

Ultimate Frisbee Championship

Tournament May 7, 2022

I. General Information

- A. Ultimate Frisbee "2022-23 rules" will apply to the DCSAA Championship Meet unless otherwise noted. (available at https://usaultimate.org/rules/)
- B. Schools choosing to enter the DCSAA Ultimate Frisbee State Championship Tournament have the responsibility for reading and adhering to the rules and regulations of this bulletin.
- C. Eligibility rules for all participants can be found in 5 DCMR A; Chapter 27 at DCSAAsports.org.
- D. A CONTESTANT, in order to qualify must be on the active Ultimate Frisbee Championship roster of the school team and must have participated in a minimum of one Ultimate Frisbee game with the school's Ultimate Frisbee team.
- E. A team, in order to qualify, must be a DCSAA approved member high school.
- F. All teams must be co-ed.
- G. The tournament will take place at TBD
- H. Registration and rosters of participating student athletes need to be submitted to DCSAA office (desmond.stewart@dc.gov) no later than 11:59pm Wednseday, April 29th, 2022

I. State Tournament

A. Organization

- The Games Committee, comprised of members of the State Ultimate Frisbee
 Championship Committee present at the championship, will rule on any questions
 and protest that arise. Committee officials will be provided to handle schedule, field
 conditions and see that the athletes adhere to the Spirit of the Game rules.
- 2. Athletes should come dressed for participation- there will be no locker rooms.



- 3. A maximum of 30 student-athletes from a school will be permitted to participate in the DCSAA Ultimate Frisbee Championship Tournament, per team.
- 4. A school may run as few as seven (7) student athletes.
- 5. On arrival at the designated field, the coach or school representative should report to the registration table for the team's packet which contains final instructions.
- 6. The tournament format will be announced with bracket release. Pool play, single elimination or single elimination plus based on participating team registration.
- 7. The brackets will be promulgated on Wednesday May 2nd, 2022

B. Rules

- 1. It is the coach's responsibility to instruct the competitors concerning the official rules and schedule.
- 2. End zone dictates gender ratio of either 4/3 or 5/2 during the Ultimate Frisbee State Championship Tournament.
- 3. Only participants and credentialed attendants are allowed in the field area.
- 4. The head coach shall verify verbally, or in writing, that all of his / her competitors are properly equipped (uniform, equipment, and no jewelry) in compliance with these rules.
- 5. Any coach observed playing on the field with their student's athletes will disqualify their team from the Ultimate Frisbee State Championship Tournament.
- 6. The designated Tournament Director will make all final calls or resolve disputes.

C. Scoring and Advancement

- 1. Teams that advance shall be determined based on wins and losses, amount of points scored and the amount of points allowed.
- 2. Games will be to 13, with half at 7 points.
- 3. A soft cap will be placed on the game 15 minutes before the end time (the game ends two goals above the current score) and a hard cap 5 minutes before the end time (next goal ends the game, one wins).



D. Start / Conclusion

- 1. The start of the Ultimate Frisbee State Championship Tournament begins when competitor's uniforms are checked and they are called to the line for the first pull and is considered to be official and concluded when the predetermined number of goals has been scored or the time cap has been reached.
- 2. A competitor is considered official when they complete all the games that they are eligible to play, i.e. they cannot leave early.

E. First Aid/ Medical

1. Certified Athletic Trainers will be at the event to assists with any medical emergencies.

F. Disqualification

- 1. Undesirable behavior on the part of the school participants or nonparticipants shall be grounds for disqualification, at the determination of the State Ultimate Frisbee Championship Committee. Failure to comply will result in disciplinary action.
- 2. Failure to adhere to the Spirit of the Game will result in automatic disqualification from the Ultimate Frisbee State Championship Tournament.