



# IHSAA Student Advisory Committee Application

The IHSAA Student Advisory Committee is a diverse group of students who participate in interscholastic athletics/activities and are focused on providing education and leadership through open and honest communication with all member school students, administrators and coaches. The committee serves as a liaison between students, administrators, the IHSAA Staff and Board of Directors. The Student Advisory Committee promotes the ideals of the IHSAA, including leadership, sportsmanship and integrity.

## Application Process/Requirements for the 2025-2026 Committee

- All current Sophomore (2027 Graduate) and Junior (2026 Graduate) IHSAA member school students are eligible for nomination
- Applications will be available online through the IHSAA website at [www.idhsaa.org](http://www.idhsaa.org) from January 1, 2025 through May 10, 2025
- Completed electronic application must be completed and emailed to [federicom@idhsaa.org](mailto:federicom@idhsaa.org) by May 10, 2025 – **attached as a .pdf document**
- Recommendation/Letter of Support from school Principal – **attached as a .pdf document**
- School Photo/Headshot Photo – **attached as a .jpg document**
- Parental approval and support

Students nominated for the IHSAA Student Advisory Committee must:

- Display strong character and commitment to sportsmanship and integrity
- Demonstrate leadership in your school
- Be involved in at least two IHSAA sponsored activities
- Demonstrate a commitment to representing the interest of all students participating in interscholastic activities
- Have a cumulative GPA over 2.5 on a 4.0 scale through sophomore year

Student responsibilities in serving on the IHSAA Student Advisory Committee are:

- Attend all committee meetings. (summer/fall/spring meetings)
- Be the voice of students from their respective districts within the IHSAA governance structure, and offer input and suggestions on current issues facing students
- Give input regarding rules and regulations
- Give input on IHSAA special initiatives (Sportsmanship, increase student participation, official's recruitment, social media, non-school teams, etc.)
- Serve as the planning committee for District Leadership Conference/Workshops
- Serve as presenters, moderators, and recruiters for the District Leadership Conference/Workshops
- Promote a positive image of student participating in interscholastic competition
- Assist in development of campaigns promoting sportsmanship, healthy choices, participation, by utilizing talents to record PSA's, and other positive marketing materials

Student Advisory Committee Meetings:

- The group meets three times a year at the IHSAA office in Boise
- Members will attend an annual summer retreat
- The students will participate in a District Student Leadership Conference
- SAC members will receive mileage reimbursement per IHSAA policy

<b>REQUIREMENTS</b>	
<b>IHSAA Office Use Only</b>	
___	Completed Application
___	Principal Recommendation
___	Multiple Activity Participation Sports/Activities/Clubs
___	Photo
___	Required Signatures Applicant/Parent/Principal



### Written Statement:

Explain why you would like to be selected for the IHSAA Student Advisory Committee, and what qualities and experiences you would bring to the committee. (250 words or less)

### REQUIRED SIGNATURES:

I, \_\_\_\_\_, student at \_\_\_\_\_ High School understand that as a member of this committee, I will be expected to fulfill the obligations of the committee. This will include missing class time and travel.

Signature of Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Parent/Guardian of the named applicant, approve and support my daughter/son in the pursuit and participation in the IHSAA Student Advisory Committee. I understand that as a member of this committee, our daughter/son will be expected to fulfill the obligations of the committee. This will include missing class time and travel.

Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Principal of the named student, nominate him/her to the IHSAA Student Advisory Committee based on the criteria set forth by the IHSAA. I verify that our school's nominee is strong of character and has reflected the values of good citizenship both in our school and in our community.

Signature of Principal \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_