

SkillsUSA Maryland  
2026 State Championship  
Pin Design Contest Update #2 (4/8/26)

**NEW THIS YEAR!** – FINAL SUBMISSION FILES MUST BE SUBMITTED NO LATER THAN **WEDNESDAY, April 15<sup>th</sup> by 8pm** to:

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**Additional guidelines:**

- Designs without the **original** files and/or submitted after the deadline are subject to point deductions.
- Use of AI is not permitted.
- Follow 2024-2026 SkillsUSA Technical Standards
- Consider the reduction of size in your design to a pin
- Both the image of the original design and an image of design in the reduced pin-size must be provided.
- **NOTEBOOK/BINDER IS NOT REQUIRED**
- Students who are providing a digital visual presentation must supply their own laptop.
- It is recommended to have your files downloaded on a thumb drive and/or on the hard drive of your laptop to avoid any internet security issues at the site.
- One-page single sided resume must be hand-carried to contest room.