

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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Sport	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
BADMINTON	965	11,609
BASEBALL	13,002	360,157
BASKETBALL	20,227	676,559
BOWLING	591	8,974
CROSS COUNTRY	7,818	144,488
CURLING	711	5,314
DECATHLON	48	102
FENCING	42	666
FIELD HOCKEY	103	1,850
FOOTBALL—11 Man	13,959	853,537
8 Man	657	14,593
6 Man	110	1,950
9 Man	113	2,749
12 Man	768	29,601
GOLF	8,650	93,841
GYMNASTICS	1,842	34,172
ICE HOCKEY	681	17,650
LACROSSE	123	2,736
PENTATHLON	43	250
RIFLERY	305	4,279
ROWING	24	403
RUGBY	22	465
RUGGER	16	263
SKIING	461	8,430
SOCCER	2,217	49,593
SOFTBALL	164	3,300
SWIMMING	3,229	83,286
TENNIS	6,221	83,717
TRACK AND FIELD (INDOOR)	1,918	42,998
TRACK AND FIELD (OUTDOOR)	16,836	623,139
VOLLEYBALL	3,519	63,144
WATER POLO	152	5,854
WRESTLING	6,870	226,681

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STATE	BASEBALL		BASKETBALL		BOWLING		CROSS COUNTRY	
	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.
ALABAMA	300	6,000	520	11,400			25	200
ALASKA			48	1,200			24	900
ARIZONA	115	5,246	121	6,393			68	2,125
ARKANSAS	165	3,300	532	16,000			75	1,200
CALIFORNIA	803	34,770	817	39,003	6	182	585	19,443
CANADA—Alberta			286	6,676			286	3,000
—Manitoba			198	3,813			120	1,114
—New Brunswick			62	2,280			19	308
—Nova Scotia			91	1,092	29	174	59	295
—Ontario			498	15,366	2	29	360	5,405
—Saskatchewan			186	1,250			60	1,440
COLORADO	167	5,500	236	9,600			102	2,040
CONNECTICUT	166	5,100	169	5,700			138	2,920
DELAWARE	65	1,300	67	1,200			35	700
DIST. OF COL.	14	520	14	630			12	460
FLORIDA	308	6,666	353	11,512			106	1,150
GEORGIA	350	11,500	360	15,740			165	1,650
HAWAII	40	1,500	42	500	12	144	25	350
IDAHO	67	1,739	129	4,578			33	418
ILLINOIS	626	18,480	765	42,075			465	7,020
INDIANA	509	13,314	580	21,993			539	10,100
IOWA	443	7,974	520	15,600			184	920
KANSAS	66	1,200	440	13,750			188	3,000
KENTUCKY	294	7,500	348	11,000			104	1,600
LOUISIANA	187	4,670	398	16,460				
MAINE	115	2,725	133	2,995			92	1,840
MARYLAND	120	3,400	136	4,800			87	1,500
MASSACHUSETTS	312	12,643	318	12,600			295	5,462

STATE	BASEBALL		BASKETBALL		BOWLING		CROSS COUNTRY	
	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.
MICHIGAN	637	23,000	741	22,000	9	100	423	7,800
MINNESOTA	442	13,945	487	25,143			175	3,215
MISSISSIPPI	221	4,032	282	4,275				
MISSOURI	357	11,795	757	30,280			193	3,960
MONTANA			202	9,300			34	450
NEBRASKA	45	1,500	382	20,000			116	2,000
NEVADA	27		45				5	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	90	2,500	90	2,700	15	200	33	400
NEW JERSEY	339	6,780	348	10,440	123	984	274	8,220
NEW MEXICO	71	2,130	124	5,952			47	705
NEW YORK	717	21,500	726	18,150	382	7,000	466	6,000
NORTH CAROLINA	381	8,382	550	18,990			50	1,240
NORTH DAKOTA	75	1,200	286	7,350			30	300
OHIO	879	21,319	1,476	36,304			514	9,796
OKLAHOMA	385	6,930	497	12,000			75	750
OREGON	203	9,135	241	8,676			149	2,980
PENNSYLVANIA	528	10,560	1,040	31,200			285	5,700
RHODE ISLAND	43	800	44	1,056			40	800
SOUTH CAROLINA	215	4,340	215	6,650	8	100	40	360
SOUTH DAKOTA			225	4,500			100	2,000
TENNESSEE	234	5,750	424	10,680			40	400
TEXAS	737	19,745	1,106	35,650				
UTAH	74	1,480	91	2,275				
VERMONT	75	1,736	76	4,034	5	61	34	463
VIRGINIA	290	6,669	287	10,620			103	1,492
WASHINGTON	280	8,622	314	11,187			179	3,516
WEST VIRGINIA	127	2,760	320	5,295			35	365
WISCONSIN	298	8,500	424	15,000			210	4,750
WYOMING			78	2,646			20	266
	13,002	360,157	20,227	676,559	591	8,974	7,818	144,488

STATE	11-MAN		8-MAN		6-MAN		12-MAN	
	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.
ALABAMA	425	12,750						
ALASKA	5	400						
ARIZONA	106	10,303	16	732				
ARKANSAS	204	12,240						
CALIFORNIA	762	82,458	25	746				
CANADA—Alberta							286	2,700
—Manitoba			(9-Man) 14	309			19	544
—New Brunswick							4	120
—Nova Scotia							4	132
—Ontario							410	24,530
—Saskatchewan			(9-Man) 35	840	45	810	45	1,575
COLORADO	171	10,260	40	1,100				
CONNECTICUT	110	3,300						
DELAWARE	47	2,350						
DIST. of COLUM.	14	770						
FLORIDA	289	23,318						
GEORGIA	278	15,000						
HAWAII	33	2,520						
IDAHO	106	7,453	17	364				
ILLINOIS	547	29,975						
INDIANA	418	27,524						
IOWA	425	21,250						
KANSAS	345	15,525	75	3,375				
KENTUCKY	176	8,500	4	100				
LOUISIANA	206	8,960						
MAINE	61	1,708						
MARYLAND	90	4,500						
MASSACHUSETTS	254	20,145						
MICHIGAN	678	42,000						

