Diesel Equipment Technology

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

PURPOSE: To evaluate each contestant’s preparation for employment and to recognize outstanding students for excellence and professionalism in the field of diesel equipment technology.

ELIGIBILITY: Open to active SkillsUSA members enrolled in programs with diesel equipment technology as the occupational objective.

CLOTHING REQUIREMENT: Unless the contest chair says otherwise, students are required to wear the Official SkillsUSA Kansas T-shirt and blue jeans (no tears, holes, or bagginess) clean and neat with appropriate shoes for contest or Official SkillsUSA white polo shirt with black dress slacks, black socks and black leather shoes.

* 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.)

Official SkillsUSA blue work shirt attire

NOTE: The Official Kansas State T-shirt will be mailed to schools prior to the competition.
Penalties

Resume:
- 10 points for not having one-page resume at time of check-in

Clothing:
- 10 points for shirt not tucked in
- 10 points for no eye protection
- 10 points for frayed jeans
- 10 points for improper foot wear
- 10 points for unsafe jewelry (i.e. necklace, bracelets, etc.)

NEW THIS YEAR

The scoring of the contest is listed below so there will be no confusion of how the participants will be judged.

Scoring:

12 stations- each station is worth 75 points
Employability/Soft Skills Written Test
ASE Test – taken at the beginning is worth 100 points.

Total for contest is 1000 points (Note: last year’s contest was out of 1300 points) to align with nationals being 1000 points. Below is the minimums to medal and receive prizes

High school

Gold- 62.5% or 625 points
Silver- 60% or 600 points
Bronze- 57.5% or 575 points

Post-Secondary

Gold- 72.5% or 725 points
Silver- 70% or 700 points
Bronze- 67.5% 675 points

Jim Walsh from Truck Center Companies is the chair this year (jwalsh@truckcentercompanies.com)