

# UNNM

2025



Georgia & Southern States  
Official State Pageant of USA National Miss

# PAGEANT INFORMATION

## USA National Miss Georgia & Southern States Pageant February 8-9, 2025 | Register at [USANationalMiss.com/Georgia](https://USANationalMiss.com/Georgia)

### VENUE

Butts County Performing Arts Center | 405 Franklin Street, Jackson GA 30233

### HOTEL

Recommended hotels: Holiday Inn Express and Suites, 116 Hospitality Drive, Jackson, GA 30233. This is where interviews will be held. Their number is 770-233-2700. Ask for the group rate of \$127 for USA National Miss Georgia. | Fairfield Inn & Suites Locust Grove 1-75 South, 690 Market Place Blvd, Locust Grove, GA 30248. Their phone number is 678-782-7880. Ask for the group rate of \$127 for USA National Miss Georgia.

### TITLES & FEES

We will be awarding three prestigious titles per division. Georgia and Peach State is open to Georgia residents and Southern States is open to Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina and Georgia.

#### Pageant entry fee:

State Entry Fee: \$325. Includes entry into interview, gown and runway, and 1/2 page full-color spotlight ad.

#### Additional Title Opportunities- Miss Peach State & Southern States

Entry Fee: \$150. These are additional chances to win a state title and advance to nationals.

#### Southeast Sweetheart Pageant

Sweetheart Entry Fee: \$150. Perfect for those wanting stage and interview practice, the Sweetheart division is a no-contract, no-advancement-to-nationals opportunity for you to have a fun pageant weekend and get judges feedback.

### SCHOLARSHIPS

We are awarding Sr. Scholarships of \$500 for the Miss Georgia winner, and \$250 for the Jr. Teen and Teen Georgia winners (with 10 or more contestants in the division.) We are also awarding People's Choice scholarship money!

### SHOW TICKETS

General Admission show tickets are \$25 and can be purchased at the pageant. This includes the casual wear show and pageant show. VIP tickets for the weekend are \$35 while available.



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## AGE DIVISIONS & ELIGIBILITY

We offer six age divisions for young women ages 13-25 and little girls ages 4-12 (Jr. Divisions). You must compete in the age division based on your age as of June 1, 2025.

<b>MISS</b>	Ages 20-25
<b>TEEN</b>	Ages 16-19
<b>JR. TEEN</b>	Ages 13-15
<b>PRETEEN</b>	Ages 10-12
<b>PRINCESS</b>	Ages 7-9
<b>JR. PRINCESS</b>	Ages 4-6

You must live, go to school, work or own/rent property in the state in order to compete. All delegates must be a natural born female and compete as such, never married and never been pregnant or had a child. All delegates must reside in the United States and be a US citizen.

## NATIONALS ADVANCEMENT

All delegates who receive titles during the state pageant must compete at the national pageant in Orlando, Florida representing their title and are responsible for paying their National Package Fee.

**GREAT NEWS!** Even if you do not win a title at our state pageant, you will have the opportunity to take any open title available nationwide to advance to nationals. There is no residency requirement for open state titles. Titles are appointed by the national office.

## MAKE-UP & DRESSING ROOM RULES

Make Up Rules are enforced for delegates ages 4-12. Failure to follow the make up rules will result in point deductions.

Ages 4-9: Translucent powder, blush on cheeks, light colored lip gloss and mascara are allowed during stage competitions only. No make up is allowed in interview. No false lashes, flippers, or extensions are allowed.

Ages 10-12 - Translucent powder, blush on cheeks, light colored lip gloss and mascara are allowed during stage competitions and interview. No false lashes, flippers, or extensions are allowed.

