SkillsUSA National and State
Professional Development Test Study Guide

The Professional Development Tests includes 25-50 multiple choice questions. All questions assess the following content topics and sub-topics. Links to information sources found on the SkillsUSA Web site and other resources are included.

SkillsUSA Framework

- What are the components of the Framework?
- What are the Essential Elements of the Framework?
  - What are their definitions?
  - What are their classifications within the components?

STUDY RESOURCES:
- SkillsUSA Framework cards
- SkillsUSA Framework Foundations lesson plans
- Web resource: https://www.skillsusa.org/about/skillsusa-framework/

SkillsUSA History and Facts

- What is the SkillsUSA mission?
  - What does it mean?
- What is the SkillsUSA motto?
  - What does it mean?
- What are the SkillsUSA values?
  - What do they mean?
- What is the SkillsUSA vision?
  - What does it mean?
- What is the SkillsUSA creed?
  - What does it mean?
- What is the SkillsUSA pledge?
  - What does it mean?
- What are the key historical dates and events of the organization?
- Who are the key leaders of the organization?
- What are key programs of SkillsUSA?
- What are the membership types within SkillsUSA?
- What is career and technical education and what is the function of SkillsUSA within it?

STUDY RESOURCES:
- Leadership Handbook
- https://www.skillsusa.org/about/

SkillsUSA Emblem, Opening Ceremony, and Offices

- What are the roles of specific officer positions within the organization?
- What are the components of the emblem, and what do they represent?

STUDY RESOURCES:
- Leadership Handbook
- https://www.skillsusa.org/about/history-brand-resources/emblem-colors-and-official-attire/