



WASHINGTON INTERSCHOLASTIC  
ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION

## Process For Changing An Approaching Scheduled Sport Season

### 1. Preliminary Update: Four (4) weeks prior to the upcoming planned season:

- a. Staff will send a preliminary update to all schools showing the percentage of “Eligible” schools ([based on DOH Guidelines](#)) for sports within the eligible risk category, in each region, in each classification.
- b. If a sport is below 50% of schools eligible to compete in any region, staff will provide notice as to the adjusted season the sport would be planned to move.

### 2. Secondary Update: Three (3) weeks prior to the upcoming planned season:

- a. Staff will send a notice to all schools showing the percentage of “Eligible” schools (based on DOH Guidelines) for each sport, in each region, in each classification.
- b. If a sport is below 50% of schools eligible to compete in any region, staff will provide notice as to the adjusted season the sport will be moved.
- c. If a sport is at, or above 50% of schools eligible to compete, the sport will move forward as scheduled.

**Decision:** Sport(s) assigned to the season will go forward as scheduled or sport(s) will be moved.

### 3. Region Confirmation: Two (2) weeks prior to the upcoming planned season:

- a. WIAA Regions that meet the eligibility requirements will determine if they will participate in each sport season as scheduled
- b. If a WIAA Region meets the eligibility requirement, but chooses not to participate in the scheduled season, the Region directors will need to indicate the adjusted season
- c. Once a season begins, it should continue through the end without suspending, delaying or restarting

**Decision:** Sport(s) participation in season by region and classification

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## Process For Confirming A Regional Culminating Event

In order for a WIAA Region to have a culminating event in a specific sport/activity it must have a minimum of eight schools participating (within that sport/activity and classification) by the end of the 4th week of that season, which begins with pre-competition practices.

At the end of the 4th week of each WIAA Season, Regions will confirm the number of schools offering a sport/activity in each classification to determine eligibility for a culminating event.

Regions may choose to combine classifications within a sport/activity to meet the eight-school minimum of having a culminating event

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### 4. Any alterations to this process are subject to a written request of the WIAA Executive Director/Board

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#### Definitions:

Regions - Three regions have been established for the purposes of 2020-21 WIAA culminating events

Region "A" – WIAA Districts 1 & 2

Region "B" – WIAA Districts 3 & 4

Region "C" – WIAA Districts 5-9

WIAA Culminating Event - Final Four per region, per classification, per sport

"Eligible" - The COVID case metric in the county (per the DOH Statewide Risk Assessment Dashboard) meets the requirements to begin league games per the [most recent Department of Health guidelines](#)

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#### Dates for WIAA Season 2:

Monday, December 28, 2020

Friday, November 27, 2020

Friday, December 4, 2020

Friday, December 11, 2020

First day of WIAA Season 2 practices

Preliminary Update with statewide metrics

Decision(s) made to go forward or re-schedule

Announcement region/classification participation