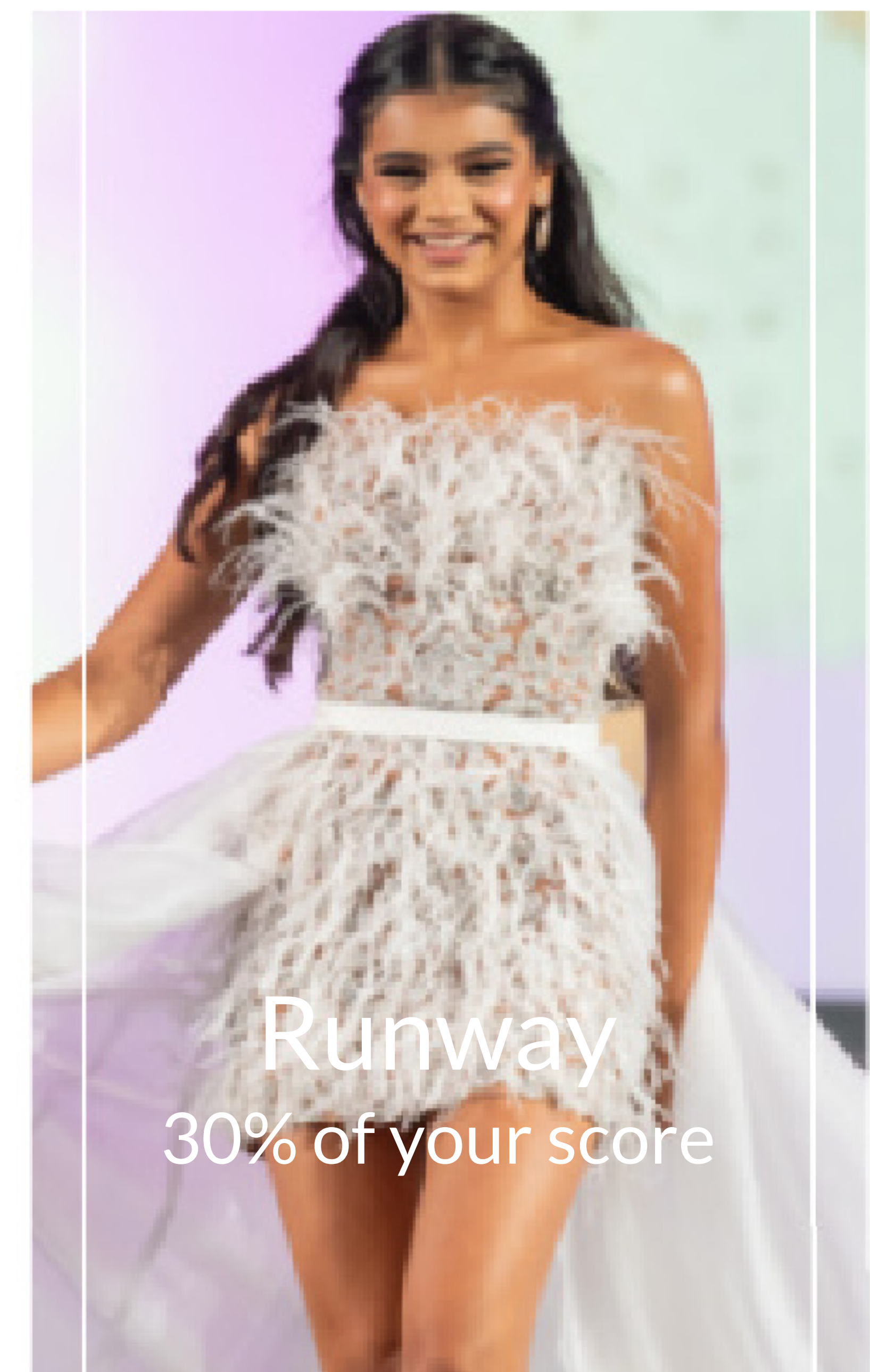
State queens ages 4-12 must not wear more than the above allowable make up at any time while representing USA National Miss during their year. Delegates 13 and up can groom themselves as they wish.

Only 1 natural born female assistant is allowed in the dressing room with each delegate. No photos, videos or any form of social media is allowed to be posted from the dressing room. Posting photos or videos from the dressing room will result in disqualification.



# REQUIRED COMPETITIONS

We will have all out-of-town judges selecting the winners.



## EVENING GOWN

Wear a floor length evening gown of your choice. Judges will be looking for elegance, grace, and poise on stage in a gown that is flattering, fits well and is age appropriate. The Evening Gown competition is 30% of your overall score.

## INTERVIEW

Wear an interview outfit of your choice that showcases your personal style and makes you feel empowered.

Ages 10-25 will interview "panel style" in front of all judges for 4 minutes and must present a brief un-rehearsed ice breaker introduction upon entering the interview room.

Ages 4-9 will interview "round robin" having 1 minute with each judge individually. No introduction is required.

Interview questions will come from your Interview Bio Sheet which can be found on our website. The judges are looking for how well you can hold a conversation, be engaging, connect with others and articulate your thoughts, as well as age appropriate attire. Interview is 40% of your overall score. Please email your interview bio sheet to [unmgastate@gmail.com](mailto:unmgastate@gmail.com).

## RUNWAY

Wear a red carpet style outfit of your choice in this fun and upbeat competition that allows you to showcase your personality and sense of fashion style. Judges will be looking for modeling ability, personality, age appropriate attire and stage presence. The Runway competition is 30% of your overall score.

All competitions are scored on our secure online scoring system.

