




# SkillsUSA® Contest Scope

<b>Contest:</b>	<b>Graphics Communications</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 <b>Graphics Communications</b> .
<b>Clothing:</b>	Contest appropriate clothing. Students will not be penalized for clothing unless it is a safety violation.

## EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS:

<b>Provided by the Host School:</b>	Xerox versant 280 press w/ Fiery command work station, Mac mini computers w/Adobe InDesign, Illustrator and Photoshop, Polar Programmable Cutter, rulers, pencils, and paper. All needed equipment will be provided by the contest host.  <b>Equipment/Tools/Materials Provided by the Contestant:</b>  None
<b>Provided by the Contestant:</b>	Nothing is needed.

## SCOPE OF CONTEST:

<b>Competitors will be required to test their skills in the following areas:</b>	Competitors will demonstrate ability to create a mailer using the Adobe Creative Suite following the creative process. They will print their completed file using a digital press. Competitors will determine and complete the proper method for cutting a press sheet from a parent sheet using the minimum number of cuts. They will take a short, written multiple choice test.
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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.