



Event Details

Competition allows students to display the skills they have gained in culinary and hospitality programs. This event also prepares students for statewide ProStart and Hospitality & Tourism Management Program (HTMP) competitions and scholarships. Honors and prizes will be awarded.

Students will register via an electronic form which will be provided in October.

Tentative Agenda

8 – 8:30 am	Arrival
9 am	Competition and demonstrations begin
12 noon	Competition and demonstrations end
12 - 12:15 pm	Clean up stations – pick up and store items prior to lunch
12:30 pm	Lunch
1 pm	Winners announced
1:45 - 2 pm	Load buses and Departure

Students will return to their campuses after the school day ends and must provide their own transportation home.

Competitions

Each program is allowed the following number of teams.

Gourmet Meal	3 teams of 3 students
Dessert	3 teams of 2 students
Edible Centerpiece	unlimited number of teams of 1 student (15 max. competitors)
Knife Skills	unlimited number of teams of 1 student (30 max. competitors)
ProStart Prep	2 teams of 5 students
Waiters Relay	3 teams of 3 students
Nonedible centerpiece	unlimited number of teams; up to 2 students per team

Competition Flow

Day of Competition:

Report to Check-In at assigned event location - (10 minutes before scheduled time)

Cook (60 minutes, unless otherwise noted on rules)

Floor Critique (5 to 10 minutes)

Judges' Tasting Critique (5 to 10 minutes)

Station Clean-Up (15 minutes)

ProStart Prep – Check rules for flow

Feedback occurs:

- On the competition floor for Team Presentation/Work Skills/Organization as well as Safety and Sanitation.
- In the reserved judging area for Tasting and Menu & Recipe segments.

Allowable Attendees

Due to the popularity of this event admittance is limited to the following:

Student competitors

Competing students' instructor

1 chaperone for every 10 students

1 school administrator

(all must register via electronic form – to be provided in October)

Program is allowed up to 4 paid additional school attendees. Cost: \$15 each.

Due to liability issues, this event is not open to the public. Parents and family members are not allowed to attend, unless they are designated chaperones. Parking passes will only be issued to judges and volunteers. Chaperones must ride the bus with students.

Please pay close attention to the rules. Look out for PENALTIES...

1. Team not dressed properly.
2. Station left in unsanitary manner.
3. Starting early.
4. Finishing late.
5. Use of disallowed pre-prepared ingredients.
6. These are just a few. Read the rules for each event carefully.