CHAPTER YEARBOOK CONTEST



Every TAFE member must be a member of Educators Rising to compete at the Regional and State levels.

Entries Per School	1
Type of Event	Team (2-4 members may present)
State Competition	Yes
National Competition	No
National Education and Training Career Cluster Knowledge and Skill Statements	ESS02, ESS07, EDC02, EDC03, EDC07
Principles of Education and Training TEKS	b4, 1 A, C-J
Human Growth and Development TEKS	b4, 1 A, C-F, H-I;
Instructional Practices in Education and Training TEKS	b4, 1 A-I
Practicum in Education and Training TEKS	b4, 1 A, C-J
Child Development TEKS	b4, 1B, D, E
Child Guidance TEKS	b4, 1D, 6B, 7A
College and Career Readiness Skills	ELA: I A, III A-B, IV A-B, Cross-Disciplinary: I A-F

NOTE: The members of the Competitive Events/Service Committee selected TEKS from the Education and Training Career Cluster and the Human Services Career Cluster (specifically child development and child guidance) that they thought were most applicable regardless of the specific project/topics selected for each event. However, depending on the specific project other TEKS might also apply.

OBJECTIVES:

- To develop chapter creativity, teamwork, time management, public speaking and organization.
- To create a historical record of the projects and activities of the chapter that can be used to promote TAFE

OVERVIEW:

This contest is a <u>team</u> event where members work together to create a historical record of their chapter's projects and activities throughout the year. The yearbook events that can be included are the chapter's participation in the previous year's Teach Tomorrow Summit and all the events up to the current year's Teach Tomorrow Summit. Participants must prepare a **Chapter Yearbook** and an **oral presentation** describing the activities of the chapter and summarizing the projects.

CONTEST GUIDELINES:

I. General Competitive Events Guidelines must be followed.

II. Region:

- A. Each chapter may submit 1 entry for the region competition.
- B. One to four students may present the book, but all students who present must have an equal part in the presentation.
- C. Chapters must indicate on their conference registration form the number entering this event.
- D. Registration will be handled according to each region's guidelines.
- E. It is understood that all Chapter Yearbooks may not be complete by the region conference. The Chapter Yearbook must be bound and have a labeled placeholder for every missing artifact and a date as to when it will be added. The Chapter Yearbook must be at least 75% complete to qualify for state
- F. After receiving the Judge's Rubrics, the state qualifiers can make any needed corrections before going to state.

III. State:

- A. Awards will be given as follows:
 - 1. Blue Ribbon 90 100
 - 2. Red Ribbon 80 89
 - 3. White Ribbon 70 79
- B. All those receiving a ribbon will be recognized on the screen during the Closing General Session at the Teach Tomorrow Summit.

IV. Yearbook

- A. The Chapter Yearbook should relate to and meet the needs of the member's school and chapter. The book should have a timeless quality that could be appreciated by future members.
- B. The number of photographs is not limited. It should represent only chapter projects and activities verified by newspaper articles, chapter minutes, photographs, etc.
- C. At least one page representing region activities and at least one page representing state activities with date, description and two or more photos with captions included.
- D. The Chapter Yearbook should follow the same order as the judging form and can be used to create the table of contents.
- E. At least one project or activity page must be included in each of the TRAFLES categories. Each activity must show the <u>TRAFLES category</u>, name, date and description of project, and two or more photos with captions.
 - 1. Teaching / Classroom Participation Activities
 - 2. Recreational or Social Activities
 - 3. Appreciation Activities (Teacher/Staff)
 - 4. Fund Raising Activities
 - 5. Leadership Activities
 - 6. Education Awareness Activities
 - 7. Service Activities
- F. Chapter Yearbook will not exceed a standard maximum size of 22" x 28" x 4" (thick). The measurement of 4" will be taken at the binding and will include the binding. Measurements will be taken at the event registration. If the Chapter Yearbook is larger than the dimensions, it will not be judged. Chapter Yearbooks may be handmade or purchased.
- G. The artwork should frame the activities and not make up for the lack of projects or activities.
- H. Items in the Chapter Yearbook may be purchased, hand designed, stenciled, die cut or computer generated.
- I. Yearbooks may be hard copy or electronic.

V. Presentation:

- A. Students presenting an electronic yearbook must provide their own laptop to present the portfolio.
- B. Contestants will be given up to 10 minutes to present their Chapter Yearbook. At the end of 10 minutes, contestants will be stopped.
- C. Presentation must include a description of the chapter activities and a summary of the projects.
- D. Following the presentation, the judges will have 5 minutes for questioning. This is an opportunity for the judges to ask questions to correct any judging errors before final ribbons are awarded.

CONTEST FACILITATOR'S & JUDGES' INFORMATION:

I. Both Region and State:

- A. When students arrive to register their Chapter Yearbook, the contest facilitator should measure the book before registering the contestants. If the yearbook is larger than the standard maximum size of 22" x 28" x 4" (thick), the yearbook will be disqualified. The measurement of 4" will be taken at the binding and will include the binding.
- B. The judging panel will consist of 1-2 adults and 1 student. (It is suggested that there be a panel of judges for every 10 yearbooks.)
- C. Before the presentation portion, the judges will be given five (5) minutes to score the yearbooks.
- D. The contestants will have ten (10) minutes to give their presentations and will be stopped at the end of the ten (10) minutes. The timekeeper will give a one (1) minute warning after nine (9) minutes have passed, and a thirty (30) second warning when thirty (30) seconds are remaining. At the end of ten (10) minutes, a STOP sign will be held up and contestants will be asked to stop.
- E. After the presentation, judges will have five (5) minutes to ask questions and finish their rubrics. If something was missed during the presentation, this is time to ask questions and get clarification.
- F. The contestants will be judged against a standard of excellence rather than against each other.
- G. The same set of judges must judge the yearbook and the presentation.

II. Region:

- A. Chapter Yearbooks that are 75% complete qualify for state.
- B. Facilitators will follow the guidelines set up by their region.

III. State:

- A. Facilitators will follow the General Instructions for Facilitators provided in packet.
- B. Judges will follow the General Instructions for Judges provided in packet.