



Academic All State

Individual Eligibility

- Must compete at the state finals
- All athletes that finish in the top half of field and have a 3.5 or higher are eligible to apply.
- Top 30 athletes from the field are selected based on GPA
- Any athlete with 4.0 **regardless of place** is automatic
- Any athlete with a 3.8 and finishing in top half of field **is automatically selected**
- Any athlete with a 3.5 in top 30 **is automatically selected**
- No freshman or exchanges students are eligible**

Team eligibility

- Must compete at state finals
 - No freshman or exchanges students are eligible**
 - Top team GPA by division receive a plaque at the MITCA clinic
 - Teams with avg. of 3.5 or higher receive 9 certificates (7 for athletes, 1 for coach, 1 for school)
 - Teams with avg. of 3.0-3.5 receive 2 certificates (1 for coach and 1 for school)
- Website to submit - http://www.mitca.org/?page_id=30

All Grades must be on a 4.0 grading scale. If you use a 5.0 scale for any classes, these must be converted prior to submitting.

ALL GRADES MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 3 DAYS AFTER COMPLETION OF MHSAA STATE FINALS (Tuesday by 8pm - no exceptions)

2020 Academic All-State Modifications Due to Covid-19

Due to Covid-19 impacting many athletes who would have normally qualified and competed at the state finals, the Academic All-State committee has decided that the following rules will be offered to all of the affected athletes that meet the criteria listed below for THIS YEAR ONLY. Coaches may submit these athletes as they would any other athlete who is able to compete at the finals. Those athletes who compete at the finals will still be considered, following the existing MITCA Academic All-State rules. The Covid-19 affected athletes will be awarded certificates and noted as an additional qualifier on the official lists.

*Individual AAS - Any athlete who was unable to compete at either the Regional meet or Finals due to Covid-19, but is ranked in the top 120 runners in Athletic.net for their respective division at the time of the finals AND has a cumulative GPA of 3.8.

*Individual AAS - Any athlete who ranks in the top 240 in Athletic.net at the time of the finals that was unable to compete in the finals due to Covid-19, but has maintained a cumulative GPA of 4.0.

*Team AAS - If a team competes with six runners due to a Covid-19 excluded runner, the excluded runner's GPA may be used in the team calculation. If the excluded runner is replaced at the State Finals by a teammate, then the team GPA is calculated using the existing rules and the current runner's GPA.