FOOTBALL		11-MAN		8-MAN		6-MAN		12-MAN	
STATE	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	
MINNESOTA	476	33,119							
MISSISSIPPI	246	9,960							
MISSOURI	414	24,840			4	120			
MONTANA	70	4,900	89	2,650					
NEBRASKA	265	10,000	99	2,500					
NEVADA	32		7						
NEW HAMPSHIRE	30	1,300							
NEW JERSEY	304	12,160							
NEW MEXICO	82	5,138							
NEW YORK	526	26,000	29	750	1	20			
NORTH CAROLINA	347	17,350							
NORTH DAKOTA	106	3,800	5	75			(9-Man)—64	1,600	
OHIO	1,176	56,188							
OKLAHOMA	265	11,500	18	550					
OREGON	187	12,155	34	510					
PENNSYLVANIA	883	70,640							
RHODE ISLAND	38	1,254							
SOUTH CAROLINA	190	9,850							
SOUTH DAKOTA	85	4,200	110	2,800					
TENNESSEE	293	13,200							
TEXAS	907	75,090	44	1,025	60	1,000			
UTAH	68	2,040							
VERMONT	26	1,474							
VIRGINIA	261	20,598							
WASHINGTON	265	16,325	22	437					
WEST VIRGINIA	216	8,755							
WISCONSIN	400	33,000	10						
WYOMING	51	2,017	13	254					
	13,959	853,537	657	14,593	110	1,950	768	29,601	
		(9-Man) 113	2,749						

GOLF		GYMNASTICS		ICE HOCKEY		SKIING	
STATE	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools
ALABAMA	100	800					
ALASKA					6	240	8
ARIZONA	56	743	32	1,132			400
ARKANSAS	95	950					
CALIFORNIA	478	6,393	134	4,661			12
CANADA—Alberta	286	500	286	1,500			219
—Manitoba			45	394			
—New Brunswick					30	856	
—Nova Scotia	25	100	33	330	54	864	23
—Ontario	243	1,550	197	1,947	183	3,598	50
—Saskatchewan							
COLORADO	79	1,050	53	1,500	10	250	17
CONNECTICUT	126	1,260	37	1,850	17	255	850
DELAWARE	22	220	6	120			
DIST. OF COLUM.	14	400					
FLORIDA	189	1,504	24	335			
GEORGIA	135	1,350	55	1,000			
HAWAII	26	156					
IDAHO	34	412					
ILLINOIS	373	3,275	71	1,775			
INDIANA	360	4,339	34	734			
IOWA	270	4,050	20	200			
KANSAS	167	3,100	31	530			
KENTUCKY	153	1,500	21	350			
LOUISIANA	53	428	5	48			
MAINE	42	420	35	875	5	100	51
MARYLAND	41	600	21	630			1,020
MASSACHUSETTS	196	2,665	48	1,254	133	4,478	23
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STATE	GOLF		GYMNASTICS		ICE HOCKEY		SKIING	
	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.
MICHIGAN	464	4,300	35	500	21	400	57	1,100
MINNESOTA	227	3,405	52	1,578	94	3,919	37	642
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	196	3,920						
MONTANA	34	700	20	400			15	450
NEBRASKA	118	1,500	21	1,000				
NEVADA	16		5				5	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	25	250	10	105	13	390	35	400
NEW JERSEY	142	852	32	640	15	450		
NEW MEXICO	43	516	20	500				
NEW YORK	445	4,450	168	3,360	25	375	76	1,500
NORTH CAROLINA	156	2,112						
NORTH DAKOTA	38	350			9	150		
OHIO	655	7,178	103	1,545				
OKLAHOMA	150	850						
OREGON	120	960	30	600				
PENNSYLVANIA	350	5,250						
RHODE ISLAND	34	204			16	320		
SOUTH CAROLINA	125	500	5	100				
SOUTH DAKOTA	50	500						
TENNESSEE	112	670						
TEXAS	900	10,005						
UTAH	56	224						
VERMONT	33	289	12	153	10	195	24	470
VIRGINIA	132	1,056	63	756	33	660		
WASHINGTON	152	2,177	44	870				
WEST VIRGINIA	64	585						
WISCONSIN	225	3,000	34	900	7	150	19	300
WYOMING	20	273					10	196
	8,650	93,841	1,842	34,172	681	17,650	461	8,430

State	SWIMMING		TENNIS		INDOOR TR. & FIELD		OUTDOOR TR. & FIELD	
	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.
ALABAMA	30	240	60	360	40	1,100	250	2,500
ALASKA							34	1,100
ARIZONA	23	788	76	2,139			114	6,491
ARKANSAS	75	1,500	105	2,000	25	500	310	9,300
CALIFORNIA	460	18,675	610	13,097			769	50,921
CANADA—Alberta	286	1,000					286	8,000
—Manitoba					96	1,102	194	6,753
—New Brunswick	5	110					41	1,650
—Nova Scotia	23	230					91	1,820
—Ontario	83	986	78	396	125	1,200	502	24,025
—Saskatchewan					40	240	320	15,360
COLORADO	42	1,600	64	1,150			212	10,620
CONNECTICUT	64	1,920	75	1,500	134	4,300	134	4,300
DELAWARE	8	200	25	250			54	1,620
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	3	150	14	240	13	420	14	840
FLORIDA	142	2,589	164	1,411			309	10,808
GEORGIA	90	2,700	170	1,400	15	300	320	11,200
HAWAII	23	400	30	360			40	650
IDAHO			22	838			124	4,445
ILLINOIS	124	4,836	225	2,250			682	19,096
INDIANA	104	2,730	204	2,868			569	21,068
IOWA	37	1,110	72	720	389	6,172	491	24,550
KANSAS	23	430	92	920	225	2,150	435	22,000
KENTUCKY	33	700	90	750			216	6,000
LOUISIANA	32	493	62	580			157	3,465
MAINE	16	400	17	170	10	250	129	5,160
MARYLAND	3	80			50	1,400	107	4,500

State	SWIMMING		TENNIS		INDOOR TR. & FIELD		OUTDOOR TR. & FIELD	
	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.
MASSACHUSETTS	45	1,144	139	2,300	103	4,527	237	11,079
MICHIGAN	166	5,600	285	4,800			682	27,000
MINNESOTA	72	2,477	123	2,291			450	18,393
MISSISSIPPI			65	650			253	5,120
MISSOURI	50	2,550	149	2,980	300	9,000	631	28,395
MONTANA			21	240			202	10,400
NEBRASKA	26	1,000	30	600	25	1,250	384	14,000
NEVADA			11				43	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4	40	18	125	15	250	33	500
NEW JERSEY	49	980	210	2,100	91	2,730	307	9,210
NEW MEXICO	14	420	33	486			117	3,978
NEW YORK	157	4,000	406	4,800	105	4,000	612	20,000
NORTH CAROLINA	18	396	72	722	22	445	273	6,825
NORTH DAKOTA	10	200	13	130			229	4,500
OHIO	121	3,284	306	5,595			1,277	39,685
OKLAHOMA	28	600	65	650			290	8,700
OREGON	59	1,180	81	648			234	11,700
PENNSYLVANIA	110	2,750	176	2,640			657	19,710
RHODE ISLAND	8	160	21		15	450	37	1,110
SOUTH CAROLINA	3	75	135	1,350			210	5,500
SOUTH DAKOTA			40	400			220	7,000
TENNESSEE			66	470			221	5,425
TEXAS	395	7,500	1,005	8,529			1,106	52,950
UTAH	25	500	62	496			86	2,150
VERMONT	1	15	6	73	1	27	26	893
VIRGINIA	8	120	94	940	79	1,185	244	7,585
WASHINGTON	39	1,244	182	3,985			291	11,013
WEST VIRGINIA	2	45	26	225			144	2,310
WISCONSIN	70	2,750	121	2,000			369	12,500
WYOMING	20	389	5	43			70	1,974
	3,229	83,286	6,221	83,717	1,918	42,998	16,836	623,139

