

COMPETITION INTRODUCTION

WRITTEN EVENTS & ROLEPLAYS

Competition is an exciting part of DECA, but getting started can be stressful! Here is some information about the types of events you can compete and succeed at.

A **Written Event** is a type of competition where the competitor has time to plan, write, and prepare their event. They submit their typed report to OK DECA before the deadline. Between that date and the State Conference, the competitor will create and prepare a presentation that explains their written report.

A **Roleplay** is a type of competition where the competitor spends the year practicing tests and studying performance indicators before the State Conference. At CDC, they will take a 100 question test as well as perform a roleplay in front of a judge that relates to the category they are competing in.

DETAILS OF EVENTS

Types of Written Events

- All Written Events can have 1 to 3 participants in a team.
- Project Management Events
 - For those who like planning, running, and managing an event or project.
- Business Operations Research Events
 - This event focuses on researching and understanding how a business operates.
- Entrepreneurship Events
 - These events regard starting, owning, and/or managing a business.

Types of Roleplay Events

- Principles Events
 - These events are for first year DECA members, and there is one event per career cluster.
- Individual Series Events
 - These Roleplays are done by one competitor.
- Team Decision Making Events
 - For these types of events, you compete of a team of two and there are 7 performance indicators.
- Personal Financial Literacy

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