

2024 Cosmetology Related Job Exhibit Contest Guidelines



PURPOSE

To evaluate contestant's mastery of entry level job skills and to recognize outstanding students for excellence and professionalism in the specific cosmetology exhibit category.

GENERAL RULES AND PROCEDURE

- **IMPORTANT NOTE: ONLY THE WORK ON MANIKINS WILL BE ALLOWED IN EXHIBIT. NO TABLE DECORATION OR PROPS ALLOWED. ONLY THE WORK ON MANIKANS WILL BE USED FOR EVALUATION.**
- All student job exhibits must have written documentation in the form of a notebook. Guidelines for this notebook can be found in this document.
- Each student is responsible for bringing, displaying, and removing their entry in the contests.
- Job Exhibit participation is limited to one individual entry per person; Entry consists of one exhibit and one individual notebook.
- The total number of entries per instructor can be up to three (3).
Instructors cannot have entries in all (6) divisions. Only 3 total entries (Secondary or Postsecondary) allowed per instructor. Only one individual job exhibit per student may be entered.
- The rating of the job exhibit will be recorded on the grading sheet by the judges along with any comments the judges feel is important concerning the evaluation. The judges are strongly encouraged but not required to give an explanation on the comments section on appropriate rating sheet.

JUDGING CRITERIA

1. Job exhibit projects should be typical examples of the work that is done by a craftsperson in the field in which they are training.
2. Amount of difficulty, craftsmanship and time needed to achieve the objective of the project will be considered most important when judging.
3. Exhibits should show that students used a higher level of skills and knowledge to create the exhibit.
4. Documentation in the form of a Notebook for the project will be a major consideration.
(See "Notebook Specifications" on the next page)

OBSERVER RULE

Observers will not be allowed in the exhibit area while job exhibits are being judged. After the job exhibits are judged, they will be on display for viewing and may not be removed until designated time.

JOB EXHIBIT DIVISION

Job Exhibit Hair – Women's Long Hair Design
Job Exhibit Makeup – Beauty & Night Makeup
Job Exhibit Nails – Nail Art

Job Exhibit Hair – Short Hair Cut and Design
Job Exhibit Makeup – Fantasy Makeup
Job Exhibit Nails – Acrylic Nails

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Top 3 scores in each division will be presented medals during the SkillsUSA State Leadership and Skills Conference Awards Ceremony.

Gold Medal – 1st Place Score

Silver Medal - 2nd Place Score

Bronze Medal - 3rd Place Score

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

1. Each job exhibit **MUST** be accompanied by a notebook with the exhibit. Notebook can be a 1” 3 ring binder with clear cover sleeve or Report cover w brads with clear cover.
Notebook must contain:
 - A. Cover Sheet
 - a. Student Name
 - b. School Name
 - c. Advisor Name
 - B. Table of Contents
 - C. Four pictures minimum, 2”x3”, of completed project from Multiple angles, including close ups of any important details.
 - D. One image 4x6 of the student and the completed project.
 - E. Resume
 - F. Preface or Introduction: Why chose this job exhibit category. Brief education recap for program studies. Any significance of purpose for the exhibit or value. Quality of writing - correct use of grammar, spelling, vocabulary, document format, project quality, effort, and originality are all factors that will be considered in notebook scoring.
 - G. Body of notebook – project description Student(s) narrative of task
 - H. Detailed descriptions of work. Pre-planning/Brainstorming, Design/Construction, Testing/problems that changed plan, final result.
 - I. Step by step list of tasks performed. Students should include detailed step-by-step description that contains charts and diagrams explaining work performed, specifications, tests, safety considerations, and results
 - J. Drawings, sketches, schematics, measurements, etc.
 - K. List of parts, ingredients, products, etc.
 - L. Tool/Implementation/Equipment/Software List
 - M. Material List (with receipts) or if donated list of items (acknowledge donator)
 - N. Student Work photos - a minimum of six photographs 2”x3” showing the student(s) involvement in each aspect or phase of the job completion. These photos should be time and date stamped, taken from Multiple angles and proximity highlighting quality of work. Photos should depict critical steps and proper safety procedures. Student should be in all of the photos with the work.
2. Jobs exhibits will be rated in each event in accordance with the grade sheet provided in this document.

JOB EXHIBIT “LONG HAIR - FANTASY” SPECIFICATIONS

Not Allowed:

- No hair color allowed on Manikin heads. Exhibit work must be done without any color added to manikin hair.
- No artificial hair additions or props.

JOB EXHIBIT “SHORT HAIR” SPECIFICATIONS

- Short Hair Cut can be done on a women or men’s manikin.
- No hair color allowed on Manikin heads. Exhibit work must be done without any color added to manikin hair.
- No artificial hair additions or props.

JOB EXHIBIT FLAT NAIL ART SPECIFICATIONS

- Allowed: Flat paint nail art application with polish, lacquers, paints, and sealer.
- **5 NAILS ONLY**
- **The following are NOT allowed, if they are the project will be disqualified and not be judged:**
GEMS ●SKINS ●FEATHERS ●RHINESTONES ●CRYSTALS ●TRANSFER FOILS
GLITTERS ●THREADS ●FABRICS ●FOILS ●BEADS ●TAPES ●STAMPING PLATES
JEWELRY ●DECALS ●CAST MOLDING ●3-DIMENSIONAL FORMS ●STENCILS

JOB EXHIBIT ACRYLIC NAILS SPECIFICATIONS

Two Hands:

- Left Hand – Acrylic Nail Tip Application with dark red crème lacquer/polish
- Right Hand - Two-tone/French manicure nails (full sculptured with forms).

JOB EXHIBIT BEAUTY & NIGHT TIME MAKEUP SPECIFICATIONS

- One Manikin: Right side of manikin for Daytime Application and left side of manikin for Night Time Application.
- Hair of manikin must be pulled back in smooth manner with either a headband or pony tail.

JOB EXHIBIT FANTASY MAKEUP SPECIFICATIONS

- Not Allowed: Props, such as hair ornaments, wigs, and jewelry.
- Hair of manikin must be pulled back in smooth manner with either a headband or pony tail.

JOB EXHIBIT NOTEBOOKS

Job Exhibits are designed to allow students to document the real-world knowledge, procedures, and job skills used in their programs. Trainers and live work are all part of the curriculum; therefore, this notebook is intended to allow students to demonstrate and document their ability to perform trade-specific skills within their program. The notebook is calculated as a 200-point value of each job exhibit total rating. This notebook is required for all job exhibits.

RULES

1. All text is typed. The use of preprinted materials such as manuals or course textbooks is allowed only as reference material for technical specifications or procedures and **will not** replace the student narrative.
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