State	VOLLEYBALL		WRESTLING		SOCCER		OTHER	
	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.
ALABAMA			35	355				
ALASKA			24	750				
ARIZONA	43	949	67	3,248			6	48 (Rifle)
CALIFORNIA	2	32	505	21,652	71	2,926	147	5,804 (Water Polo)
							5	105 (Rowing)
							5	167 (Rugby)
							7	116 (Fencing)
CANADA—Alberta	286	4,900			286	1,200	286	3,600 (Badminton)
—Manitoba	207	4,012			79	1,429	192	2,305 (Curling)
—New Brunswick	55	1,212			34	525	138	1,351 (Badminton)
							5	118 (Rugby)
							18	270 (Softball)
—Nova Scotia	72	648			76	1,064	13	260 (Field Hockey)
							41	655 (Badminton)
							12	180 (Rugby)
							30	390 (Field Hockey)
—Ontario	314	4,019	236	3,503	246	4,647	41	205 (Curling)
							32	1,192 (Badminton)
							258	2,251 (Badminton)
							152	1,154 (Curling)
—Saskatchewan	390	4,680	25	625	25	625	16	263 (Rugger)
							17	258 (Curling)
							285	1,140 (Rowing)
							210	2,560 (Badminton)
COLORADO			152	6,800			36	150 (Pentathlon)
CONNECTICUT			35	1,100	112	1,680		
DELAWARE			44	1,100	20	500		
FLORIDA			75	1,397			25	32 (Decathlon)
GEORGIA	20	400	125	2,500	50	1,000	70	1,350 (Rifle)
HAWAII	21	252	19	380	7	168	8	120 (Rifle)
							5	50 (Water Polo)
IDAHO			78	2,523				
ILLINOIS			322	5,976				
INDIANA			305	10,581				
IOWA			268	10,720				
KANSAS			111	2,200				
KENTUCKY			40	750			7	100 (Rifle)
LOUISIANA	102	2,150	5	28	38	760	116	2,430 (Softball)
MAINE			22	550			9	180 (Rifle)

State	VOLLEYBALL		WRESTLING		SOCCER		OTHER	
	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.	No. Schools	No. Partic.
MARYLAND			81	1,620	86	2,600	37	900 (LaCrosse)
MASSACHUSETTS			84	1,361	106	4,393	60	1,200 (Field Hockey)
MICHIGAN			320	9,000	12	300	5	206 (LaCrosse)
MINNESOTA			275	11,928	7	78	47	463 (Rifle)
MISSOURI	203	8,120	158	7,660			26	260 (Curling)
MONTANA			62	3,100				
NEBRASKA			154	4,500				
NEVADA			18					
NEW HAMPSHIRE	4	50	2	35	55	1,600		
NEW JERSEY			226	6,780	149	2,980	5	100 (Rifle)
NEW MEXICO			35	980			2	40 (Rowing)
							20	400 (Fencing)
							23	70 (Decathlon)
							7	100 (Pentathlon)
NEW YORK	519	7,000	484	14,500	468	15,000	80	1,600 (LaCrosse)
NORTH CAROLINA			113	2,930			15	150 (Fencing)
NORTH DAKOTA			64	1,600			80	800 (Rifle)
OHIO			546	17,934	15	325	30	600 (Softball)
OKLAHOMA	140	1,680	72	2,880				
OREGON			153	7,650				
PENNSYLVANIA	90	1,800	562	22,480	209	4,180	69	1,035 (Rifle)
RHODE ISLAND			15	350	9	180		
SOUTH CAROLINA	16	350	24	350	10	150		
SOUTH DAKOTA			83	2,400				
TENNESSEE			33	775				
TEXAS	986	19,998						
UTAH			74	888			1	30 (LaCrosse)
VERMONT	4	92	9	201	45	1,181	3	75 (Rifle)
VIRGINIA	5	100	112	3,536				
WASHINGTON			184	7,305	9	180	1	8 (Rifle)
WEST VIRGINIA			65	1,084				
WISCONSIN	40	700	330	15,000			17	250 (Curling)
WYOMING			43	1,286				
	3,519	63,144	6,870	226,681	2,217	49,593		

POLICIES GOVERNING NON-ATHLETIC CONTESTS

The following policies governing Non-Athletic Contests and the Suggested Standards for Controlling Non-Athletic Activities are included in the Federation Handbook as a courtesy to the Non-Athletic Committee of the National Federation. The Non-Athletic Committee adopted these Policies and Standards to serve as guides to State Associations for patterning codes at the state level.

SUGGESTED STANDARDS FOR NON-ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES

1. All interscholastic activities involving more than two schools and sponsored by member schools or agencies outside the schools and advertised as high school events or contests, or those in which only high school students participate, shall have the approval of the state association's executive board.
2. In all interscholastic activities the principal or superintendent shall be the official representative of the school. He shall be responsible for the observance of all rules and regulations governing the activities in which his school participates.
3. Contests approved by the national contest, festival and tournament committee of the National Association of Secondary-School Principals, shall be automatically approved, provided such contests conform with the policies of the state association.
4. Contests and events requiring out-of-state travel shall not be approved if the round-trip distance is more than 600 miles. Exceptions: National events such as F. F. A. conventions and those approved by the contest committee of the National Association of Secondary-School Principals.
5. Contests or events sponsored by a community which involves only one school shall not require approval.
6. Requests for approval of all school sponsored contests and events shall be made by the superintendent or principal of the host school.
7. All contests and events shall be approved on a year-to-year basis.
8. All-state groups (such as bands, choruses, orchestras, debate squads, etc.), if permitted, shall have the approval of the executive board.
9. The awarding of cash prizes shall be discouraged, but the acceptance of pay for playing in dance bands, teaching, singing, etc., shall not cause a student to lose his eligibility to compete in interscholastic activities.
10. It is recommended that contests sponsored by outside agencies shall not be approved if students or schools are required to pay an entry fee or purchase materials in order to participate.
11. National contests requiring team or group participation shall not be approved. Interstate contests requiring team or group participation are not recommended for approval if such contests are held for the purpose of selecting a regional champion.