# OPTIONAL COMPETITIONS

Our pageant will be offering the following optional competitions. The optional competitions have no bearing on the final results of the pageant.



## COVER MODEL

Our photogenic competition can win you the State Cover Model award and qualify you for the Supermodel Competition. One winner per age division. Enter by January 18.

**FEE:** \$50 for 1 photo, \$75 for unlimited photos.

**PHOTOS:** Photos must be age appropriate and professional quality. Ages 4-12 must not have more make up than what is allowed by USA National Miss.

**PRIZES:** Official UNM State Award

## SUPERMODEL

This modeling competition is based on your photo entries from Cover Model and your runway score during the Runway competition. One winner per division. Enter by January 18.

**FEE:** \$50

**PRIZES:** Official UNM State Award



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## CASUAL WEAR

Rock the stage in your favorite casual wear outfit! This gives you the opportunity to get on stage prior to the pageant and showcase your confidence and personality. One winner per age division. Enter by January 18.

**FEE:** \$75

**PRIZES:** Official UNM State Award



# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

## OPENING NUMBER DRESS

Each delegate should bring a white trendy dress/outfit and nude colored shoes for the opening number production that kicks off the pageant show.

## PEOPLE'S CHOICE SCHOLARSHIP & TITLES

We will be having a state People's Choice competition and the contestant with the highest votes will receive a cash scholarship equaling half of the proceeds received from the People's Choice competition in their age division. Two overall winners (ages 4-12 and 13-25) with the highest votes will be awarded the titles of Miss East Coast and will advance to nationals with their \$550 entry fee paid, and crown and sash. Every contestant is entered into People's Choice for free!

## STATE PRIZE PACKAGE

Georgia and Peach State winners receives: official UNM state crown, official UNM state sash and their \$550 National Entry Fee paid, photo shoots, coaching sessions, wardrobe discounts + other prizes. Our prize package is constantly growing!

## NATIONAL PLATFORM

Our state pageant is proud to support the USA National Miss national platform INSPIRE™. INSPIRE aims to inspire young women to find their passion for service through three pillars: INSPIRE KINDNESS | INSPIRE COMPASSION | INSPIRE EARTH. We encourage all delegates to get involved in their communities and make a difference. For more information on INSPIRE, please visit the national website.

## EXPECTATIONS

We are a Positive Pageantry® system and poor sportsmanship is not allowed and will be cause for disqualification. State queens crowned at our pageant must make a minimum of two appearances each month, and understand that they are under a non-compete during their year. A full list of expectations and responsibilities is outlined in the State Titleholder Contract.

## PHOTOS

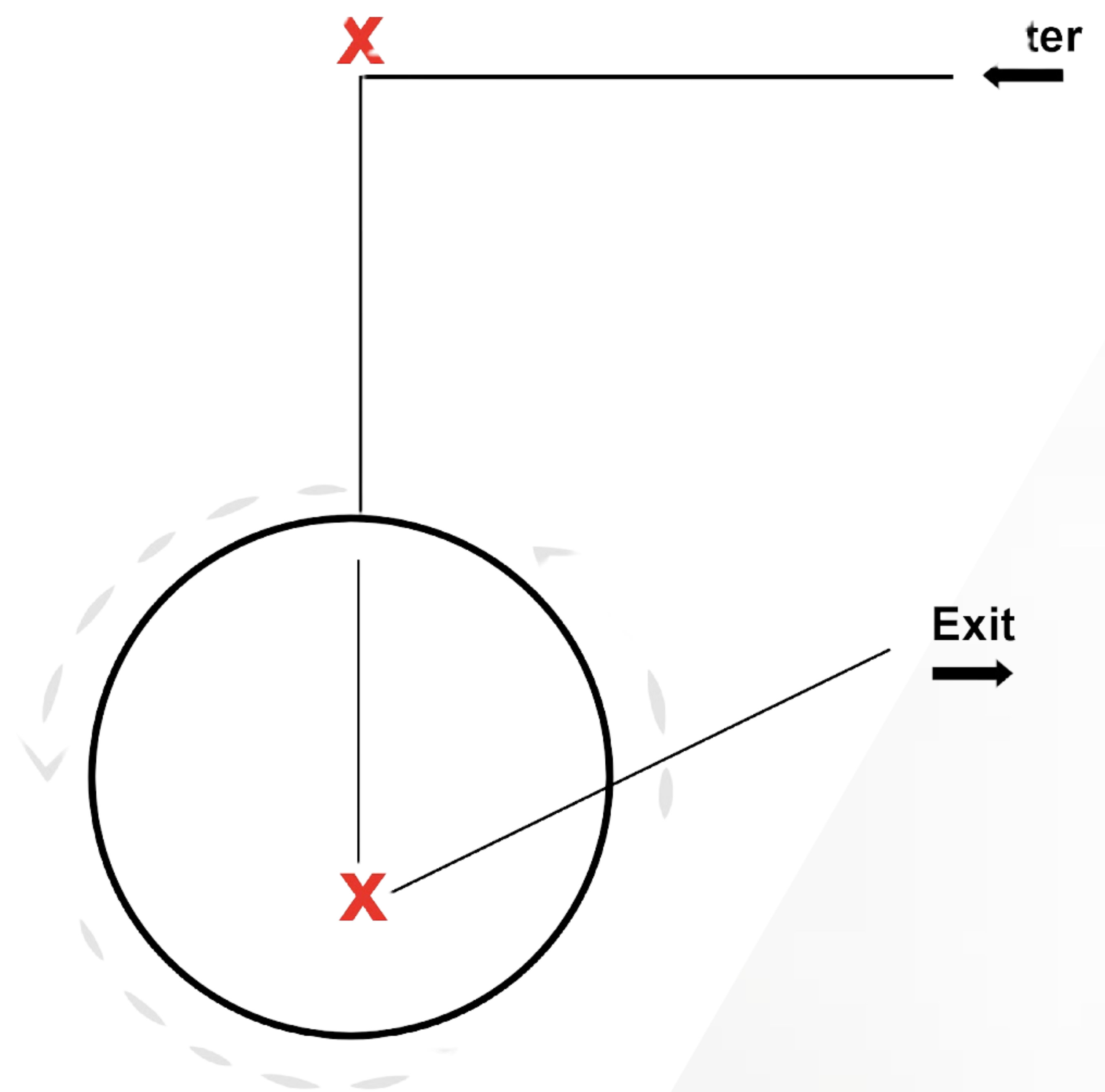
Early bird photo packages are \$159 and runs through August 18-October 12, 2024. The regular pricing of \$189 will begin October 13, 2024. Price increases to \$219 at the start of crowning during the pageant.



