

Membership Eligibility Requirements as of January 1, 2022

Starting with membership applicants received after January 1, 2022 by students who attend a homeschool, private school, religious school or correspondence school, the following must be included to deem the student 'eligible':

- a. A completed Home School form (*available on the NHSRA website or WHSRA website*), and
- b. A copy of an official transcript from a homeschool program that is registered with the Wyoming State Department of Education (accredited program) showing they are passing 70% of the classes taken, or;
- c. Verification of grade appropriate proficiency for those students enrolled in a homeschool program that is NOT registered with the Wyoming State Department of Education (non-accredited program).

EFFECTIVE AS OF 2.6.2022

On Feb. 6 the WHSRA board held their winter meeting in person at the Converse County Library in Douglas. Eligibility requirements were discussed at length. Due to all of the controversy from the fall, the board approved the following:

Rules for the spring 2022 season ONLY,

1. No fall (2021) transcripts will be required for the spring season
2. For the 2022 JH & HS state finals, contestants will be required to have a form completed by their school stating they are 'in good standing'; and
3. That they are passing 70% of the classes they are currently taking;

For the 2022-23 rodeo season, ALL members will have to be finished with their prior year's schooling by August 15th (passing 70% of the classes) and a finalized signed transcript must be turned in.

a. If they are in a 'non-accredited' program, a proficiency test will be required along with their homeschool transcript; (a list of acceptable tests will be listed on the website as it must be a 'proficiency test' NOT a 'placement test');

1. Prior to the spring (2023) rodeo season, members must submit their fall transcripts before they will be eligible to compete in the spring rodeo season.
2. For state finals (2023) the form signed by the school stating they are eligible will be required with their 2023 state finals paperwork and;
3. All national qualifiers will be required to have their final transcript turned in within 5 days of the completion of the state finals (2023).
 - a. This includes accredited and non-accredited home schooled students;
 - b. All non-accredited students must turn in another proficiency test within 5 days of the completion of the state finals.
 - c. All national qualifiers must be completed with their school for the year in order to compete at Nationals.