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1. Each school shall be limited to a maximum of two county, league or

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	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
BADMINTON	769	9,797		
BASEBALL	12,896	400,906		
BASKETBALL	19,647	645,670	4,856	132,299
BOWLING	785	11,931	21	370
CROSS COUNTRY	8,263	166,281	77	1,719
CURLING	417	4,174		
DECATHLON	75	233		
FENCING	27	324		
FIELD HOCKEY	153	2,286	159	4,260
FOOTBALL—11 Man.....	14,004	878,187		
8 Man.....	541	15,727		
6 Man.....	109	7,125		
9 Man.....	126	3,130		
12 Man.....	494	28,522		
GOLF	8,645	120,078	116	1,118
GYMNASTICS	1,861	40,530	1,006	17,225
ICE HOCKEY.....	573	22,656		
LACROSSE	171	3,520	15	450
RIFLERY	107	2,085		
RUGBY	69	1,460		
SKIING	478	9,787	142	2,659
SOCCER	2,290	78,510	28	700
SOFTBALL	208	3,982	373	9,813
SWIMMING	3,078	91,309	853	17,229
TENNIS	6,312	91,279	2,648	26,010
TRACK & FIELD (INDOOR).....	1,697	49,761		
TRACK & FIELD (OUTDOOR).....	16,383	642,639	2,992	62,211
VOLLEYBALL	3,826	63,544	1,550	17,952
WATER POLO	187	6,445		
WRESTLING	7,587	265,039		

COUNTRY- STATE	BASEBALL		BASKETBALL		BOWLING		CROSS COUNTRY	
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.
ALABAMA	300	6,000	408	8,500			25	200
ALASKA			47	1,200			24	1,000
ARIZONA	121	5,522	127	6,711			64	2,117
ARKANSAS	170	4,250	396	15,500	48	2,400	80	1,400
CALIFORNIA	805	35,000	820	39,150			588	19,500
CANADA—								
Manitoba	75	2,500	b- 145 g- 130	3,500 2,000			112	1,658
New Brunswick.....			b- 53 g- 52	990 900			22	660
Nova Scotia.....			66 68	1,320 1,360				
							b- 57 g- 47	1,710 1,420
Ontario			886	24,453	21	29	543	6,548
Saskatchewan			b- 191 g- 197	2,290 2,300			61	2,135
COLORADO	175	5,820	243	9,950			106	2,250
CONNECTICUT	142	4,679	b- 142 g- 94	4,728 2,049			129	2,446
DELAWARE	58	928	b- 66 g- 44	924 616				
DIST. OF COLUMBIA.....	14	760	14	720			34	510
FLORIDA	311	7,346	437	3,125			14	520
GEORGIA	360	12,000	b- 374 g- 368	18,700 18,400	40	240	108 200	1,466 4,000
GUAM			4	80			2	
HAWAII	41	1,389	43	1,312	26	377	28	534
IDAHO	53	1,449	b- 127 g- 8	4,023 189			26	412
ILLINOIS	643	25,720	767	30,680			458	13,740
INDIANA	501	13,300	562	21,000			519	9,400
IOWA	435	7,830	510	15,300	40	200	200	1,000
KANSAS	59	1,180	b- 412 g- 120	12,360 3,600			201	4,020
KENTUCKY	292	7,008	333	9,990			112	1,680
LOUISIANA	217	5,600	b- 460 g- 210	9,200 3,100			60	1,800
MAINE	188	3,321	136	4,565			90	1,800
MARYLAND	136	4,000	b- 135 g- 95	4,800 3,000	9	100	136	3,000
MASSACHUSETTS		11,989	b- g-	11,761 7,270		19 g-160		5,631 49
MICHIGAN	620	22,000	b- 707 g- 296	20,000 8,000			472	8,000
MINNESOTA	421	15,942	484	27,461			196	4,567
MISSISSIPPI	215	3,890	b- 283 g- 250	2,830 2,500				
MISSOURI	329	8,780	b- 776 g- 179	27,815 4,060			295	4,218
MONTANA			205	7,200			b- 45 g- 30	450 250
NEBRASKA	49	1,470	374	20,000			121	2,060
NEVADA	30	600	46	1,392				

COUNTRY- STATE	BASEBALL		BASKETBALL		BOWLING		CROSS COUNTRY	
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.
NEW HAMPSHIRE	88	2,074	b- 88 g- 45	4,694 1,379	5	92	35	869
NEW JERSEY	354	15,930	b- 371 g- 172	16,695 5,160	b-145 g- 21	1,450 210	323	6,460
NEW MEXICO	75	2,210	b- 125 g- 47	6,048 1,473			58	1,160
NEW YORK	723	22,000	b- 360 g- 109	19,000 3,600	357	5,500	504	6,000
NORTH CAROLINA	300	7,500	b- 278 g- 15	10,612 225			44	736
NORTH DAKOTA	64	1,088	b- 151 g- 433	37,312 6,495	81	1,215	632	12,045
OHIO	896	21,728	b- 490 g- 420	7,500 6,300			40	400
OKLAHOMA	380	6,600	b- 233 g- 12	8,388 287			168	3,360
OREGON	196	8,820	b- 1,042 g- 28	31,260 825	2	80	359	7,180
PENNSYLVANIA	563	22,520	b- 211 g- 20	4,220 400			23	547
RHODE ISLAND	42	872	b- 399 g- 292	13,327 9,753			40	736
SOUTH CAROLINA	235	6,250	b- 1,111 g- 743	39,402 26,211				
SOUTH DAKOTA			b- 92 g- 65	3,000 1,975	3	129	52	500
TENNESSEE	261	7,230	b- 55 g- 280	1,158 11,280			36	520
TEXAS	798	24,502	b- 70 g- 321	3,500 11,445			116	1,726
UTAH	78	1,600	b- 134 g- 319	2,931 9,570			202	3,800
VERMONT	63	1,673	b- 20 g- 397	400 397			36	469
VIRGINIA	264	6,462	b- 421 g- 75	15,000 2,657			238	5,500
WASHINGTON	279	8,604	b- 31 g- 31	356			29	279
WEST VIRGINIA	123	3,470						
WISCONSIN	355	9,500						
WYOMING								

STATE- COUNTRY	11-Man		8-Man		6-MAN		12-Man	
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.
ALABAMA	325	9,750						
ALASKA	6	400						
ARIZONA	110	10,675	16	748				
ARKANSAS	186	12,000						
CALIFORNIA	765	80,000	25	750				