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## WALKING PATTERN

There will be a set walking pattern each delegate must follow for all stage competitions. Every delegate must follow the walking pattern exactly as instructed. Judges will deduct at their discretion for delegates who do not follow this pattern and extend their routine further than allowed. The walking pattern will be practiced at rehearsal and will follow the diagram as shown. You will enter the stage and walk to the first X. Then you will walk toward the front of the stage and make a circle pattern at the end of the runway then stop to do one pose. **IMPORTANT JR. DIVISION NOTE:** Jr. Division delegates should exhibit a walk and stride that is youthful and age appropriate.



## ROYAL PAGEANT CELEBRATION

Our state party will be a royal pageant celebration! Dress in your best princess attire and enjoy a Queen's Ball, along with treats, royal activities and loads of fun!



## SCHEDULE

### Saturday:

10am-12pm Registration at Holiday Inn  
12pm-3pm Interviews at Holiday Inn  
5pm-7:30pm Royal Pageant Celebration (location TBA)

### Sunday:

7am-7:45am Jr. Division Rehearsal  
7:45am-8:30am Sr. Division Rehearsal  
12pm Jr. Division Pageant (casual wear, runway, gown) & Crowning (winners must stay for photos)  
3pm Sr. Division Pageant (casual wear, runway, gown) & Crowning. All divisional winners must be present for photos after Sr. crowning.

## DEADLINE

The deadline to enter the pageant and be featured in the program book is January 18. Entries will be accepted after this date but will not be featured in the book.



# CONTACT US

## DIRECTORS

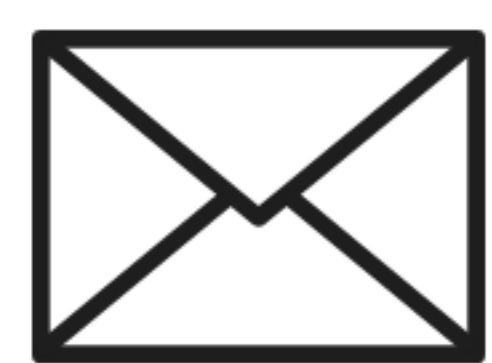
We are so excited to be producing the USA National Miss Georgia pageant and see the lives of young women change for the better because of this amazing organization. As the state directors for USA National Miss Georgia & Southern States, we are so glad that you will be joining us! You can expect a top notch production, and an organized, fair and stress free pageant experience filled with glamour, excitement and fun. We know you'll feel #PositivelyEmpowered! Don't hesitate to reach out to our office if you have any questions about the state pageant. See you in Jackson!

Love,

*Tanisha & Sydney Dorsey*

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