

VISAA Swim and Dive Virtual Championships 2021		
Eligibility	 The Meet is open to all students 8th grade through 12th grade. A swimmer must be in good standing with the school he/she represents. A swimmer must be no older than 19 years of age as of August 1st, 2020 (the year immediately prior to the championship meet) No post-graduates are permitted to participate in VISAA events. There are no meet minimum cuts this season. 	
Individual Entries	• An individual swimmer may enter no more than two (2) individual events and no more than four (4) total events, including relays.	
Eligible Meets	 Times need to be swum in a meet that meets the following requirements. a. A meet swum during the season from November 1st, 2020 thought February 20th, 2021 b. A meet conducted in accordance with NFHS and VISAA rules; USA Swimming club meet results may not be submitted. c. The meet may be between multiple high school teams or as a single team meet if necessary. d. The meet must have a minimum number of certified officials as follows: One official for a meet swum in a 6 lane or fewer format. Two officials for a meet swum in an 8 lane or greater format 	
Entry Information	 All entries must be submitted to SwimCloud by 11:59 PM on Saturday, February 20th. Entries should be submitted using current season best times. Entries times may be used from swims in different meets. EX: 50 free- 25.21 on 12/13/20 and 100 free- 57.40 on 1/16/21 A team can only enter 4 people in an individual event as is consistent with limits in Finals at a usual State Meet. Teams should only enter one "A" relay. 	
Relay Information	 Due to Covid restrictions, relays may be entered in two possible ways: Relays swum as a single relay with legal relay take-offs. A combination of 4 times of swimmers who can legally make up a relay and fit within the event limit restriction. 	



Swimcloud	 As we approach the entry date, we will have coaches available at times to help with the Swimcloud entry system if needed.
Scoring Events	 Meet directors will look through the events to make sure all entries meet requirements Once entries have been confirmed a list of the top 16 entries will be announced.
Awards	 Medals for the top 8 athletes in each event will be mailed to respective schools for distribution to athletes. The top 3 athletes in each event will be named "All-State". Certificates will be mailed to respective schools for distribution to athletes. No other awards will be recognized.
Diving	 Diving will be conducted as a virtual meet as well. We will be announcing how as soon as it is decided.
Senior Recognition	 All teams are encouraged to submit information for the senior slideshow. Please email <u>Kmessinger@ves.org</u> with a file attachment or doc which includes their name(s), a picture (group or individual) and their plans for after graduation. These will be shared on the VISAA website.
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