Failure to adhere to any of the following rules will result in disqualification:

1. Contestant must hand in this test booklet and all printouts. Failure to do so will result in disqualification.
2. No equipment, supplies, or materials other than those specified for this event are allowed in the testing area. No previous BPA tests and/or sample tests or facsimile (handwritten, photocopied, or keyed) are allowed in the testing area.
3. Electronic devices will be monitored according to ACT standards.

No more than ten (10) minutes orientation
No more than sixty (60) minutes testing time
No more than ten (10) minutes wrap-up
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Make certain this test booklet contains Jobs 1-4.

2. Key all Jobs according to the instructions given.

3. Correct any errors in formatting. Use formatting shown in the *Style & Reference Manual*.

4. For any problem where you would normally key your reference initials, key your contestant number. Your name or initials should *not* appear on any work you submit.

5. Key your contestant number and job number as the footer in the lower left-hand corner of all work submitted unless otherwise specified.

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   Job 1
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   *Example:*
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   99-9999-9999
   Job 1
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6. If you finish before the end of the allotted testing time, notify the proctor. Time may be a factor in determining a winner when there is a tie score.

7. When turning in your materials, place your scoring sheet on top of your jobs. The jobs should be arranged in numerical order.

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Job 1—Letter

**DIRECTIONS:** Key the following letter according to the *Style & Reference Manual.* Correct any errors. Use the current date

Mr. Phil Smith / Designs by Phil / 1356 Industrial Avenue / Columbus, OH 43231

How is your business using social media to bring in new customers? Did you know that Facebook has 844 million daily mobile users? Are you using social media to let potential customers know about YOUR business?

Would you be interested in learning more about how to use social media to market your business and or products? If so, register online to attend our next social media breakfast. Our meetings are held the first Thursday of each month at the Community Center on North High Street in downtown Columbus. The meeting begins promptly at 8 a.m. and is done by 9 a.m. A light breakfast is provided. Next month’s topic is Reputation Management.

If you have any questions, I can be reached at 773-702-2351. I hope to see you at the NEXT Social Media Breakfast!

Sincerely / Steve Gauser / Social Media Committee
Job 2—Memorandum

**DIRECTIONS:** Key the following memo according to the *Style & Reference Manual*. Send the memo to Liz Anderson, Ardith Andrews, Linda King and Lorna Nelson with a carbon copy to Jan Smith. Use the current date. The topic is Social Media Breakfast. The memo is from Steve Gauser.

The next social media breakfast will be on Thursday morning February 3 at 8 a.m. The location is the Community Center on North High Street in downtown Columbus. As always, a light breakfast will be provided. The topic will be Reputation Management.

It is our company’s turn to host this breakfast so I am assigning you the following duties:

- Liz - Work at the registration desk
- Ardith - Work at the food/beverage table
- Linda - Welcome attendees
- Lorna - Provide IT Support for our guest speaker

Please be on site by 7:30 a.m. The food/beverages will be delivered by 7:30 a.m. I plan to be there by 7:00 a.m.

Contact me if you have any questions.
### Job 3—Table with borders

**DIRECTIONS:** Key the following table with borders according to the *Style & Reference Manual.* Text within the table should all be top aligned and to the left.

Examples of how Businesses use Social Media

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<tr>
<th>Social Media Name</th>
<th>Ways it can be used</th>
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<td>Reach large groups of people frequently</td>
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<td>Show your products</td>
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Job 4—Report

DIRECTIONS: Key the following report according to the *Style & Reference Manual*. You are keying the report for Steve Gauser, for his Business Environment Class taught by Professor Lois Jones. Use the current date.

Social Media

Many businesses use social media to promote their companies. There are many reasons for this. A major reason is to attract customers. By using social media the business can try to attract followers by having promotions or giveaways. Once the potential new customer walks in your door, there are ways to have this customer promote your business. One way is to encourage them to rate your business. By giving this review, if it is a positive one, you can earn other potential customers who will want to try out your business.

Another way social media can be used is for research. You can check out how your competitors are using social media. You can also find out what customers are saying about your business. You may be getting good reviews or bad ones—if you are receiving bad ones, you could do damage control by responding and letting them know you are sorry that you weren’t able to meet their needs and that you would like to talk to them about how you can meet their expectations in the future.

A recent study shows that Facebook has 844 million daily mobile users. Instagram has 300 million monthly users and Twitter has 250 million monthly users.

So if you want to promote your business, consider using Facebook and consider ways that you can get potential customers to like your page and become one of your customers.