



OHSWCA STATE DUALS FOR 2027



For the 2027 State Duals Championships, the OHSWCA will implement a new qualification format designed to create a clear pathway from district qualification to the State Duals Championships.

BOYS QUALIFICATION:

The process will begin with 16 teams—four from each district—initially qualifying for the State Duals Tournament. Following district qualifying duals, the field will be reduced to 12 teams—three from each district—who will advance to the State Duals Championships.

District Qualification: Based on the current State Duals point system, the top four teams from each district will qualify for the State Duals qualification process (see qualifying teams below).

The top two teams from each district will automatically advance to the 12-team State Duals Championships which will be held the weekend of February 6th or 7th, 2027.

The third- and fourth-place teams from each district will compete in a district qualifying dual, with the winner earning the district's third and final berth in the State Duals Championships. **These District qualifying duals must be completed between January 1 and January 24, 2027.**

The competing teams and coaches may mutually determine the date, location, and starting time of the qualifying dual. If both teams are willing and able to host the qualifying dual, the third-place team in the district standings will receive hosting priority.

At the conclusion of the district qualifying duals, each district will advance three teams:

- **1st Place:** Automatic qualifier
- **2nd Place:** Automatic qualifier
- **3rd Qualifier:** Winner of the dual between the district's third- and fourth-place teams

GIRLS QUALIFICATION:

The 12 girls teams competing in the 2027 State Duals Championships will be selected using a different qualification process. The top two teams in the State Duals point standings from each district will automatically qualify. After those automatic qualifiers have been determined, the next four teams with the highest State Duals point totals statewide will qualify as at-large teams, regardless of district.

This means a district may have more than two girls teams represented at the State Duals Championships if additional teams from that district are among the four highest remaining point totals. Unlike the boys qualification process, there will be no third-place vs. fourth-place district qualifying dual for the girls division.

This process will produce a 12-team girls State Duals Championship field consisting of eight district automatic qualifiers and four statewide at-large qualifiers.

Once the final field is established, seeding will be determined by the participating coaches after final team rosters have been submitted. The top four seeds will receive a first-round bye. Seeds 5 through 12 will compete in the opening round, with the four winners advancing to the quarterfinals to face Seeds 1 through 4. The State Duals Championships will use a double-elimination format, guaranteeing every participating team at least two dual meets (see sample bracket below).

The 2027 State Duals Championships will be held on February 6th or 7th, 2027 at the following sites:

Division I: Dublin Coffman High School on **Saturday, February 6th, 2027**
Division II: Bishop Watterson High School on **Saturday, February 6th, 2027**
Division III: Elgin High School High School **Saturday, February 6th, 2027**
Girls Division: Marysville High School **Sunday, February 7th, 2027**

HERE ARE THE QUALIFIERS FOR EACH DIVISION:

DIVISION I

Place	Darby	Pts	Place	Fairmont	Pts	Place	Perrysburg	Pts	Place	Wadsworth	Pts
1	Dublin Coffman	98	1	Archbishop Moeller	84	1	St Edward	94	1	Ashland	70
2	Marysville	72	2	Springboro	76	2	Brecksville-Broadview Hts	88	2	Louisville	70
3	Olentangy Liberty	68	3	Harrison	64	3	Highland (Medina)	86	3	Perry (Massillon)	68
4	Olentangy Berlin	50	4	Elder	48	4	Perrysburg	70	4	Mayfield	50
5	Teays Valley	46	5	Lebanon	44	5	Whitmer	62	5	Austintown-Fitch	46
6	New Albany	32	6	Troy	42	6	Mentor	56	6	Walsh Jesuit	38
6	Upper Arlington	32	7	Fairfield	36	7	Avon Lake	46	7	Lake (Uniontown)	32
8	Big Walnut	28	8	Anderson	32	8	Clay (Oregon)	44	7	Strongsville	32
8	Grove City	28	8	Mason	32	9	Jackson (Massillon)	42	9	Brunswick	30
8	Thomas Worthington	28	10	Lakota West	30	10	North Ridgeville	34	10	Medina	26

Automatic qualifiers from Darby District::

Qualifying dual from Darby District::

Dublin Coffman

Olentangy Liberty

Marysville

Olentangy Berlin

Automatic qualifiers from Fairmont District::

Qualifying dual from Fairmont District::

Archbishop Moeller

Harrison

Springboro

Elder

Automatic qualifiers from Perrysburg District::

Qualifying dual from Perrysburg District::

St. Edward

Medina Highland

Brecksville-Broadview Hts.

