

# ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT TEAM (255)

# REGIONAL - 2014

Dedicated to the memory of Deborah Paul

#### **Production:**

TOTAL POINTS	(800 points)
Job 4: Presentation	 (200 points)
Job 3: Spreadsheet	 (200 points)
Job 2: Flyer	 (200 points)
Job 1: Memo	 (200 points)

# Judges/Graders: Please double check and verify all scores and answer keys!

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### **Grading/Scoring Rubric**

#### Contestant Numbers\_

JOB	CRITERIA	POINTS POSSIBLE	POINTS
Job 1 – Memo	Production	0 errors = 100 points	
200 Points		1 error = 90 points	
		2 errors = 70 points	
		<b>3</b> + errors = 0 points	
	Content—All	0-100 points	
	Information Included	(-10 for each omission)	
Job 2 – Flyer	Production	0 errors = 100 points	
200 Points		1 error = 90 points	
		2 errors = 70 points	
		3+ errors = 0 points	
	Content—All	0-50 points	
	Information Included	(-5 for each omission)	
	Design/Creativity	0-50 points	
Job 3 – Spreadsheet	Production	0 errors = 100 points	
200 Points		1 error = 90 points	
		2 errors = 70 points	
		3+ errors = 0 points	
	First Printout		
	Sorted by Budget Amt.		
	Centered Vert. & Horiz.	50 points	
	<ul> <li>#'s Formatted w/o dec.</li> </ul>	(-10 for each)	
	Font Sizes		
	Borders		
	Second Printout		
	• Gridlines		
	Row & Column	50 points	
	Headings	(-10 for each)	
	C5:C11 Formula		
	• B12 Formula		
	C12 Formula		
Job 4 – Presentation	Production	0 errors = 100 points	
200 Points		1 error = 90 points	
		2 errors = 70 points	
		3 +  errors = 0  points	
	Content/Composition—	0-25 points	
	All Information Included	(-5 for each omission)	
	First Printout	25 points	
	(6 slides per page)	*	
	Second Printout	25 points	
	(Outline)	_	
	Design/Creativity	0-25 points	
TOTAL POINTS		800 Points Possible	



#### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Make certain this test booklet contains Jobs 1-4.
- 2. Correct all errors. Copy is graded for errors according to production standards.
- 3. For any problem where you would normally use your reference initials, use your contestant number. Your name or initials should NOT appear on any work you submit. Key your contestant number and job number in a footer on all documents in the lower left-hand corner of all work submitted.

Example: 99-9999-9999 Job 1

- 4. Jobs may be completed in any order. When turning in your completed work, place your scoring sheet on top of all of your jobs. The jobs should be arranged in numerical order. Turn in all partial jobs completed. Draw a line through any incorrect copies; place work to be graded first.
- 5. If you finish before the end of the testing time, notify the administrator of the contest. Time may be a factor in determining the winner in the event of a tie.

#### **CONTEST INSTRUCTIONS**

The Human Resources Department of Professional Business Associates, under the leadership of Julie Smith, has been asked to develop an Employee Orientation and Training Program. All new hires will attend new-hire training sessions and employees will attend training sessions as needed.

As members of the team, it will be your assignment to create, design, and produce the following materials for Professional Business Associates in preparation for the Employee Orientation and Training Program.



#### Job 1-Memo

#### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Human Resources Department

FROM: Julie Smith, Human Resources Manager

**DATE:** (Current Date)

SUBJECT: Initial Employee Orientation and Training Meeting

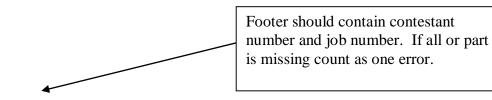
Note to grader: The body of the memo must include the following information:

- Meeting date: March 3, 2014
- Place: Conference Room A
- Time: 9:00 a.m.
- Brainstorm new-hire training ideas
- Discussion of the "Top Ten Ways to Turn Off a New Employee"
- Purposes of orientation
- Survey results of past training sessions
- Develop icebreaker games
- Orientation budget
- Suggestions???

Contestant Number

Attachment

Refer to Grading/Scoring Rubric for point breakdown.





#### Job 2–Flyer

Graders: Flyer will vary according to creativity and layout. Check for complete information. Graphics stored on the flash drive provided may be used.

Purposes of Orientation

New-Hires:

- Reduce Startup Costs
- Reduce Anxiety
- Reduce Employee Turnover
- Save Time for Supervisors
- Develop Realistic Job Expectations, Positive Attitudes and Job Satisfaction

Employee Training:

- Make sure the need for this training and development opportunity is understood
- Provide training that is really relevant to the skill you want the employee to attain
- Favor employee training and development that has measurable objectives and specified outcomes

Refer to Grading/Scoring Rubric for point breakdown.



Footer should contain contestant number and job number. If all or part is missing count as one error.

Contestant # Job 2



#### Job 3—Spreadsheet

First Printout:

## **Professional Business Associates**

#### **Employee Orientation and Training Budget**

	Budgeted	Percent of
Program	Amount	Budget
Recruiting	\$5,000	9%
Mentoring	5,000	9%
Supervisor Training	5,000	9%
Materials	7,500	13%
On-the-Job Training	10,000	17%
Safety Training	10,000	17%
New-Hire Orientation	15,000	26%
	\$57,500	100%

#### **Second Printout:**

	A	В	С		
1	Professional Business Associates				
2	Employee Orientation and Training Budget				
3					
4	Program	Budgeted Amount	Percent of Budget		
5	Recruiting	5000	=B5/\$B\$12		
6	Mentoring	5000	=B6/\$B\$12		
7	Supervisor Training	5000	=B7/\$B\$12		
8	Materials	7500	=B8/\$B\$12		
9	On-the-Job Training	10000	=B9/\$B\$12		
10	Safety Training	10000	=B10/\$B\$12		
11	New-Hire Orientation	15000	=B11/\$B\$12		
12		=SUM(B5:B11)	=SUM(C5:C11)		
13					

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#### Job 4—Presentation

**First Printout:** 

- The slides should be printed 6 per page
- Total of 12 slides

Note to Graders:



Second Printout:

1 Druposes of Orientation Professional Business Associates

The format and content will vary. Graphics provided may be used.

- 2 Employee Orientation
- 3 Reduce Startup Costs
- 4 🔲 Reduce Anxiety
- 5 🔲 Reduce Employee Turnover
- 6 Save Time for Supervisors
- 7 Develop Realistic Job Expectations
- 8 🔲 Training and Development Opportunity
- 9 📃 Context
- 10 Relevant Training
- 11 Measurable Objectives
- 12 🔲 Thank You

