



Criminal Justice

To evaluate a team's ability to conduct a crime scene investigation.

On-Site/Off-Site	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● On-Site
Contest Date	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 3/18/2025
Contest Location	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Convention Center ● C172 & C162
Early/Normal Start Time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Normal Start Time ● Registration will open at 8:00am. Please report to B-Hall Show Office for Registration. ● Competition will begin at 10:00am.
Contest Open/Closed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Closed ● This contest is closed to observers, instructors, and advisors.
Eligibility & Contest Type	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Please refer to the Program Guidelines for eligibility- https://www.ohioskillsusa.org/resources/ ● Regional Qualifier Contest (Must attend and place in the top 4 at Regionals to Qualify to Compete at State Level)
Clothing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>For Competition Day the Dress Code is:</u> Class E ● <u>For the Awards Ceremony the Dress Code is:</u> Class A or Class J ● 2025 SkillsUSA Ohio Clothing Guide
Safety Equipment Required	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● N/A
Testing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Students should be prepared to take a written knowledge test.
Provided by Contestant (Tool List)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Do not bring any type of simulated firearm to the contest. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Failure to comply will result in disqualification from the contest and may result in additional disciplinary action.</i> ● One hard copy of a 1-page personal resume ● One 8x11 legal pad

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Black ink pen ● Small pocket notebook ● Duty Belt (nylon or leather) and following items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Semi-Automatic Pistol Holster (training/inert weapon will be provided during the contest by the evaluator). ○ Handcuff case ○ Handcuffs with key ○ Flashlight and flashlight holder ○ Athletic/running shoes and cloths (used during fitness test – must be school appropriate) ● Signed and completed medical form
<p>Contest Notes, Themes, & Deadlines</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● At the 2025 State Competition - Demonstrate the proper use of firearms and less-than-lethal options & bag and label evidence will NOT be required for competition. (National Technical Standard CJ 3.0 & CJ 7.4) ● At the 2025 State Competition - Participants will NOT perform a physical pat down as part of the competition but should be prepared to explain the procedure. (National Technical Standard CJ 8.9) ● Each contestant will be given a check list of workstations. ● Each contestant will rotate through and complete each scenario/workstation. ● Each contestant will be scored by each individual workstation judge or judges. ● Gender integrity will be maintained at workstations requiring physical contact. ● Contestant must be able to complete a physical fitness test IAW OPOTA (at 50%) requirements (Cooper Standard Fitness Test.) ● Failure to bring required equipment will result in a reduction in scoring.
<p>WIFI Provided?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● No
<p>Special Notes/Rules for All Contests</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Started in 2024, all Skilled Trade State Contests (most leadership contests already use scenarios) will begin to add a scenario-based component. ● <u>Wi-Fi will NOT BE AVAILABLE unless listed above</u> . If you need WIFI access please plan to bring a hotspot. ● All safety requirements will be heavily enforced. Competitors are to follow all safety standards and OSHA Regulations ● <i>Contestants MUST HAVE A COPY OF THEIR EMERGENCY MEDICAL FORM IN THEIR NAME BADGE AT ALL TIMES</i> ● <u>THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE PROHIBITED; VIOLATION OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING MAY RESULT IN COMPETITOR DISQUALIFICATION:</u>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Contact with Contest Coordinators is prohibited. Contact with Contest Coordinators outside of the SkillsUSA Ohio is strictly prohibited. ● Possession of smart watches and/or phones during the contest and/or in contest. ● Contact with anyone outside of the contest area once the contest begins. ● Inappropriate communication between contestants such as verbally degrading another contest. ● Cheating on any portion of the contest such as informing another contestant of the skills/test prior to competing. ● Lack of Copy Emergency Medical Form in Name Badge.
<p>National Technical Standards</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Please refer to the 2024-2026 National Technical Standards for all contests. All standards included may be tested in any competition. ● In conjunction with National Standards, lack of understanding of State Level competition standards (this document) may result in student loss of contest.
<p>Resume/Interview Requirement</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All SkillsUSA Ohio State Championship Contests will require a short interview component. Students should be prepared with basic job interview skills. ● All contestants <u>must have a hard copy</u> of a one (1) page personal resume.