

# Provincial Scope Document

*CARPENTRY*

*Secondary, April 15, 2026*

**Contest Length: 6 hrs.**

**Orientation: 8:00 am**

**Lunch Break: 12:00 – 12:30 pm**

**Check in time: 7:45 am**

**Contest Start: 8:30 am**

**Contest End: 3:00 pm**

## **Purpose of the Challenge:**

To evaluate each contestant's ability to organize and execute a given workload safely and accurately using generally accepted carpentry practices.

## **Skills & Knowledge to be tested:**

- Competency to read blueprints and specifications.
- Demonstration of sound work practices and assembly techniques to acceptable standards according to the latest version of the National Building Code.
- Safe and proper use of hand and power tools.
- Accuracy of layout for all framing components of the project.
- Quality of work.
- Ability to complete an assignment within a given time.
- General safe work procedures, attitude, and site management.

## **Specific Requirements:**

- The contestant will produce a specified project to acceptable standards as determined by the judges.
- The project will consist of general residential framing to construct a simple project, which may include finishing carpentry.
- All measurements will be in **metric**.

## **Safety Instructions:**

Minimum Industry safety standards must be observed at all times. A contestant will not be allowed to compete without the safety equipment listed on this document. WorkSafeBC regulations will be in effect.

## **Equipment / Tools / Materials**

### **Supplied by Committee:**

- Circular saw
- Drill/Driver combo
- Pair of sawhorses
- All Required materials

### **Supplied by Contestant:**

#### Clothing:

- CSA approved safety footwear.
- CSA approved hardhat.
- Eye protection (Clear, CSA certified safety glasses or goggles).
- Hearing protection (Deci-damp ear plugs/earmuffs)
- Suitable work clothes (No sleeveless shirts or short pants - long pants only)

#### Tools:

- Carpenter belt or Overalls
- **Metric** Tape measure
- Hammer
- Chalk line
- Utility knife
- Pencils and erasers
- Calculator (non- programmable)
- Framing square
- Stair gauges
- Speed square and/or combination square
- Hand saw
- ¾" Framing chisel

The Technical Chair must approve any additional tools or equipment, which a contestant wishes to use, at contest time.

### Judging / Distribution of Marks

- Competency to read blueprints and specifications.
- Safe work procedures including proper dress requirements.
- Ability to complete project within specific time.
- Proper use of tools.
- General housekeeping and site management.
- General work attitude.
- Quality and overall appearance of project.

### Suggested Marking Breakdown:

Layout accuracy:	/50
Quality:	/40
Safety:	/5
Completion of project:	/5
<b>Total Score - Practical</b>	<b>/100</b>

### Technical Committee

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