FOOTBALL STATE- COUNTRY	11-Man		8-Man		6-MAN		12-Man	
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.
CANADA—								
Manitoba					16(9-M)	260	19	850
New Brunswick.....							5	150
Nova Scotia							5	200
Ontario							433	26,122
Saskatchewan							32	1,200
COLORADO	177	10,680	36	1,000	44	790		
CONNECTICUT	96	6,802						
DELAWARE	50	2,500						
DIST. of COLUMBIA.....	14	800						
FLORIDA	356	25,415						
GEORGIA	286	20,000						
GUAM	2	250						
HAWAII	38	2,850						
IDAHO	106	7,545	17	391				
ILLINOIS	550	34,750						
INDIANA	429	28,200						
IOWA	430	21,500						
KANSAS	337	13,480	55	1,100				
KENTUCKY	188	8,460	4	100				
LOUISIANA	260	10,400						
MAINE	61	3,800						
MARYLAND	90	4,500						
MASSACHUSETTS	31	2,211						
MICHIGAN	657	48,000						
MINNESOTA	473	38,453						
MISSISSIPPI	250	9,990						
MISSOURI	449	29,101			5	114		
MONTANA	92	6,100	60	1,200				
NEBRASKA	276	11,000	85	2,400				
NEVADA	33	2,211	6	150				
NEW HAMPSHIRE		1981						
NEW JERSEY	326	29,340						
NEW MEXICO.....	85	5,298						
NEW YORK.....	543	27,000	26	700	2	20		
NORTH CAROLINA.....	288	14,400						
NORTH DAKOTA.....	120	6,724	5	75	51(9-M)	1,275		
OHIO	1,262	60,298						
OKLAHOMA	285	11,500	17	350				
OREGON	181	11,767	31	465				
PENNSYLVANIA	904	72,320						
RHODE ISLAND.....	38	1,397						
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	205	10,500						
SOUTH DAKOTA.....	94	4,620	84	2,000			15(9-M)	450
TENNESSEE	287	17,651						
TEXAS	908	75,902	35	3,500	58	6,201		
UTAH	74	2,500						
VERMONT	26	1,730						
VIRGINIA	260	22,777						
WASHINGTON	276	16,611	18	402				
WEST VIRGINIA	273	16,207						
WISCONSIN	395	36,000	8	150				
WYOMING	51	2,012	13	246				

STATE- COUNTRY	GOLF		GYMNASTICS		ICE HOCKEY		SKIING	
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.
ALABAMA	100	800						
ALASKA			3	60	6	250	6	300
ARIZONA	57	756	b- 17	646			2	114
			g- 19	722				
ARKANSAS	96	9,600						
CALIFORNIA	480	6,400	137	4,700			12	225
CANADA—								
Manitoba	30	190	b- 60	375	25	475		
			g- 60	375				
New Brunswick					25	550		
Nova Scotia			b- 26	390	50	1,500	b- 8	160
			g- 29	435			g- 9	180
Ontario	240	1,300	b-234	2,556	211	4,038	b-74	647
			g-187	1,870			g-23	201
COLORADO	85	1,100	b- 59	1,600				
			g-114	1,350			b-20	1,000
							g-11	200
CONNECTICUT	108	1,182	b- 15	263				
			g- 31	623	14	342		
DELAWARE	27		7	105	28	1,520		
DIST. OF COLUMBIA.....	14	280						
FLORIDA	223	2,055	18	514				
GEORGIA	150	2,250	b- 60	1,800				
			g- 50	1,500				
HAWAII	28	324						
IDAHO	40	516						
ILLINOIS	416	12,480	78	3,120				
INDIANA	382	4,700	36	800				
IOWA	303	4,545	20	200				
KANSAS	b-178	3,560	39	780	2	40		
	g- 21	420						
KENTUCKY	b-163	1,956	b- 20	320				
	g- 44	440	g- 31	496				
LOUISIANA	55	250	10	85				
MAINE	67	660	b- 23	496	5	191	b-44	654
			g- 23	250			g-24	200
MARYLAND	66	750	53	1,590				
			35	1,050				
MASSACHUSETTS		2,908		1,375		6,051		797
				1,524				327
MICHIGAN	471	4,400	b- 34	500	25	500	b-68	1,400
			g- 27	300			g-37	1,000
MINNESOTA	254	4,943	59	2,505	93	5,123	41	1,082
MISSOURI	193	2,609						
MONTANA	32	600	b- 22	200			20	200
			g- 25	300				
NEBRASKA	118	1,500	30	1,200				
NEVADA	20	120						
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	35	387	b- 13	103	12	355	b-30	597
			g- 5	116			g-25	277
NEW JERSEY	227	1,816	b- 31	930	4	80	1	15
			g- 29	870				

STATE- COUNTRY	GOLF		GYMNASTICS		ICE HOCKEY		SKIING	
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.
NEW MEXICO	42	502	b- 20	500				
			g- 21	525				
NEW YORK	439	4,000	192	4,000	31	400	72	1,500
NORTH CAROLINA.....	153	1,530						
NORTH DAKOTA.....	53	645	33	746	8	334		
OHIO	666	7,298	b-121	1,815				
			g-119	1,634				
OKLAHOMA	88	800						
OREGON	112	896	b- 43	860				
			g- 61	1,220				
PENNSYLVANIA	395	7,180	80	1,600				
RHODE ISLAND	22	193	b- 2	45	10	315	b- 4	57
			g- 7	158			g- 1	35
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	130	780	10	250				
SOUTH DAKOTA	45	450	b- 5	250				
			g- 10	500				
TENNESSEE	144	1,556						
TEXAS	950	12,605						
UTAH	59	450						
VERMONT	b- 31	283	b- 11	97	14	292	b-24	483
	g- 12	66	g- 15	270			g-24	354
VIRGINIA	139	1,112	b- 16	192				
			g- 63	630				
WASHINGTON	177	2,406	b- 48	1,023				
			g- 76	1,497				
WEST VIRGINIA	68	688	b- 4	89				
			g- 4	60				
WISCONSIN	250	3,000	37	800	10	300	18	250
WYOMING	20	220					b-11	105
							g-11	86

