

BUSINESS PROCEDURES

Competency in performing daily tasks is a necessity in business. This event provides recognition for FBLA members who possess knowledge of basic skills and procedures and the ability to make intelligent business decisions.

OBJECTIVE TEST COMPETENCIES (May include, but not limited to.)

- human relations
- technology concepts
- communication skills
- decision making
- career development
- business operations
- database management
- ethics
- proofreading
- decision making activities

NBEA STANDARDS REINFORCED BY EVENT

Career Development: workplace expectations, career strategy

Communication: foundations, employment, organizational

Computation: problem-solving applications

Economics and Personal Finance: personal decision making

Information Technology: database management systems, information technology and major business functions, privacy and ethics

CAREER CLUSTER(S): Business, Management & Administration; Information Technology

ELIGIBILITY

The top five winners at the winter regional conferences may enter this event. If a chapter has no winner in the top five, it may enter one participant in this event. All participants must be members of the active local chapter on record in the FBLA state and national offices as paying dues by February 15.

1. Participants must be selected in accordance with the regulations of the local chapter and the state association.
2. Participants must not have won first place at a State Business Leadership Conference nor entered this event at a previous National Leadership Conference.
3. Participants failing to report on time for the event will not be permitted to compete.
4. Participants must adhere to the dress code established by the Board of Directors, or they will not be permitted to participate in the competitive event.

OVERVIEW

A one (1) hour objective test will be administered based on the competencies listed. Nongraphing calculators will be provided.

Every effort will be made to provide computerized testing. If this is not possible, participants must furnish their own No. 2 pencils and erasers. No graphing calculators, Palm Pilots, or other memory storage devices may be used.

JUDGING

The tests will be machine graded. Ties will be broken based on the last ten questions and in groups of ten thereafter if a tie still exists.

STATE AWARDS

The number of awards presented at the State Business Leadership Conference is determined by judges and/or number of entries. The maximum number will be five (5).

NATIONAL ENTRIES

Washington State may enter three (3) state winners in national competition.