

District 13 SkillsUSA Competition Regulations

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PURPOSE

Our purpose is to promote leadership and trade excellence in a competitive situation and give District 13 SkillsUSA Texas student members the opportunity to demonstrate the basic skills of their field. District 13 SkillsUSA competitions determine the eligibility of a student to compete at the state level of SkillsUSA.

All contestants should refer to the General regulations found in the National Technical Standards.

Competitions

Contests listed and approved for SkillsUSA members in the SkillsUSA CHAMPIONSHIPS TECHNICAL STANDARDS will be conducted at the district level as closely to national standards as possible. A contest will be provided,

- when two or more chapters report eligible contestants for a competition.
- If only one chapter reports a contestant in a competition that competitor must be evaluated at the district competition to be eligible to represent District 13 SkillsUSA at the Texas SkillsUSA Championships.

District 13 Leadership Development and Occupationally Related Contests

- Each Advisor may enter 2 students in each contest.
- Each Advisor may enter 1 team in each leadership and occupationally related team contest.

District 13 Skilled and Technical Sciences Contests

- Each Advisor may enter two (2) students in an individual skill contest for the approved occupation for which they are or have had training. An individual student may not enter more than oneskilled and technical contests, Each Advisor may enter 1 team in each skilled and technical sciences contests.

- **District 13 Delegate Meeting**

Each Texas chapter will have one delegate plus one delegate for each group of 10 or major fraction of 10.

i.e. 16 members = 3 voting delegates 15 members = 2 voting delegates

Delegates are required to wear their delegate ribbon to be able to vote

Job Exhibits

Refer to the Student Job Exhibit General Rules in the Texas Regulations. Each student may enter one individual job exhibit. Job exhibit notebooks should include all information required in general regulations and a district project card.

District 13 SkillsUSA is not responsible for the loss or damages to any job exhibit. District 13 SkillsUSA is not responsible for setting your project in the correct area. Be sure to follow instructions at the competition to ensure your project is graded correctly.

Substitutions

Leadership Development and Technical Skilled Competitions – Substitutions must be made one week prior to registration pick up. This must be completed with the online substitution form and emailed to your district director. Substitutions may not be made on site.

Team Events: **Advisors** will notify the district director if a qualified contestant is unable to attend no later than 1 week before competition. No more than 50% of a team may be substituted.

Substitutions may be made for any member of a team provided the substitute:

1. Was a paid SkillsUSA member by the state deadline
2. Is a member of the local chapter entering the contest.

Grievance

The SkillsUSA Texas District 13 Director or a designated Advisory Board member will chair the Grievance committee at the SkillsUSA Texas District 13 Contest.

- a. The advisor must submit in writing the rule from the Technical Standard or the Texas Regulations that was not followed.
- b. Action will then be taken on any suggestion for improvement or resolution properly presented to the SkillsUSA Texas District 13 Grievance Committee.
- c. Upon evaluation of the grievance report, the SkillsUSA Texas District 13 Grievance Committee will notify the teacher filing the report of the actions taken by cell phone.
- d. All Grievances will be filed at scheduled times.