Opening and Closing Ceremony

**CONTEST DATE & LOCATION:** Refer to the Kansas State Championship Conference Packet

**PURPOSE:** To evaluate the contestants’ understanding of the symbolic representation of the colors and assembled parts of the SkillsUSA emblem and to evaluate teamwork and professional presentation skills.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Team of seven. Open to a team of seven active SkillsUSA members. The team need not be comprised of officers, and team members may be from more than one section, but team members must be organized under one local charter and active members in the same division.

**CLOTHING REQUIREMENT:** For Men: Official blazer, or jacket; black dress slacks; white dress shirt; plain black tie with no pattern or the SkillsUSA black tie; black socks and black shoes.

For Women: Official blazer, or jacket; black dress slacks or knee-length 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 seamless hose and black dress shoes.

Official attire

**CONTEST PREPARATION:** Follow the Technical Standards guidelines.

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