STATE- COUNTRY	SOCCER		SWIMMING		TRACK AND FIELD			
	No. Schools	No. Particl.	No. Schools	No. Particl.	INDOOR		OUTDOOR	
ALABAMA	10	200	b- 30 g- 10	240 80	40	1,100	250	2,500
ALASKA							35	1,000
ARIZONA				26			119	6,885
ARKANSAS	60	1,800	b- 75 g- 75	750 750	30	550	315	9,000
CALIFORNIA	70	2,900	460	18,750			770	51,000
CANADA—								
Manitoba	120	2,300			75	1,400	150	8,500
New Brunswick	30	700	b- 2 g- 2	40 35			45	1,800
Nova Scotia	b- 57 g- 28	1,425 700					b- 80 g- 80	4,000 4,000
Ontario	275	5,558	105	1,808	132	1,578	507	25,871
Saskatchewan	37	555					300	12,600
COLORADO			b- 48	1,800	g-146	2,100	224	11,000
CONNECTICUT	101	3,950	b- 55 g- 15	1,744 309	57	1,466	117	4,949
DELAWARE	21	525	14	210	53	1,855	20	400
DIST. OF COLUMBIA...	10	350			14	520	14	900
FLORIDA			b-133 g-114	2,460 1,928			327	11,417
GEORGIA	100	4,000	b-102	3,060			b- 340	12,800
HAWAII	10	355	g- 90 b- 25 g- 25	2,700 543 480			g- 175 b- 44 g- 32	3,500 1,768 944
IDAHO							122	3,962
ILLINOIS	27	540	141	5,640			691	27,640
INDIANA			119	3,350			544	20,450
IOWA			75	2,250			485	24,250
KANSAS	1	20	b- 23 g- 12 b- 33	460 240 792	389 220	6,100 11,000	407	20,350
KENTUCKY			g- 30 b- 45 g- 45	720 220 150			b- 199 g- 138 198	5,572 3,312 4,900
LOUISIANA			b- 16 g- 15	360 330	15	300	109	225
MAINE	51	1,438	5	80	62	2,000	125	5,000
MARYLAND	97	3,100		1,283		5,433		4,945
MASSACHUSETTS		6,293		756		368		748
MICHIGAN	25	600	b-180 g- 62	6,000 1,000			668	25,000
MINNESOTA	12	959	80	4,238			431	22,030
MISSISSIPPI							260	5,260
MISSOURI	67	2,295	52	1,484			618	16,116
MONTANA			b- 8 g- 10	80 100			205	7,000
NEBRASKA			26	1,000	25	1,200	367	14,000
NEVADA							44	1,320
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	55	1,552			b- 15	325	33	1,324
							g- 20	399

STATE- COUNTRY	SOCCER		SWIMMING		TRACK AND FIELD			
	No. Schools	No. Particl.	No. Schools	No. Particl.	INDOOR		OUTDOOR	
NEW JERSEY.....	203	12,180	b- 65	1,300	128	4,480	312	18,720
NEW MEXICO			g- 15	300			115	4,000
			b- 16	480				
			g- 11	220				
NEW YORK.....	495	15,000	198	5,000	121	4,000	618	18,500
NORTH CAROLINA			13	325			235	5,875
NORTH DAKOTA			b- 10	200			b- 217	5,604
OHIO	35	525	g- 10	200			g- 191	4,112
			b-136	3,691			1,313	40,808
			g- 38	722				
OKLAHOMA			25	300	95	1,200	275	6,000
OREGON			b- 57	1,140			220	12,000
			g- 56	840				
PENNSYLVANIA	235	7,050	162	6,480			711	35,550
PHILIPPINES	3	45			3	60		
RHODE ISLAND.....	15	208	b- 9	152	15	524	21	809
SOUTH CAROLINA	15	300	g- 1	35			235	7,500
			b- 3	75				
			g- 3	75				
SOUTH DAKOTA			b- 1	30			205	6,000
			g- 1	40				
TENNESSEE							187	6,919
TEXAS			b-295	7,602			1,111	55,209
			g-100	2,946				
UTAH			32	600			88	2,600
VERMONT	47	1,637	b- 1	21	9	185	b- 26	911
			g- 1	19			g- 4	65
VIRGINIA	6	150	9	135	99	1,485	250	8,370
WASHINGTON			b- 70	1,398			305	10,996
			g- 31	667				
WEST VIRGINIA.....							156	5,880
WISCONSIN			b- 80	2,500	100	3,000	b- 375	12,500
			g- 50	1,000			g- 200	4,000
WYOMING			b- 19	396			70	2,154
			g- 11	187				

	TENNIS		VOLLEYBALL		WRESTLING		OTHER	
	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.
ALABAMA	b- 60	360			53	530		
	g- 15	100						
ALASKA					24	800		
ARIZONA	b- 71	1,278	59	1,209	73	3,489	8	160
	g- 74	1,332					28	560
							24	515
ARKANSAS	107	2,000	b- 75	1,500	6	100		
			g- 75	1,500				
CALIFORNIA	610	13,100			510	22,000	150	5,900
CANADA—								
Manitoba			b-145	4,000	20	250	140	2,240
			g-130	1,560			100	2,000
							75	475
New Brunswick			b- 53	780			43	1,505
			g- 54	825			19	380
							4	80
							12	240
Nova Scotia			b- 52	1,040			87	1,305
			g- 64	1,280			29	580
							7	210
							77	360
Ontario	b- 93	643	b-355	5,101	273	4,406	307	2,697
	g- 92	587	g-324	2,970			170	1,160
							21	366
							58	1,170
							32	445
							10	180
Saskatchewan			b-220	2,640	30	450	181	1,450
			g-282	3,385				
COLORADO	b- 61	1,200			170	7,200		
	g- 54	600						
CONNECTICUT	b- 66	1,035	41	747	42	1,377	27	325
	g- 41	526					67	1,359
DELAWARE	b- 33	330	b- 3	45	55	2,200	34	544
	g- 22	220	g- 14	280				
FLORIDA	b- 163	1,462			82	2,214	23	85
	g- 133	1,165						
GEORGIA	b- 170	1,400	30	600	140	2,800	80	1,600
	g- 140	1,080						
GUAM			8	180			2	87
HAWAII	b- 31	394	b- 31	452	23	793	8	168
	g- 28	387	g- 43	679			5	100
IDAHO	20	740			84	2,769		
ILLINOIS	242	6,050			350	17,500		
INDIANA	219	3,000			355	1,500		
IOWA	80	800			300	12,000		
KANSAS	b- 95	950	92	1,840	128	2,560	201	1,005
	g- 74	740					29	580
KENTUCKY	b- 86	860			43	1,290	9	90
	g- 66	526						
LOUISIANA	b- 70	210	115	2,450	30	200		
	g- 70	200						
MAINE	b- 21	347			24	507		
	g- 13	225						
MARYLAND	b- 95	900	80	1,500	99	2,000	27	750
	g- 58	360						

