Exciting changes are happening to WSU’s annual automotive competition! In an effort to align the contest with the new NATEF MLR standards, we have developed a new contest format for the Written and Hands-on Test portions:

**Written Test:**
All 8 ASE areas will be represented at the NATEF MLR level. The written test will consist of 50 multiple choice questions that are based on the NATEF MLR tasks:

1 Question:
Will identify if the participant is a senior. Only scores from seniors are used to determine overall scores.

3 Questions:
Will come from “required supplemental tasks” section of the NATEF MLR standards.

4 questions each (new topics):
A2, Auto trans
A3, manual trans
A7, HVAC

5 questions each:
A1, Engine mechanical
A8, Engine performance

8 questions each:
A4, suspension and steering
A5, brakes
A6, electrical

**Hands-on Test:**
There will be 12 hands-on workstations which are limited to the scope of the NATEF MLR standards.

1 station each:
A1, engine repair hands
A2, automatic transmission
A3, manual drivetrain
A7, HVAC
A8, Engine performance

2 stations each:
A4, suspension and steering
A5, brakes
A6, electrical

“Required supplemental tasks”

The top 12 scoring schools from the Written Test will be invited to participate in the Hands-on Test. Limiting the number of schools will allow for better prizes, more accurate scoring capabilities, and make participation more elite.