



## Photography 2019



### The performance portion of the contest includes:

1. Submission of one print that follows the criteria listed in the Technical Standards.  
(11x14 print size on a 16x20 mount)
2. With the above mounted display image, each contestant will present a **single** sheet of paper with the following information, typed nicely in Word form.
  - A. Contestant Number
  - B. Grade level
  - C. What inspired you to take this image?
  - D. What Photoshop skills (if any) were used to create this image?
  - E. What equipment did you use to capture this image?
3. Multiple choice test of photographic knowledge.
4. A field assignment to showcase composition skills. Contestants will be given 60 minutes to take as many images as they would like.  
Choose the single best image to submit with **NO EDITS**.  
Use a copy of the same image to artistically & creatively manipulate in Photoshop.  
Rename each images with contestants name & number as follows:  
(JaneDoe101-Raw) for first submission and (JaneDoe101-Edited) for second submission.

### Contestants will be required to do the following:

1. Contestant will receive the field assignment from the event coordinator.
2. Use the assigned time to capture an appropriate image for the field competition.
3. Be creative with photoshop manipulation, and not just correct the photo. These images will be judged on Industry Composition standards including but not limited to Rules of Thirds, leading lines, depth of field, and lighting usage.
4. **Manual mode must be used** (no automatic or program modes.) Contestant must also describe what composition techniques and settings were used to create the image.
5. Contestants may **not** disturb any event in progress, enter a restricted evaluation area, interrupt a conference function, or participate in behavior unbecoming to a national participant in any event.
6. Complete a multiple choice test without assistance.

### Contestants will need to bring:

- Laptop with Adobe Photoshop CS4+ or higher
- DSLR camera with compatible lens
- 2 batteries with charger
- 8gb+ memory card(s)
- USB card reader or camera USB cable
- 1 print competition image (11x14 print size on a 16x20 mount)
- Single sheet paper of answered questions for print submission
- Pencil for test