



Dear Parent:

This year in the Cosmetology training program, your son/daughter has an opportunity to be a member of SkillsUSA. This is a national student organization that teaches leadership and employability skills to help students succeed—both on the job and in life.

I hope you will support participation of this activity by your child. Membership dues for our SkillsUSA Chapter are \$ _____ and they are payable by check or cash, and are due on _____. These dues will help cover the cost of local activities for the chapter this school year.

Active SkillsUSA members will have a chance to conduct a variety of professional development activities including competitions that test their job skills against industry standards. There will also be opportunities to receive credentials that will enhance a job portfolio. And, students who elect to participate in skill or leadership events are eligible to represent their school at the state or national level, and to win industry awards and scholarships. Additional information about regional, state or national events will be sent home later, once we determine participation.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at _____ or send an e-mail to _____. I appreciate your support of this activity.

Sincerely,

Instructor

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