




# SkillsUSA® Contest Scope

<b>Contest:</b>	<b>Commercial Baking</b>
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<b>Contest Location:</b> 	Reading Muhlenberg CTC 2615 Warren Rd. Reading, PA 19604 Phone: 610-921-7300
<b>Purpose:</b>	To evaluate each contestant's preparation for employment and to recognize outstanding students for excellence and professionalism in the field of baking and pastry arts.
<b>Clothing:</b>	Clean chef pants and chef coat, apron, chef hat and hair net (if necessary), black slip-resistant shoes Any school logos and/or names may not be visible.

## EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS:

<b>Provided by the Host School:</b>	All ingredients, equipment and supplies needed for production of the competition items except for those listed below
<b>Provided by the Contestant:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Digital Scale</li> <li>● Basic cake decorating tips, flower nail, and couplers</li> <li>● Bench Knife</li> <li>● Dry and liquid measuring cups</li> <li>● Large star and round tip</li> <li>● Measuring spoons</li> <li>● Palette knife / Offset Spatulas</li> <li>● Pastry bags</li> <li>● Pastry brush</li> <li>● Bowl Scraper</li> <li>● Rubber Spatulas</li> <li>● Scissors</li> <li>● Serrated knife</li> <li>● Chef knife</li> <li>● Paring knife</li> <li>● Timer</li> <li>● Wire whisk</li> </ul>

## SCOPE OF CONTEST:

<b>Competitors will be required to test their skills in the following areas:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Written exam of 20 multiple choice questions</li> <li>● Students will skillfully prepare products for retail sale while conducting oneself in a professional manner and complying with ServSafe standards</li> </ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Students will demonstrate their multi-tasking skills while preparing various goods which <u>may</u> include the following: decorated cake, pie doughs and/or fillings, cookies, quick breads, yeast breads, pate a choux, laminated and/or sweet dough products</li></ul>
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## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Anything else competitors  
may need to know:

- Students will not be permitted to use the Internet or printed materials for reference.