

Regional Competition Change Form

Contest: Preschool Teaching Assistant
Follows NYSC rules;

Competition Date: Tuesday, March 09, 2010

Chairperson: Michelle Steinbroner
Chairperson's School: Ellicottville CTE
Best time to call:

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Items Evaluated	Possible Points	Special rule for Regionals
1. PRESENTATION (175)	45	NO PREPARED MATERIALS can be used No children will be present for presentation of the lesson.
A. Lesson Plan		
B. Personal Qualities: poise, attitude, grammar, voice, knowledge of preschool teaching philosophy, child's eye level	30	Curriculum areas: Food and Nutrition; Language Arts; Math; Music; Science; Social Studies The theme will be announced at the contest site on the day of competition. A lesson plan outline will be distributed to contestants at the start of the contest.
C. Presentation Techniques Attention Getting, Closing/Summation, Presentation supported goals,	60	Unlike the national demonstration guidelines, the chairperson will not supply materials needed to construct or present the lesson to the judges.
D. Originality/Creativity	10	
E. Lesson Materials: geared to the age ability, and developmental needs of preschool children, designed to provide a variety of learning experiences	30	
Time penalty		5-7 minutes, timed according to the national demonstration guidelines
2. TRANSITION AND BOOK READING 80 pts.	20	The transition is to be presented the entire book does not have to be read in the 10 minutes
A. Personal Qualities: grammar, voice, poise, attitude		
B. Techniques: attention getting, voice as a teaching tool, opportunities for children to interact	60	
C. Time Penalty		Presentation time will be 10 Minutes
3. Written test	30	90 questions about Early Childhood Education from the textbook <u>The Developing Child</u>
4. Clothing Penalty (0 to 5% of total points)	5	Black pants/skirt , white shirt; according to national standards, frills and large sleeves not permitted, mini skirts penalized, smock if needed
TOTAL POINTS	285	

Required Equipment-Supplies for Contestant to Bring:

Crayons, Markers, Paper
Tape, Staples, Rulers
Scissors, Glue, Index Cards
Construction paper, Tag Board

Pencil, Eraser, Reward stickers
Miscellaneous supplies needed for projects
Dictionary / Thesaurus

NO story books allowed
NO prepared materials allowed

Supplied by committee: to be available for all contestants to use
Flannel Board

Time preparation will be shortened – 1 ½ hours will be permitted to prepare lesson plan and materials. Following the lesson prep time. Contestants will be given the test and have time to prepare for their book reading with no time limitations. There will be two judging rooms one for the lesson plan and one for the transition and book reading. There will be at least two judges per room.

Please refer to the National Standards Contest book