



# IDAHO HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION

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## 2024-25 Schools of Excellence

The Idaho High School Activities Association is pleased to announce the 2024-2025 winners of the "Schools of Excellence" program. This yearlong, voluntary program in which schools earn points based on their student-athletes' performance in athletics, academics and sportsmanship is the top award for the IHSAA and its member schools. The top three schools in each classification with the best overall programs will be recognized at the IHSAA Annual Meeting, August 6<sup>th</sup>.

<b>6A</b>	<b>Rocky Mountain High School</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> place – Mountain View High School	<b>Dan Lunt, Principal; Troy Rice, AD</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> place – Eagle High School
<b>5A</b>	<b>Twin Falls High School</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> place – Bishop Kelly High School	<b>Nancy Jones, Principal; Shaun Walker, AD</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> place – Century High School
<b>4A</b>	<b>Kimberly High School</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> place – Sugar-Salem High School	<b>Darin Gonzales, Principal; Zach Dong, AD</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> place – Snake River High School
<b>3A</b>	<b>Malad High School</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> place – Declo High School	<b>Dallan Rupp, Principal; Joshua Smith, AD</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> place – Ririe High School
<b>2A</b>	<b>Grace High School</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> place – Oakley High School	<b>Bryan Jensen, Principal; Travis Draper, AD</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> place – Potlatch High School
<b>1A</b>	<b>Rockland High School</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> place – Genesee High School	<b>Greg Larson, Principal; Andrew Nelson, AD</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> place – Carey High School

The three major areas of high school activities are weighted equally in determining recipients of the award.

- The Academic Component is based on the varsity team's cumulative GPA as submitted on the State Academic Champions application for all IHSAA sponsored sports/activity programs.
- The Performance Component is based on place of finish at IHSAA-sponsored state championships and activity program competitions.
- The Citizenship Component is based on a school's self-evaluation of their citizenship/sportsmanship activities as submitted on an itemized form. Deductions are made by the IHSAA for player and/or coach unsportsmanlike ejections and also for unsportsmanlike school behavior at state tournaments.

In addition to the primary awards, schools that score 90% on the Citizenship Component and have no player/coach ejections throughout the year or incidents of unsportsmanlike school behavior at state tournaments will receive an "Award of Excellence" certificate. The 2024-2025 Award of Excellence schools are Mountain View, Owyhee, Kuna, Bonneville, Century, Twin Falls, Wood River, Kimberly, Sugar-Salem, Snake River, McCall-Donnelley, Cole Valley Christian, Malad, Declo, Ririe, Rockland, Carey.