2025 - 2026 NCHSAA Sports Calendar

FALL 2025	
First Practice Jul. 30	
First Contest	Aug. 11

WOMEN'S GOLF	
Reporting deadline	Oct. 15; 9:00 pm
Regional	Oct. 20 or 21
State	Oct. 27 - 28

VOLLEYBALL	
Seeding	Oct. 16
1st Round	Oct. 18
2nd Round	Oct. 21
3rd Round	Oct. 23
4th Round	Oct. 25
Regional	Oct. 28
State	Nov. 1

WOMEN'S TENNIS		
Individual		
Reporting deadline	Oct. 13; 3:00 pm	
Regional	Oct. 17 - 18	
State	Oct. 24 - 25	
Dual Team		
Seeding	Oct. 10	
1st Round	Oct. 13	
2nd Round	Oct. 15	
3rd Round	Oct. 20	
4th Round	Oct. 22	
Regional	Oct. 28	
State	Nov. 1	

CROSS COUNTRY	
Reporting deadline	Oct. 18; 11:59 pm
Regional	Oct. 25
State	Nov. 1

MEN'S SOCCER	
Seeding	Oct. 31
1st Round	Nov. 3
2nd Round	Nov. 6
3rd Round	Nov. 10
4th Round	Nov. 13
Regional	Nov. 18
State	Nov. 21 - 22

CHEERLEADING	
Invitational	Dec. 6

FOOTBALL		
First Practice	Jul. 30	
First Scrimmage	Aug. 8	
Week 1	Aug. 22	
Week 2	Aug. 29	
Week 3	Sept. 5	
Week 4	Sept. 12	
Week 5	Sept. 19	
Week 6	Sept. 26	
Week 7	Oct. 3	
Week 8	Oct. 10	
Week 9	Oct. 17	
Week 10	Oct. 24	
Week 11	Oct. 31	
FOOTBAL	L PLAYOFFS	
Seeding	Nov. 1	
1st Round	Nov. 7	
2nd Round	Nov. 14	
3rd Round	Nov. 21	
4th Round	Nov. 28	
Regionals	Dec. 5	
State	Dec. 12 - 13	

WINTER 2025 - 2026		
First Practice (Indoor Track, Swimming &		
Diving, Wrestling)	Oct. 29	
First Contest (Indoor Track, Swimming &		
Diving, Wrestling)	Nov. 10	

INDOOR TRACK	
Reporting deadline	Feb. 7; 9:00 pm
State	Feb. 11 - 14

SWIMMING & DIVING	
Reporting deadline	Jan. 24 @ 11:59 pm
Regionals	Jan. 29 - 31
State	Feb. 4 - 7

WRESTLING		
Men's Dual Team		
Seeding	Jan. 29	
1st/2nd	Jan. 31	
3rd/Regionals	Feb. 4	
State Championship	Feb. 7	
Individual		
Men's/Women's Reporting deadline	Jan 29; 3pm	
Women's Regional	Feb. 6 - 7	
Men's Regional	Feb. 13 - 14	
Men's/Women's State	Feb. 19 - 21	

BASKETBALL	
First Practice	Oct. 29
First Practice (Non-FB)	Oct. 22
First Contest	Nov. 14
First Contest (Non-FB)	Nov. 3
Conference Tournament	Feb. 16 - 21
Seeding	Feb. 21
1st Round	Feb. 24
2nd Round	Feb. 27
3rd Round	Mar. 3
4th Round	Mar. 6
Regional/State	Mar. 9 - 14

SUMMER DEAD PERIODS 2025	
June 30 - July 6, 2025	Week of July 4th
July 21 - 27, 2025	Week of NCCA

SCHOOL YEAR DEAD PERIODS

July 30 - August 19, 2025 October 29 - November 18, 2025 February 16 - March 8, 2026 Last 5 Student Days of the 1st Semester Last 10 Student Days of the 2nd Semester

SUMMER DEAD PERIODS 2026	
June 29 - July 5, 2026	Week of July 4th
July 20 - 26, 2026	Week of NCCA

SPRING 2026	
First Practice	Feb. 16
First Contest	Feb. 25

MEN'S GOLF	
Reporting deadline	Apr. 29, 9:00 pm
Regional	May 4 or 5
State	May 11 - 12

MEN' S TENNIS		
Individual	Individual	
Reporting deadline	Apr. 27; 3:00 pm	
Regional	May 1 - 2	
State	May 8 - 9	
Dual Team		
Seeding	Apr. 24	
1st Round	Apr. 27	
2nd Round	Apr. 29	
3rd Round	May 4	
4th Round	May 6	
Regional	May 12	
State	May 16	

TRACK	
Reporting deadline	May 2; 9pm
Regionals	May 8 - 9
State	May 15 - 16

LACROSSE	
Seeding	May 8
1st Round	May 12
2nd Round	May 15
3rd Round	May 19
4th Round	May 22
Regional	May 27
State	May 29 - 30

WOMEN'S SOCCER	
Seeding	May 8
1st Round	May 11
2nd Round	May 14
3rd Round	May 18
4th Round	May 21
Regional	May 26
State	May 29 - 30

SOFTBALL	
Seeding	May 4
1st Round	May 5
2nd Round	May 8
3rd Round	May 12
4th Round	May 15
Regional	May 19 - 23
State	May 29 - 30

BASEBALL	
Seeding	May 4
1st Round	May 5
2nd Round	May 8
3rd Round	May 12
4th Round	May 15
Regional	May 19 - 23
State	May 29 - 30