

Broadcast News Contest Update (02/6/2024)

Please refer to the *SkillsUSA Championship Technical Standards 2023-24*The scope of the contest will be drawn from these standards.

Standards available at www.skillsusa.org

Contest guidelines call for students to "fully" produce (plan, write, and record) a 3 minute newsbreak production. Students will be supplied printed newscopy. They are to use up to six of the stories to write a 3 minute newsbreak. Students are to roll an opening video, which will be supplied. Students will be judged in the categories of anchor presentation, technical directing and floor directing..

Format of the Contest: The contest will consist of a four person team: Two anchors, a Technical Director and a Floor Director. Teams will be judged on their presentation and professionalism. Please refer to the National Contest Description for further possible judging criteria.

Resumes required at check in contest morning. One-page type written résumé. The résumé will be 10% of the score. Resume rubric available at www.skillsusava.org Submission information will be provided.

Clothing requirement: Official SkillsUSA dress or professional dress

Contestant Cell phones <u>are not to be seen</u> or used during competition. Automatic penalties will be applied for those who do not comply.