Welcome Back to School
2019-2020 Theme
SkillsUSA Champions at Work
I'm Ready

Mark your calendars for important 2019-2020 SkillsUSA WV dates.

August 27 WLTI Registration Deadline
September 21-25 WLTI in Washington, DC
*Registration is now open COMPLETE ALL REGISTRATION FIELDS

September 23- Fall Conference T-Shirt design contest Deadline
October 1 Fall Conference Registration Deadline
October 30-31 Fall Conference, Cedar Lakes
*Additional fee options available
*Registration is now Open COMPLETE ALL REGISTRATION FIELDS
*The fee increased from $90 to $95 due to room cost increase

January 31 Dues Deadline

March 20 SLSC Registration Deadline
April 17-18 SLSC, Fairmont WV

**Note: No exceptions will be made for late entries. Please plan early and according to the above deadlines. NO EXCEPTIONS

Check out our NEW SkillsUSA West Virginia website

Please visit the new SkillsUSA WV website for all the information you will need for the 2019-2020 school year.
- Washington Leadership Training Institute  
September 21-25 -
In the past, ONLY SkillsUSA WV State Officers have attended this conference.

For the 2019 conference, SkillsUSA WV would like to extend an invitation to any student who has shown leadership abilities and interest in attending the conference.

**Registration deadline August 27, 2019**

*Advisor from school must accompany the student.
*Student and advisor fees and transportation to be paid by school.

- 2019 Fall Conference Cedar Lakes, WV  
October 30-31 "Creepin' it real with SkillsUSA" -

We would love for our potential SkillsUSA members to create a t-shirt design depicting our theme for the 2019 Fall Conference.
**T-Shirt design DEADLINE September 23, 2019 at 4:00 pm:**

We are so excited about our Fall Conference this year. The state officer team voted to make some exciting changes to engage our students on a higher level. We have several fun activities planned and are opening registration to the first 240 students.

We are planning to host the "**Lead Advisor Training**" during our Fall Conference. One advisor per school is encouraged to attend for state updates, educational materials, and professional development.

Peyton Holland AND SkillsUSA Executive Director, Tim Lawrence, have committed their attendance. Tim Lawrence is a West Virginia native from Mercer County, and retiring in February.

This is a great opportunity for students to attend two fantastic energizing sessions!!

We have additional fee options listed:

1. Arrival on 10/29/2019
2. Dinner 10/29/2019
3. Single Room instead of dorm style lodging for advisors
**Registration deadline October 1, 2019**

**Reminder: Find Medalists, Photos, Scores and Sample Press Releases from NSLC**

The complete list of SkillsUSA Championships winners is now available at: www.skillsusa.org/competitions/skillsusa-championships/results/

For individual scores for contestants only, go to: www.skillsusa-register.org/rpts/EventScoreDetails.aspx. To access these scores, you must have a contestant number and date of birth.

Reminder: A sample editable press release is available on SkillsUSA’s advocacy webpage. This template can be used by state SkillsUSA directors, instructors, parents and others to contact the media about students who competed or participated in some other way (e.g., as a delegate or Courtesy Corps member) during the national conference. The press release can be sent to five media outlets at a time. The site can be reached by going to: www.cqrcengage.com/skillsusa/.

Trade-specific press releases for each contest area are at: www.skillsusa.org/events-training/national-leadership-and-skills-conference/press-kit/. Please feel free to use these when publicizing competitors’ results.

Onstage and backstage photos of all national medalists have been posted here: http://bit.ly/NLSCPhotos.