



## NATIONAL LEADERSHIP & SKILLS CONFERENCE

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### Registration Fees, Deadlines and Types 2024 National Leadership & Skills Conference (NLSC)

#### Registration Opens: April 1, 2024

States may open NLSC registration beginning April 1. Ensure you open registration early enough to allow time for your delegation to register before the national registration close date.

#### Registration Closes: May 14, 2024

No exceptions will be made to this deadline. States can close registration earlier to allow time to double-check registrations and to ensure all attendees have registered as members before the national deadline. May 14 is the deadline for all conference registrations including Activate, Leverage, Engage, Advisor Summit, Delegates and National Officer Candidates.

#### Registration Fees for State Delegations

##### NLSC — \$195 per person (age 11 and over)

Registration includes admission to general sessions at State Farm Arena, access to the SkillsUSA Championships, SkillsUSA TECHSPO, SkillsUSA Academy of Excellence, SkillsUSA University, Champions Festival and includes the official conference pin.

##### Child Session Pass — \$75 per person (age 10 and under)

Registration includes access to conference floor at the Georgia World Congress Center (GWCC), Champions Festival, and admission to general sessions at State Farm Arena.

**NOTE:** See “Other Registrant Types” below for children’s access to GWCC at no cost.

##### Pre-Conference Training — \$175 per person

**Leverage** – State Officers



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### Registrant Types — State Delegations

#### School Registrant Types

- **Contestant:** All students competing in a career competition should register in this category. This includes interview contestants for American Spirit, Chapter Display, Promotional Bulletin Board, Occupational Health and Safety and Outstanding Chapter. Competitors are required to be a SkillsUSA member by March 1.
- **Participant:** Student members, state officers, delegates and students who are models for Esthetics or Nail Care and who are back-ups to competitors should register in this category. Students registered as a participant are required to be a SkillsUSA member at the time registered. Competitor back-ups that are swapped later as a contestant must be a member by March 1. Delegates must also be a member by March 1 to participate as a Delegate onsite at NLSC.
- **Advisor:** SkillsUSA advisors or educators.
- **Administrator:** Principal, Assistant Principal, Counselor, Chancellor, Dean, President, Vice President, Director, Department Head, CTE Director or any other administrator.
- **Models of Excellence:** Participants who have been notified by the SkillsUSA national office that have achieved the highest honor of the Chapter Excellence Program should register in this category. These registrants will be interviewed as Models of Excellence at NLSC. Models of Excellence participants must be a SkillsUSA member by March 1.

#### State Registrant Types

- **State Director:** Each state SkillsUSA director plus one assistant can be registered free of charge. There is a strict limit of two state director registrants.
- **State Office:** This optional registrant type can be used for state officers, the state director's family, or other state personnel to identify additional paid registrants on the NLSC invoice (the state or state director is paying for these registrants). Any state officer who is competing in a career competition **MUST** register as a contestant.





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### Other Registrant Types

- **Children:** Tickets for entertainment venues, or any event not mentioned in the children's registration descriptions below **are not** part of the child's registration. These admissions can be purchased separately onsite.
  - **Child — Free registration (age 10 and under)**  
Registration includes access to SkillsUSA Championships and SkillsUSA TECHSPO at Georgia World Congress Center. Admission to general sessions at State Farm Arena is not included. Purchase the Child Session Pass to include admission to the general sessions.
  - **Child Session Pass – Paid Registration (ages 10 and under)**  
Registration includes access to SkillsUSA Championships and SkillsUSA TECHSPO at Georgia World Congress Center, Champions Festival, and admission to the general sessions at State Farm Arena.
    - Children three and under may sit on an adult's lap at State Farm Arena general sessions at no charge. A separate seat is not reserved. Purchase a Child Session Pass to reserve a seat for children three and under.
- **Guest** — Students who are not SkillsUSA members, chaperones, family members and other attendees not listed above who wish to attend the entire conference and State Farm Arena sessions.
- **Hotel Room Only** — People registered with this type (i.e., bus drivers) will be included on your state online attendee report as attending but will not receive a conference badge and may not attend any events.

**\*Educator Guests:** Registration information will be provided later in March for state associations that have a **first-time** attending education, business and industry or government official VIP who has the influence to shape your state association.



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### NLSC Passes — Opens May 21

All conference participants attending NLSC at the Georgia World Congress Center (GWCC) in Atlanta require badge credentials. The following registrations are open to the public beginning May 21. The registration link will be available on the [national SkillsUSA website](#).

- **Full Conference NLSC Pass — \$195 per person (age 11 and over)**  
Registration includes admission to two general sessions at State Farm Arena, access to the SkillsUSA Championships, SkillsUSA TECHSPO, SkillsUSA Academy of Excellence, SkillsUSA University, Champions Festival.
- **Thursday Only Conference Floor Pass — \$35 per person (age 11 and over)**  
A one day Conference Floor Pass is available for Thursday. Includes access to the SkillsUSA Championships and SkillsUSA TECHSPO at Georgia World Congress Center. **NOTE:** Admission to the State Farm Arena general sessions, Champions Festival, and the Live Watch Event of the Awards Session at GWCC **are not included**.
- **Children**  
Tickets for entertainment venues, or any event not mentioned in the children's registration descriptions are not part of the child's registration. These admissions can be purchased separately onsite.

#### **Child — Free registration (age 10 and under)**

Access to SkillsUSA Championships and SkillsUSA TECHSPO at Georgia World Congress Center. Admission to the general sessions at State Farm Arena and the Champions Festival are not included. Purchase the Child Session Pass for admission to the general sessions.

#### **Child Session Pass — \$75 per person (ages 10 and under)**

Registration includes access to SkillsUSA Championships and SkillsUSA TECHSPO at Georgia World Congress Center, Champions Festival, and admission to the general sessions at State Farm Arena. Children three and under may sit on an adult's lap at State Farm Arena general sessions at no charge. A seat is not reserved. Purchase a Child Session Pass to reserve a seat for children 3 and under.





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- **Live Watch Event at GWCC (Awards Session on Friday, June 23) — \$35 per person**  
Watch the Awards Session via live stream with other supporters at the Georgia World Congress Center (GWCC), directly across the street from State Farm Arena where the general session is taking place.
- **Please note the Awards Session is available to view at no charge via live stream on your personal devices from the SkillsUSA website, and the viewing link will be posted the day of the event.**

### SkillsUSA Championships Volunteer Registrant Types

The SkillsUSA Championships will be providing the link to register volunteers in April to Advisors and other individuals who have committed to support the conference as one of the registrant types below.

- **Technical Chair** — Primary contact for the career competition and responsible for overseeing and running the event.
- **Technical Committee Members** — Committee member for a specific competition who reports to the Technical Chair.
- **Judges** — Assist the Technical Committee in judging and scoring a specific contest on the day of the event.
- **National Education Team (NET)** — This person is an educator who has a signed NET agreement and has been assigned to a specific competition. NOTE: NETs must register for NLSC through the SkillsUSA Championship management team. NETs who register as an advisor with their state delegation will pay the full registration fee. Refunds and credits **will not be given** for NET participants who registered as an advisor with their state delegation and were not cancelled by the May deadline or swapped by the state director during their onsite registration appointment.