

**SkillsUSA South Carolina
State Leadership & Skills Conference**

Esthetics

**Contest Update
2024**

2024 Contest Theme: Doll Face

The competition will follow the posted State Technical Standards, which align with the National Technical Standards, with a few changes, listed below. The below is to help with amendments to the State Technical Standards, so refer to those for the letters mentioned below.

Equipment Supplied by Technical Committee:

- Workstation, which includes:
 - Chair (for model)
 - Small table (for products)
 - Towel steamers
- **Note:** Facial Bed/Table will NOT be provided, the chair provided will be used instead OR see the “Optional Equipment” under Equipment Supplied by Competitor.

Equipment Supplied by Competitor:

- All items necessary for basic facial and massage skills.
 - Cleanser
 - Toner
 - Moisturizer
 - Exfoliator
 - Mask
 - Massage Cream
 - Water
- **Optional Equipment:** Competitors may provide their own Facial Bed/Table if desired. These may be brought to orientation, dropped off prior to the Opening Ceremonies, OR dropped off on Thursday, March 16, 2023 anytime after 1:00 pm. If dropping off anytime prior to the orientation, please have a way to identify the table without giving away the name of the competitor or school.
- Competitors must supply items b. – e. (See State Technical Standards)

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- Amendment to “f.” – All items necessary for fantasy makeup application (use of any item not intended for use on the skin will result in a 10-point penalty. Any products that are found during a kit check or during competition that are not for facial use will be taken, and a 10-point penalty will be applied to the final score. (See State Technical Standards)
- Competitors must supply items g (1-7), h (1-4), i. – s. (See State Technical Standards)

Models must wear the required model attire: Plain black t-shirt, black dress slacks, black belt (if belt loops are present), black leather shoes/black dress style shoes (heels not required).

Knowledge Test:

All competitors will take the Contest Skill test and the PD Test (SkillsUSA Knowledge Test) following directions on the website. Models do not take the tests.

Resume:

All contestants must turn in a resume according to the online submission instructions (listed on state website) by the required deadline. Models do not turn in a resume.