



## **Student of the Year**

### **Purpose**

To promote the highest degree of individual student achievement and involvement in SkillsUSA and to recognize the individual who best exemplifies this degree of achievement and involvement.

### **Clothing Requirements**

SkillsUSA official attire should be worn.

### **Eligibility**

This contest is open to all active SkillsUSA members.

### **Deadline**

The Student of the Year notebook portion of the entry is to be mailed with the Pre-Judged Entry Form to the address announced by the SkillsUSA Virginia state advisor. The entry must be postmarked by April 1, 2024

### **Exhibit of Entries**

Student of the Year notebooks may be viewed on the day of the Skills Championship.

### **Pickup of Entries**

Student of the Year notebooks must be picked up by 2 p.m. on Saturday of the SLC.

### **Equipment and Materials (Examination and Interview)**

1. **Supplied by SkillsUSA Virginia:**
  - a. No. 2 pencils
  - b. Tables

- c. Chairs
- d. Copies of the examination, one per competitor
- e. Four copies of potential interview questions

**2. Supplied by the contestant:**

- a. Student of the Year notebook
- b. One-page, typewritten résumé
- c. Verification form
- d. Pre-judged entry form

### **Scope of the Contest**

1. Competition will be based on a written examination, personal interview in official SkillsUSA dress, and documentation presented in an official SkillsUSA notebook.
2. The written examination may be based on the materials presented in the *SkillsUSA Leadership Handbook*.
3. The time frame for the district-level competition is from the previous year's district competition to one week prior to the current year's competition, with the exception of PD activities.
4. The time frame for the state-level competition is from the previous year's state competitions to two weeks prior to the current year's competition, with the exception of PD activities.
5. The contestant, SkillsUSA advisor, and a school administrator must sign a page verifying the documentation of activities. This verification form must be on the first page of the notebook
6. Documentation must be submitted in the order presented on the scorecards.