

Assignments to officiate regional and state playoff games will be made by the FHSAA office.

- The Recommendations Committee within each local officials association must compile and submit by the prescribed deadline to the FHSAA office a list of member officials who deserve consideration for assignment to regional and state contests.
- This list of recommended officials must be approved by majority vote of the local official's association membership prior to its submission to the FHSAA office.

FHSAA Eligibility:

1. **Must** have a current state rating of **1 or 2**.
(The **FHSAA** uses 1, 2 and 3 rankings with 1 being the highest).
2. **Must** score **80 or above** on the state exam for the current year.
3. **Must** have credit for **FHSAA video rules clinic** for the current year.
4. **Must** have credit for attending the **FHSAA field clinic** within the last 4-year period. Officials are required to attend a state field clinic at least once every 4 years.
5. **Must** be recommended to the **FHSAA** office by the local officials association to which they belong.

WCOA Eligibility:

1. **Must** meet all **FHSAA** eligibility requirements.
2. **Must** be in at least the second consecutive year on a **WCOA** varsity crew.
3. **Must** work a minimum of **6** regular season games in the current year.
4. **Must** officiate in at least **3** high school tackle scrimmages in the current calendar year. Scrimmage requirements are suggested to be split between the Spring and Fall. Jamborees are **NOT** scrimmages.
5. **Must** attend and participate in the current year **FHSAA** or **WCOA** field clinic.
6. **Must** attend a **majority** of the required **WCOA** training meetings.
7. **Must** be an official in good standing with the **WCOA** (dues, fines, fingerprinting, etc.)
8. **All** qualified officials will be considered for side judge and field judge positions.
9. The Recommendations Committee **Must** consider **all available information** in their selections.