

Computer Programming



Purpose: To evaluate each contestant's preparation for employment and to recognize outstanding students for excellence and professionalism in the field of computer programming.

Contest Location	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ B-Hall
Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Please refer to the National Technical Standards for this contest. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>May send 2 competitors per school</i>
Clothing	<p>Business Casual: Polo or other collared shirt and khakis or dress pants; NO JEANS. If a school logo, contestant name, or other identifier is listed on the shirt this must be covered.</p>
Testing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Students should be prepared to take a written SkillsUSA knowledge test. (Provided to all contestants).
Provided by Contestant (Tool List)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Desktop computer/monitor or laptop ▪ Visual Basic, Java, JavaScript, C#, RPG software (or equivalent toolsets) ▪ One copy only of the coding reference manual of the language in which they will code the program ▪ Ballpoint pens or sharpened pencils ▪ Blank notebook paper ▪ Power Strip ▪ You will not have access to Wi-Fi ▪ *Special note- ensure ALL software needed for the contest works without the school WIFI and outside of their system PRIOR to the CONTEST DAY. ▪ All competitors must create a one-page resume and submit a hard copy to the technical committee chair at orientation. Failure to do so will result in a 10-point penalty
Special Notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Exhibit Halls do not open to observers until 12:00 pm. ▪ No smart watches and/or phones are permitted during the contest and/or in the contest ▪ No contact with anyone outside of the contest area once the contest begins

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ No inappropriate communication between contestants such as verbally degrading another contestant ▪ No cheating on any portion of the contest such as informing another contestant of the skills/test prior to competing.
National Technical Standards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Please Refer to the 2022-2023 National Technical Standards for all contests. All standards included may be tested in any competition. ▪ In conjunction with National Standards, violations may result in student loss of contest.
Resume	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All SkillsUSA Ohio State Championship Contest 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.