
 - c. Center of display board – project information
5. Career objectives of the contestants should be a portion of the oral interview.
6. The actual project must be displayed for judging. Slides, tapes, and other multimedia may not be used to present the project.
7. The individual or team is responsible for set-up of project prior to competition and for removal of his/her project at the conclusion of the contest.

All contestants will take the PDP test and this score will be used in the event of a tie.

All contestants must submit a resume at the time of the contest.

EVALUATION CRITERIA:

1. BACKBOARD – 10%
 - a. Three adjoining sides and freestanding
 - b. Middle section will contain the pathway area name and potential job sites, employers, etc.
 - c. Left section will contain typed information, pictures, pamphlets, or creative drawings that describe the educational skill preparation necessary for job entry.
 - d. Right section will contain pictures and typewritten interview between contestant and potential employer.
 - e. Size will not exceed 4'L x 4'W x 4'H.
2. NOTEBOOK – 15%
 - a. Skills learned
 - b. Description of project
 - c. Planning process
 - d. Procedure and documentation (to include cost analysis, documentation of hours spent on preparation, goals and objective).
 - e. Drawing (if applicable).
 - f. Evaluation of project
 - 1) Current usage/future trends
 - 2) Projects strongest points
 - 3) Difficulties encountered (why and how to avoid next time)
 - 4) Knowledge gained
 - g. No front and back page set-up (one side only).
 - h. 10 page maximum length excluding title page and table of contents.
3. PROJECT – 50%
 - a. Provided space for display of project will be 4'L x 4'W x 4'H.
 - b. Commercial kits will not be allowed (result in disqualification).
 - c. No on-site demonstrations.
 - d. Project must be the work of the contestant.
4. ORAL INTERVIEW – 25%
 - a. Knowledge & Accuracy of Project.
 - b. Presentation Skills (eye contact, voice quality)
 - c. Employability Skills, career aspirations.

d. Personal Appearance

SUGGESTED QUESTIONS FOR THE JUDGES:

1. Why did you choose to select this project?
2. What were the major steps you used to complete the project?
3. Where was the project assembled?
4. How long did it take from beginning to completion?
1. What material did you use?
2. How much did the materials costs?
3. If you had the opportunity to construct this project again, what changes would you make? Why?
4. How does this project relate to your career path?
5. Are there jobs related to your project in the area where you reside (live)?
6. How will this career path contribute to achieving success in life?

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Items Evaluated	Possible Points																		
Notebook																			
Learned Skills	2																		
Project Description	2																		
Planning Process	2																		
Procedures & Documentation	2																		
Blueprint or Project Design	2																		
Evaluation of Project	2																		
Notebook Set-Up (10 page limit, neat, creative, typed)	3																		
Backboard																			
Set-Up	5																		
Sections	5																		
Project: Size Requirement Maximum 4'L x 4W x 4'H																			
Documentation on showing rough plans, pictures and explanations in a ring notebook that clearly demonstrates proof of student work.	10																		
Workmanship and Quality of Work: (Skills used to increase employability, safety procedures used, record keeping techniques, project compatible with career goal)	25																		
Appearance of Project/Display	10																		
Evidence of Relevance of Project for current and future use	5																		
Oral Interview																			
Knowledge & Accuracy of Project Presentation on Skills (eye contact, voice quality)	10																		
Employability Skills, Career Aspirations	5																		
Personal Appearance	5																		
Subtotal Points	100																		
Point Deduction																			
Dress Code Violation	-25																		
No Resume Penalty	-25																		
Exceeds page limit for notebook	-5																		
Exceeds size requirement	-25																		
Total Points																			