

Maintenance and Light Repair State Contest Information 2025

NO SUBSTITUTIONS WILL BE ALLOWED AFTER MARCH 28, 2025 THERE WILL BE NO SUBSTITUTIONS ALLOWED ON-SITE AT THE CONFERENCE*

***Contest will follow national technical standards unless otherwise stated in the memo.**

The 2025 State SkillsUSA Maintenance & Light Repair (MLR) Contest will be held on April 11th. The contest will be held at Oklahoma City Community College (OCCC) 7777 S. May Avenue, Oklahoma City, OK.

CONTEST FEES

In addition to the regular conference registration, there will be a contest fee of \$35. This charge is to offset the cost of contest supplies. This fee will be added to the contestant's registration when it is completed online.

CONTEST

Registration will begin at 8:00 a.m. and the contest will start promptly at 8:30 a.m. Parking lot H and G will be available for parking during contest. Use lot circled in blue if you bring a bus. Please check in for the contest in the TTC.



TESTING

Contestants will be judged on their SkillsUSA knowledge through the Professional Development test and knowledge test. Testing will be completed online and proctored through their technology centers. Online testing opens March 14, 2025, and closes April 4, 2025. No provisions are being made for make-up testing on-site.

RESUME-

Due to the nature of the contest being a week prior to SLSC please bring resume to contest in person as a paper copy as normal. ****All contestants will still receive the email about a competitor portal, because we can not stop the batch emails from nationals, but will not be punished for not turning in digital resume. Please ignore resume email for this contest. Students must turn in resume at contest and no resumes will be accepted after the contest date.

LUNCH

Contestants will have an hour off for lunch. Lunch will be provided to contestants. A \$20.00 fee to cover the cost of lunch.

INDUSTRY AWARDS

Prize Committee chairperson is Albert Zoll (albert.zoll@mntc.edu) . Please contact the chair with prizes that will need to be checked in. **Each participating school is expected to furnish an industry award.**

Industry awards should be labeled with the name and address of the award supplier so that an appropriate "Thank you" may be sent, must be accompanied by an *industry award donation information sheet* (available on the Oklahoma SkillsUSA website) and be brought to the **awards area in the Conference Hall** at the Arvest Business (formerly Cox) Center on **April 27th between 12:00 & 4:00 or Sunday April 28th 2025 between the hours of 8:00 am and 4:00 PM.**

AWARDS CEREMONY

Winners will be recognized at the General Session on Tuesday morning, April 29th, at 9am at the Arvest Convention Center in the Grand Hall. All competitors must wear official SkillsUSA dress to the Awards Session, where winners are announced. Competitors who are not dressed appropriately or lack official attire will be denied access to the awards stage. Students must be present when their contest is announced. If a student is improperly dressed, absent, or misses their contest being called, the production will not be paused for any reason, and they will forfeit their opportunity to go on stage to receive the award. No exceptions will be made. No hats or sunglasses will be allowed to be worn on stage.

- Official dress for men: Official blazer, jacket or sweater; black dress slacks; white dress shirt; plain black tie with no pattern or SkillsUSA black tie; black socks and black shoes.
- Official dress for women: Official blazer, jacket or sweater; black dress slacks or knee-length skirt with business like white, collarless blouse or white blouse with small, plain collar that may not extend onto the lapels of the blazer, and black dress shoes.

TOOLS AND SUPPLIES

Each contestant will need to bring the following:

- Resume
- Safety glasses (side shields needed if wearing regular glasses)
- #2 Pencil
- Close Toed Shoes

Host School will provide the following:

- Digital Volt/Ohm Meter*

- Scan tool – General Motors GDS2*
 - Service information – Prodemand, Mitchell, Identifix
- *you may bring your own scan tool and/or multimeter if you need to.

Cellphones and Other Smart Devices

Cellphones, electronic watches and/or other electronic devices not approved by a competition's technical committee are NOT allowed in the competition area. Please follow the guidelines in each technical standard for approved exceptions. Technical committee members may also approve exceptions onsite during the SkillsUSA Championships if deemed appropriate.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

If you have any questions about the contest, please contact **Brad Walker** (bwalker@occc.edu) or the program specialist **Phillip Bueno** (Phillip.bueno@careertech.ok.gov).