



## *Membership Guidelines*

- Membership **MUST** be submitted online at [www.skillsusa-register.org](http://www.skillsusa-register.org)
- Initial membership registration is due to National SkillsUSA by November 15, 2020 via the online system at [www.skillsusa-register.org](http://www.skillsusa-register.org) Final membership registration is due to National SkillsUSA by January 15, 2021 via the online system at [www.skillsusa-register.org](http://www.skillsusa-register.org)
- State and national membership dues are:
  - Student - \$14.00 (\$6.00 state, \$8.00 national)
  - Professional - \$26.00 (\$6.00 state, \$20.00 national)
    - All advisors must be registered as professional members.
- Once a roster has been submitted online to National SkillsUSA, the chapter is responsible for payment for the number of members submitted (the amount due on the roster). Changes or substitutions cannot be made, only additions.
- **Each chapter is responsible for the payment of membership dues for every student registered for any conference, workshop or activity, even if the student does not attend the conference or drops out of their program.**
- Student members must be enrolled in a state approved CTE program to be eligible to compete.
- State and national membership dues are non-transferable and non-refundable.
- *All students and advisors must be paid members of SkillsUSA Michigan by January 15, 2021 in order to participate in regional, state and national competitions and/or conferences.*



## ***Membership Incentives***

SkillsUSA Michigan is encouraging each chapter to increase their membership this year. Each chapter that submits their membership by the due date listed below will qualify for the following incentive(s). Membership **MUST** be submitted online at [www.skillsusa-register.org](http://www.skillsusa-register.org) by the due dates in order to meet the requirements.

### **State Incentive:**

Membership Increase by January 15, 2021

- For every five member increase over last year's membership, the chapter will receive one entry into the drawing for a SkillsUSA blazer, a \$125 value.
- Both student and professional members are included in the chapter's total membership.
- Drawing will be held at the State Leadership and Skills Conference in April.

### **National Incentives:**

Membership Submitted by November 15, 2020

Becoming a professional member of SkillsUSA is one of the best ways to demonstrate to students the opportunities that membership provides. Professional members receive online access to the following as a benefit of membership: Framework Integration Toolkit consisting of 45 separate resources, Program of Work Toolkit for in-person and virtual chapter activities, Championships Toolkit including 2021 SkillsUSA Championships Technical Standards and local competition guides, Jump into STEM! Toolkit plus virtual lesson plans.

As a special membership incentive, those who register at least 15 student members plus one or more professionals by Nov. 15 will receive a complimentary copy of *JumpStart 2.0*, a collection of 33 mixers and icebreakers to engage SkillsUSA students in meetings, workshops and other activities.

*JumpStart 2.0* will help you find immeasurable success in the rewarding and fulfilling venture of being a SkillsUSA advisor as you coach your students to excellence. We hope you enjoy making this resource a part of your classroom and chapter environment.