	TENNIS		VOLLEYBALL		WRESTLING		OTHER	
	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.
MASSACHUSETTS		2,378		436		2,114		
MICHIGAN	b- 290	4,900	53	700	358	10,000		
	g- 56	400						
MINNESOTA	128	3,241			291	15,370	12	164
MISSISSIPPI	b- 60	600						Curling
	g- 55	550						
MISSOURI	146	2,478	b- 18	347	185	7,222	61	1,137
			g-188	4,453			141	2,578
MONTANA	b- 11	115			78	2,300	80	1,600
	g- 11	75						Softball-b
NEBRASKA	32	625	g-245		154	4,500		Softball-g
NEVADA			22	550				Track-g
NEW HAMPSHIRE	21	253	g- 6	99	2	69	1	20
NEW JERSEY	b- 224	3,360	16	480	264	15,840	123	2,460
	g- 53	795					73	1,460
							43	1,290
							7	210
							15	450
							27	108
NEW MEXICO	31	454	40	1,000	37	1,040	105	2,000
NEW YORK	426	5,000	542	7,500	501	15,000		Lacrosse
NORTH CAROLINA	b- 51	510			96	1,920		
	g- 25	200						
NORTH DAKOTA	b- 11	170			72	2,368	20	400
	g- 11	190					39	192
OHIO	b- 333	6,087	355	5,680	655	21,517		Softball
	g- 97	1,164						Golf-girls
OKLAHOMA	b- 60	450	b- 80	650	75	3,000		
	g- 42	250	g-120	960				
OREGON	b- 80	640			156	7,800	200	3,000
	g- 90	630						Track-g
PENNSYLVANIA	204	3,060	101	2,020	645	25,800		
RHODE ISLAND	b- 12	158	9	278	11	284		
	g- 2	10						
SOUTH CAROLINA	b- 135	1,350	25	600	40	600		
	g- 40	400						
SOUTH DAKOTA	b- 30	300			98	2,940	143	3,000
	g- 15	150						Track-g
TENNESSEE	b- 66	885			69	2,340	25	40
	g- 42	563						Decathlon
TEXAS	b-1,005	8,674	986	14,902				
	g-1,005	8,492						
UTAH	64	516			78	2,200		
VERMONT	b- 7	101			16	388	37	991
	g- 5	48					43	1,020
VIRGINIA	b- 105	1,050	6	300	116	3,768	36	1,800
	g- 23	1,150					82	4,100
							37	1,850
WASHINGTON	b- 192	3,852	144	3,015	231	8,515		Track-g
	g- 161	2,527						
WEST VIRGINIA	b- 39	461			66	1,340		
	g- 32	339						
WISCONSIN	130	2,000	37	750	350	16,500	18	250
WYOMING	b- 8	52	28	192	44	1,309		Curling
	g- 3	21						

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1974-75 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	8	128	253	3,548
BADMINTON	1,264	12,694	1,588	24,071
BASEBALL	14,680	409,510	16	423
BASKETBALL	20,011	688,690	11,654	307,608
BOWLING	780	9,588	789	9,982
CREW	36	116	- 0 -	- 0 -
CROSS COUNTRY	10,135	214,840	1,100	12,123
CURLING	940	6,151	336	3,164
DECATHLON	161	3,397	- 0 -	- 0 -
DRILL SQUADS	30	900	50	2,500
FASTBALL	- 0 -	- 0 -	29	7,733
FENCING	91	1,394	64	7,671
FIELD HOCKEY	37	1,003	1,897	59,106
FOOTBALL—man (11)	14,281	1,011,809	- 0 -	20
8 man	621	14,568	1	12
6 man	180	3,771	- 0 -	- 0 -
12 man	627	41,573	- 0 -	25
flag	8	183	2	50
GOLF	9,998	135,813	2,173	17,956
GYMNASTICS	1,697	36,834	2,835	61,424
ICE HOCKEY	870	27,431	26	96
LACROSSE	232	5,810	82	3,018
PENTATHLON	50	75	- 0 -	- 0 -
RIFLERY	333	5,112	26	471
RUGBY	325	7,313	- 0 -	- 0 -
SKIING	631	11,584	315	7,341
SOCCER	3,356	98,482	409	10,717
SOFTBALL	205	3,457	5,081	110,140
SWIMMING	4,062	114,645	2,785	73,946
TABLE TENNIS	189	1,211	97	571
TENNIS	7,781	124,208	5,609	84,495
TRACK AND FIELD (Indoor)	1,362	39,168	233	8,252
TRACK AND FIELD (Outdoor)	17,102	667,974	10,387	299,215
VOLLEYBALL	2,583	43,050	8,610	198,313
WATER POLO	385	10,644	- 0 -	- 0 -
WEIGHT LIFTING	36	951	- 0 -	- 0 -
WRESTLING	9,130	319,048	- 0 -	- 0 -

BOYS PARTICIPATION—1974-75

COUNTRY-STATE	BASEBALL		BASKETBALL		BOWLING		CROSS COUNTRY	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	310	6,500	417	9,500			40	500
ALASKA			47	1,200			24	1,000
ARIZONA	129	7,251	135	9,140			84	2,475
ARKANSAS			390	15,500			85	5,500
CALIFORNIA	864	36,564	890	40,459	13	155	696	21,252
CANADA								
Alberta	11	199	183	3,187	3	33	75	757
British Columbia			625	7,729	73	556	196	1,598
Manitoba	13	70	97	1,878	17	155	62	498
New Brunswick		260		650				140
Nova Scotia			72	1,080			53	636
Ontario			520	18,093			452	6,811
Saskatchewan			197	2,350			64	1,240
Newfoundland			36	504			22	199
COLORADO	189	5,820	247	9,950			108	2,250
CONNECTICUT	179	5,879	179	5,256			135	2,838
DELAWARE	57	1,952	66	2,298			40	710
DIST. OF COL.	15	320	15	300			15	450
FLORIDA	341	9,169	411	13,187			190	2,467
GEORGIA	360	12,000	375	15,000			105	1,575
HAWAII	42		49		17		33	
IDAHO	60	1,347	125	3,898			41	503
ILLINOIS	659	25,960	764	30,825			473	13,925
INDIANA	518	14,000	523	20,500			519	12,000
IOWA	482	9,640	504	15,120	104	520	216	5,400
KANSAS	58	1,160	390	11,700			215	4,300
KENTUCKY	291	7,566	317	9,510			161	2,415
LOUISIANA	220	5,600	450	10,000			80	2,000
MAINE	165	3,470	130	4,622	3	120	95	554
MARYLAND	127	3,461	130	4,000			109	1,635
MASSACHUSETTS		12,389		12,509		29		6,040
MICHIGAN	629	24,400	699	23,190			540	9,160
MINNESOTA	453	14,257	514	22,838			287	4,802
MISSISSIPPI	225	3,625	292	4,380				
MISSOURI	363	9,622	760	27,772			251	5,017
MONTANA		207		8,500			85	900
NEBRASKA	38	1,140	367	20,000			138	2,800
NEVADA	32	768	46	1,380			20	400
NEW HAMPSHIRE	82	2,100	82	2,500	6	70	35	900
NEW JERSEY	412	18,540	417	18,765	182	3,640	372	11,160
NEW MEXICO	66	1,800	127	4,000			50	1,500
NEW YORK	757	22,700	769	19,500	336	4,000	566	6,700
N. CAROLINA	290	7,250	327	9,810			84	1,260
N. DAKOTA	62	1,115	271	9,882			58	926
OHIO	892	23,674	1,524	37,504			703	13,060
OKLAHOMA	356	7,920	489	9,780			49	491
OREGON	200	9,000	240	8,640			180	3,600
PENNSYLVANIA	545	11,900	1,035	31,050			373	7,460
RHODE ISLAND	39	1,001	44	1,059			40	756
S. CAROLINA	232	6,500	232	8,400	16	225	80	1,600
S. DAKOTA			209	5,120	10	85	121	1,950
TENNESSEE	274	6,576	372	10,230			89	623
TEXAS	746	31,000	1,134	52,000			822	24,000
UTAH	1,785		92	3,220			47	600
VERMONT	60	1,936	62	2,145			40	622
VIRGINIA	265	9,708	282	11,430			150	2,250
WASHINGTON	289	8,823	320	11,836			213	4,151
W. VIRGINIA	125	3,516	318	9,488			41	506
WISCONSIN	373	10,062	422	32,136			286	5,583
WYOMING			73	2,190			27	395

