

Purpose: To evaluate each competitor's preparation for employment and to recognize outstanding students for excellence and professionalism in the field of residential and commercial carpentry.

On-Site/Off-Site	 On-Site
Contest Date	 4/9/2024
Contest Location	Convention CenterD-Hall
Early/Normal Start Time	 Early Start Time Registration will open at 8:00am. Please report to B-Hall Show Office for Registration. Competition will begin at 9:00am.
Contest Open/Closed	OpenExhibit Halls do not open to observers until 12:00pm.
Eligibility	 This contest has a Regional Qualifier Contest. The top three (3) candidates from the Regional Qualifiers will proceed to the State Championship Contest.
Competition Clothing (To be worn on Day 1)	 Work/School Attire: Field specific work clothing required for the work environment or that matches the service conditions for the contest. This may include jeans if they are clean and professional looking and are accepted in the respective field (no holes or overly soiled pants). Shoes or work boots with a hard sole and anti-slip properties. Clothing should be as such that it will not get caught in moving equipment or power tools. Professional attire worn in the classroom (school uniforms) such as a criminal justice uniform, chef attire, health scrubs, or

Safety Equipment Required	 cosmetology scrubs etc. may be worn if they meet the above requirements. Note: School identifiers and contestant names must be covered. Safety glasses with side shields or goggles (Prescription glasses can be used only if they are equipped with side shields. If not, they must be covered with goggles).
	 SkillsUSA Official Attire: Official SkillsUSA red blazer Button-up, collared, white dress shirt (accompanied by a plain, solid black tie or SkillsUSA black tie), or white shirt (collarless or small-collared), with any collar not to extend into the lapel area of the blazer Black dress slacks or black dress skirt (knee-length at minimum) Black closed-toe dress shoes Note: Wearing socks or hose is no longer required. If worn, socks must be black dress socks, and hose must be either black or skintone and seamless/nonpattern
Awards Ceremony Attire (To be worn on Day 2)	Or,
	 Business Dress: Blazer, sports coat, or dress Button-up, collared, white dress shirt (accompanied by a plain, solid black tie or SkillsUSA black tie), or white shirt (collarless or small-collared), with any collar not to extend into the lapel area of the blazer Dress slacks or dress skirt (knee-length at minimum) Closed-toe dress shoes Note: Wearing socks or hose is no longer required. If worn, socks must be black dress socks, and hose must be either black or skintone and seamless/nonpattern
Testing	 There is no written test required for this competition.
Provided by Contestant (Tool List)	 Emergency Medical forms will be required, but not collected. Contestants will need to keep their medical form in their contestant badge. Professional Resume (possibly for attending contractors)

	Coping saw
	Two #2 pencils/Sharpie Marker
	Claw hammers (1 trim and 1 framing)
-	Calculator – (Can be a Construction Master)
-	Combination square and/or speed square
-	1 pair of slip joint pliers
	1 set of nail sets
-	Cat's paw nail puller
	Tape measure
	Framing square
	Utility knife
	10-point crosscut saw
	Chalk box and line
-	Hard sole work boots/shoes
-	Gooseneck pinch bar
-	Safety glasses and hard hat
	Combination wood rasp and file (4 in 1)
-	Carpenter's tool pouch
-	25' extension cord (UL approved grounded)
-	2–10″ "C″ clamps/2–6R clamps
-	Ground fault circuit interrupter
-	Hand broom and dustpan
-	Straight aviation snips or metal cutting snips
-	Block pane
-	Screw gun and variable speed drill
-	Two-foot level / Four Foot Level
-	Tip holder and two #2 Phillips tips for screw gun
-	Chisel set (1/4" – 1")
-	Portable sawhorses
	Hand screwdriver set
	Power circular saw with new carbine – tipped blade
-	Putty knife
-	Drill Bits
-	Hack Saw
· ·	Drywall T-Square
· ·	Drywall saw
-	2 Quick Grip Clamps
•	Stair gauges (optional)

	 Two-three Compound Miter Saws will be supplied for community use if needed. No other tools or reference materials are permitted. If a contestant is using any tools that are not included on this list, which will be considered an unfair advantage and that contestant will not be permitted to use them. All tools must be in good working order. Any tool considered unsafe or not in good working order by judging staff will not be allowed to be used. Safety glasses, hard hats, work boots and a ground fault circuit interrupter are required for each contestant. Suggested use of appropriate work gloves.
Contest Notes, Themes, & Deadlines	■ N/A
Special Notes	 Starting in 2024, all State Contests will begin to add a scenario- based component. Contact with Contest Coordinators is prohibited. Contact with Contest Coordinators outside of the SkillsUSA Ohio office may result in contestant disqualification. All safety requirements will be heavily enforced. Violation may result in contestant disqualification. No smart watches and/or phones are permitted during the contest and/or in contest. No contact with anyone outside of the contest area once the contest begins. No inappropriate communication between contestants such as verbally degrading another contest. No cheating on any portion of the contest such as informing another contestant of the skills/test prior to competing. Starting in 2024, Wi-Fi is provided for contests where it is required for contest success.
National Technical Standards	 Please refer to the 2023-2024 National Technical Standards for all contests. Any and all standards included may be tested in any competition. In conjunction with National Standards, violations may result in student loss of contest.

Resume/Interview Requirement	 All SkillsUSA Ohio State Championship Contests will require a short interview component. Students should be prepared with basic job interview skills. All contestants must have a hard copy of a one (1) page personal resume.
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