Perrysburg

Automatic qualifiers from Wadsworth District::

Qualifying dual from Wadsworth District:

Ashland

Massillon Perry

Louisville

Mayfield

DIVISION II

Place	Galia	Pts	Place	Norwalk	Pts	Place	Kenston	Pts	Place	Wilmington	Pts
1	Claymont	78	1	Clear Fork	58		St Vincent St Mary	58	1	St Francis (Columbus)	114
2	New Lexington	76	2	Perkins	58	1	Lake Catholic	84	2	Archbishop Alter	84
3	Beaver	66	3	Wapakoneta	58	2	Buckeye (Medina)	50	3	Bishop Watterson	78
4	Carrollton	56	4	Bellevue	54	3	Streetsboro	40	4	Jonathan Alder	54
5	Minerva	46	5	Highland (Marengo)	48	4	Woodridge	38	5	Franklin	46
5	Westfall	46	6	Celina	38	5	Canfield	36	6	Eaton	44
7	Indian Valley	40	6	Central Catholic	38	6	CVCA	32	6	Granville	44
8	Chillicothe	34	8	Galion	34	7	Alliance	30	8	Benjamin Logan	42
8	Steubenville	34	9	Clyde	32	7	Benedictine	30	9	LaSalle	40
10	Gallia Academy	32	9	Defiance	32	7	Norton	30	10	Bloom Carroll	30
10	Sheridan	32				7	West Branch	30	10	Brookville	30
10	Washington (Wash CH)	32							10	Ross (Hamilton)	30

Automatic qualifiers from Galia District::

Qualifying dual from Galia District::

Claymont

Beaver

New Lexington

Carrollton

Automatic qualifiers from Norwalk District::

Qualifying dual from Norwalk District::

Clearfork

Wapakoneta

Perkins

Bellvue

Automatic qualifiers from Kenston District::

Qualifying dual from Kenston District::

Lake Catholic

Streetboro

Medina Buckeye

Woodridge

Automatic qualifiers from Wilmington District::

Qualifying dual from Wilmington District:

St. Francis Desales

Bishop Watterson

Archbishop Alter

Jonathan Alter

DIVISION III

Place	Coshocton	Pts	Place	Independence	Pts	Place	Rossford	Pts	Place	Troy	Pts
1	Barnesville	104	1	Waynedale	84	1	Archbold	90	1	Graham	108
2	Garaway	84	2	Crestwood	54	2	Edison (Milan)	56	2	Versailles	66
3	Union Local	82	3	Perry	52	3	Tinora	50	3	West Jefferson	50
4	Elgin	66	4	Tuslaw	46	4	Delta	46	4	West Liberty-Salem	48
5	Nelsonville-York	58	5	Berkshire	42	5	Western Reserve (Collins)	36	5	Allen East	46
6	Martins Ferry	56	6	Trinity	40	5	Woodmore	36		Lima Central Catholic	40
7	Mechanicsburg	52	7	Beachwood	38	7	Eastwood	34	6	Waynesville	38
8	Huntington	48	8	Rootstown	36	7	Evergreen	34	7	Indian Lake	34
9	River Valley (Bidwell)	38	9	Columbia	32	9	Liberty Center	32	7	Madeira	34
10	Newcomerstown	30				9	Oak Harbor	32	7	Paulling	34
						9	Port Clinton	32	10	Miami East	30

Automatic qualifiers from Coshocton District::

Qualifying dual from Coshocton District::

Barnesville

Union Local

Garaway

Elgin

Automatic qualifiers from Independence District::

Qualifying dual from Independence District::

Waynedale

Perry

Crestwood

Tuslaw

Automatic qualifiers from Rossford District::

Qualifying dual from Rossford District::

Archbold

Tinora

Milan Edison

Delta

Automatic qualifiers from Troy District::

Qualifying dual from Troy District:

Graham

West Jefferson

Versailles

West-Liberty Salem

GIRLS DIVISION

Place	Big Walnut	Points	Place	Findlay	Points	Place	Harrison	Points	Place	Mentor	Points
1	Olentangy Orange	68	1	Fremont Ross	50	1	Eaton	44	1	Claymont	38
2	Marysville	66	2	Archbold	44	2	Wilmington	44	2	Perry (Massillon)	38

Automatic qualifiers from Big Walnut District: Olentangy Orange Marysville

Automatic qualifiers from Findlay District: Fremont Ross Archbold

Automatic qualifiers from Harrison District: Eaton Wilmington

Automatic qualifiers from Mentor District: *Claymont *Massillon Perry

****There was a three-way tie in the Mentor district. Here is the tiebreaker information:***

Team	District	Confirmed	District Participants	Sectional Participants	JH Placer	TOTALS
38 Claymont	Mentor	Yes	6	8	1	15
38 Perry (Massillon)	Mentor	Yes	5	9		14
38 Marysville	Mentor	Yes	5	8		13

Four Additional At-Large Bids to State:

- Watkins Memorial (Big Walnut District)
- Gahanna Lincoln (Big Walnut District)
- St.Marys Memorial (Findlay District)
- Hilliard Bradley (Big Walnut District)

9	Watkins Memorial	62	BW3
10	Lincoln (Gahanna)	50	BW4
11	Memorial (St Marys)	42	F3
12	Hilliard Bradley	40	BW5
13	Fairfield	38	H3
13	Harrison	38	H4
13	Warren	38	BW6
13	Marysville	38	M3