

Statesman Award Level II Study Guide

1. State the SkillsUSA motto and explain the meaning:

Preparing for Leadership in the World of Work

2. State the components of the SkillsUSA emblem and their meaning:

Shield – patriotism

Gear – industrial society

Torch – knowledge

Orbital circles – technology

Hands – individual

3. State the SkillsUSA colors and their meaning:

Red & White – individual states and chapters

Blue – common union of the states and chapters

Gold – the individual

4. State the six points of the SkillsUSA Creed:

Dignity of work / American way of life / Education / Fair play / Satisfaction is achieved by good work / High moral and spiritual standards

5. State the general duties of the following officers:

President – presides over the meeting

Vice President – takes over in absence of President

Secretary – takes minutes/ correspondence/ roll call

Treasurer – handles all money

Historian – scrapbook/ pictures

Reporter – reports activities

Parliamentarian – keeps order in meetings

6. SkillsUSA Pledge:

Upon my honor, I pledge: To prepare myself by diligent study and ardent practice to become a worker whose service will be recognized as honorable by my employer and fellow workers. To base my expectations of reward upon the solid foundation of service. To honor and respect my vocation in such a way as to bring repute to myself. And, further, to spare no effort in upholding the ideals of SkillsUSA.

7. State a main motion as recognized in Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Revised:

I move (state the motion)

8. Know and state the names of the SkillsUSA New Mexico State Officers:

President – Yulisa Mendez

Vice President – Galilea Alvarado

Secretary – Cassandra Nieto

Historian –

Reporter –

Treasurer –

Post-Secondary President –

Post-Secondary National Officer–

9. State the National SkillsUSA Executive Director and location of National Headquarters:

Chelle Travis, Leesburg, Virginia

10. Give the current SkillsUSA theme and explain what it means to you:

Champions at work: **Our Time is Now**

The theme implies that members have both the tools and the confidence to take on further education or employment in their career field. Name ways that SkillsUSA has prepared you with the tools to enter the workforce?

11. List the three branches of the Federal Government: Executive, Legislative & Judicial

12. Name the Governor of New Mexico. Michelle Lujan Grisham

13. Name the components of the National SkillsUSA Program of Work: Social, Community Service, Public Relations, Employment, Ways and Means, SkillsUSA Championships, Professional Development

14. State what the acronyms “CTE” and “CTSO” stand for:

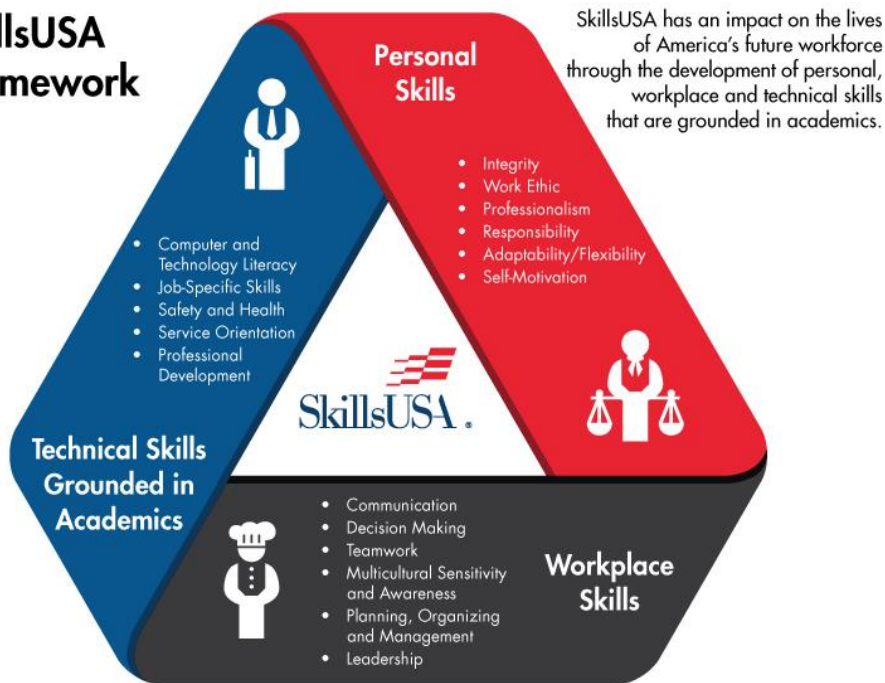
“Career and Technical Education” and “Career and Technical Student Organization”

15. The SkillsUSA mission is to empower its members to...

Become world-class workers and responsible American citizens.

16. SkillsUSA Framework and its components:

SkillsUSA Framework



17. SkillsUSA New Mexico State Director: Jessica Nojek

18. SkillsUSA Opening Ceremony:

- The shield represents patriotism. The shield denotes our belief in democracy, liberty and The American way of life.
- The gear represents the industrial society. The gear, symbolic of the industrial society, denotes the interdependence and cooperation of the individual working with labor and management for the betterment of mankind.
- The torch represents knowledge. The flaming torch reflects the light of knowledge, which dispels the darkness of ignorance. In the light of the torch, progress will be made toward the vocational goals of the individual.
- The orbital circles represent technology. The circles represent the challenge of modern technology and the training needed to accept and master new technical frontiers and the need for continuous education.

- The hands represent the individual. The hands portray a search for knowledge and our desire to acquire a skill. In the process of attaining knowledge and skill, we will develop a respect for the dignity of work and become productive and responsible citizens.

19. Name Change: SkillsUSA's former name was VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America) its name was officially changed September 1, 2004

20. Number of senators serving New Mexico: 42

21. Number of representatives serving in New Mexico: 70

22. The voting age is 18 years of age and it was established in the 26th amendment.

23. The first amendment guarantees: Freedom of religion, speech, press, petition, and assembly.