



Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Competition

OVERVIEW

The Georgia Chapter of Excellence competition provides an opportunity to Georgia TSA Chapters to showcase their involvement in activities related to five categories: Leadership Opportunities, Membership Recruitment and Recognition, Service Projects, Fundraising, and Chapter Social Activities. Participants are required to launch a digital portfolio in the form of a website that organizes the documentation of these activities. Chapter semi-finalist will showcase their activities by setting up a display and participating in an interview at the State Leadership Conference.

ELIGIBILITY

Each middle and high school chapter in Georgia may have one entry.

TIME LIMITS

This completed cover page and activity and evidence summary must be uploaded as a PDF to the EMS system by the time and date posted in the Georgia TSA State Conference Packet. After this date, there should be no changes to the school's Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Digital portfolio. Any changes made after the deadline will not be considered in the judging process.

Semi-finalists will be notified one week prior to the conference. The semi-final displays/interviews will take place during the State Leadership Conference. Refer to the conference tentative agenda for the specific times.

ATTIRE

Chapter representatives during the semi-finalist round must be in TSA Official Dress.

PRELIMINARY ROUND PROCEDURES

- Participants will create a digital portfolio in the form of a webpage that organizes the chapter's activities for the past year. Chapters may include activities from the previous year if those activities took place after March 1, such as participation in the prior year's State Leadership Conference and any activities during the Summer.
- The main page should include the name of the chapter, chapter advisor's name and the chapter president's name and links to pages for each of the five categories: Leadership Opportunities, Membership Recruitment and Recognition, Service Projects, Fundraising, and Chapter Social Activities.
- Each page should highlight activities that fall into those categories. Chapters should include a variety of documentation when available. Documentation may include (but is not limited to), pictures, newspaper articles, videos, emails, social media posts, etc.

- While the web page itself is not considered in the judging process, the page should be simple for the judges to navigate in order to evaluate the activities. Webpage building sites such as Google Sites, Weebly, WIX, ect. may be used for the competition.
- Chapters must also complete the Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Cover Page and the Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Activity and Evidence Summary (pages 2-3 of this document). For each activity, chapters should indicate the date(s) of the activities and a description documentation that is included on the website.
- The cover page and Chapter of Excellence Activity and Evidence summary may not exceed 3 pages total. These two pages should be saved as a single PDF file and uploaded into EMS by the date and time posted in the Georgia TSA State Conference Packet.

SEMI-FINALIST ROUND PROCEDURES

- Semi-finalist will create a display that highlights the chapter's activities will be exhibited during the time indicated in the conference program.
- The chapter's name and the year must be included in the display.
- The display must fit in an area that is 48" wide, 36" tall, and 18" deep.
- The display must be created during that school year.
- A copy of the chapter's Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Activity and Evidence Summary must be available for viewing at the display area.
- No power will be provided for the displays.
- During the set up time, the chapter will sign up for an interview time
- Two chapter members will participate in the interview.

EVALUATION

Evaluation of both the Preliminary Round and the Semi-finalist Round will be based on the quality and quantity of activities in each category as well as the documentation and evidence that supports each activity.



Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Cover Page

Chapter Information

School Name: _____

Level (Middle/High): _____

School Street Address: _____

School City, State, Zip _____

Advisor's Name: _____

Advisor's Email: _____

Principal's Name: _____

Principal's Email: _____

Chapter President: _____

Chapter Vice _____

President: _____

Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Portfolio Submission

In the space below, enter the link to the URL of your chapter's Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Digital Portfolio

Georgia TSA Chapter of Excellence Activity Summary

In 100 words or less, summarize your chapter's activities for the Georgia Chapter of Excellence.

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Activity and Evidence Summary

*(The cells in this table will expand as information is added. This summary must not exceed two pages.
The cover page and this document – 3 pages max – must be saved as a PDF and uploaded into EMS.)*

School Name: _____

Category	Chapter Activities (including dates)	Supporting Documents/Evidence
Leadership Opportunities		
Membership Recruitment and Recognition		
Service Projects		
Fundraising		
Social Activities		