



## SKILLS CANADA NATIONAL COMPETITION 2024 IN QUÉBEC CITY

**MAY 29 – JUNE 1, at the Centre de foires d'ExpoCité, in Québec, QC**

### WHAT IS IT?

The Skills Canada National Competition (SCNC) is the only national, multi-trade and technology competition for students and apprentices in the country. During SCNC, Canada's best in skilled trades and technologies compete to become national champions in their respective discipline.

### WHY IS IT HAPPENING?

- Provide competitors and student visitors with hands-on experience.
- Get Canada's youth to consider skilled trade and technology careers as a viable, rewarding option.
- Engage with industry leaders, educators, and political decision makers.
- Ensure that Canada remains at the forefront of competitive advantage in the global economy.
- Promote awareness of the nine Skills for Success through Try-A-Trade<sup>®</sup> and Technology activities hosted by educators and industry experts. This year's theme is *Reading*.
- Highlight innovation and the importance of digital literacy and technology driven skills that are crucial to keep pace with the quickly changing job market.
- Encourage equity-denied groups and diverse populations to get involved in the skilled trade and technology sectors.

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## HIGHLIGHTS

- Free event: open to the public on Competition days. (May 30 and 31).
- Over 40 competitions, representing six sectors: Construction, Employment, Information Technology, Manufacturing and Engineering, Services and Transportation.
- More than 550 competitors.
- Over 50 Try-A-Trade<sup>®</sup> and Technology activities for visiting youth.
- Thousands of student visitors from across Canada.
- Professionally produced opening and closing ceremonies.
- Skills for Success activities highlighting this year's theme, *Reading*.
- Includes 50+ industry and education exhibitors providing information and answers to visiting students and the public.
- Skills Showcase featuring First Nations, Inuit, and Métis Skills.
- Empowering Women in Trades initiative bringing together industry partners to show young women the incredible careers that are available in the skilled trades.
- Livestream of the opening and closing ceremonies and the competition, including fascinating interviews, and much more.
- Exclusive networking events and conferences.
- Industry celebrity participation.

## #SCNC2024

A unique opportunity to explore careers in skilled trades and technologies!