FOOTBALL	11-Man		8-Man		6-Man		12-Man	
STATE-COUNTRY	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	350	22,500						
ALASKA	8	320						
ARIZONA			17	595			115	9,620
ARKANSAS	195	13,500						
CALIFORNIA	806	89,917	36 (plus 6M)	1,015				
CANADA								
Alberta	1	40	8	130	14 (9-M)	421	46	3,024
British Columbia	93	2,450			21 (9-M)	622		
Manitoba	11	243					13	560
New Brunswick		400						
Nova Scotia							5	160
Ontario							413	27,044
Saskatchewan			35	700	59	1,060	35	1,165
Newfoundland								
COLORADO	180	11,000	36	1,000				
CONNECTICUT	126	7,734						
DELAWARE	48	3,440						
DIST. OF COL.	15	850						
FLORIDA	364	28,580						
GEORGIA	316	18,960						
HAWAII	41							
IDAHO	109	5,825	14	343				
ILLINOIS	558	35,800						
INDIANA	424	28,500						
IOWA	435	21,750						
KANSAS	337	14,380	45	900				
KENTUCKY	200	9,000						
LOUISIANA	280	12,500						
MAINE	61	3,678						
MARYLAND	123	8,610						
MASSACHUSETTS		20,235						
MICHIGAN	661	48,400						
MINNESOTA	444	32,338						
MISSISSIPPI	261	10,440						
MISSOURI	460	33,119			6	118		
MONTANA	85	6,500	67	1,500				
NEBRASKA	278	11,000	84	2,400				
NEVADA	34	2,790	7	140				
NEW HAMPSHIRE	32	2,400						
NEW JERSEY	371	37,100						
NEW MEXICO	90	4,000						
NEW YORK	583	29,000	28	450				
N. CAROLINA	292	14,600						
N. DAKOTA	96	6,504	52 (9-M)	1,909				
OHIO	1,304	61,918						
OKLAHOMA	304	10,651	18	302				
OREGON	190	12,350	37	55				
PENNSYLVANIA	911	72,880						
RHODE ISLAND	39	1,893						
S. CAROLINA	210	11,500						
S. DAKOTA	84	2,680	68	1,360	22 (9-M)	550		
TENNESSEE	295	19,765						
TEXAS	908	121,000	38	1,000	58	1,000		
UTAH	80	5,500						
VERMONT	24	1,807						
VIRGINIA	270	22,497						
WASHINGTON	268	17,208	31	769				
W. VIRGINIA	151	6,687						
WISCONSIN	405	43,270						
WYOMING	60	1,800						

	GOLF		GYMNASTICS		ICE HOCKEY		SKIING	
COUNTRY-STATE	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	150	550						
ALASKA					5	75		
ARIZONA	66	1,820	18	300			4	80
ARKANSAS	100	1,000						
CALIFORNIA	605	8,195	128	3,493			22	533
CANADA								
Alberta	33	193	19	111	6	100	2	36
British Columbia	134	923	58	640	44	677	64	1,002
Manitoba	49	308	39	257	25	309		
N. Brunswick						580		
Nova Scotia			21	525	46	920		
Ontario	346	1,987	279	3,985	241	4,634	181	2,043
Saskatchewan								
Newfoundland					17	343		
COLORADO	97	1,100	50	1,600	13	250	11	300
CONNECTICUT	136	1,476	16	248	36	867		
DELAWARE	28	341	1	35				
DIST. OF COL.	10	150						
FLORIDA	258	2,260	24	381				
GEORGIA	160	2,400	70	2,100				
HAWAII	35		5					
IDAHO	48	651						
ILLINOIS	435	12,625	88	3,250				
INDIANA	401	5,000	50	1,000				
IOWA	336	5,040	18	270				
KANSAS	182	2,820	32	640				
KENTUCKY	194	2,328	15	240				
LOUISIANA	100	950	28	450				
MAINE	63	621	10	115	8	227	33	548
MARYLAND	70	750						
MASSACHUSETTS		3,212		1,455		7,089		765
MICHIGAN	489	5,240	33	485	72	1,370	78	1,170
MINNESOTA	317	5,441	66	1,582	139	5,163	52	1,536
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	220	2,872	21	417				
MONTANA	47	900	20	250				
NEBRASKA	120	1,600	30	1,200				
NEVADA	23	230						
NEW HAMPSHIRE	30	350	2	12	20	600	33	700
NEW JERSEY	288	2,880	52	3,120	32	800	16	320
NEW MEXICO	41	500	14	300				
NEW YORK	520	5,000	120	1,450	68	1,000	76	1,500
N. CAROLINA	178	1,780						
N. DAKOTA	65	829			11	369		
OHIO	704	7,558	92	1,533	26	451		
OKLAHOMA	101	813						
OREGON	120	960	44	880				
PENNSYLVANIA	415	6,225	65	1,300				
RHODE ISLAND	36	296			25	576		
S. CAROLINA	150	900						
S. DAKOTA	52	543	4	80				
TENNESSEE	190	2,090						
TEXAS	964	20,000						
UTAH	60	720						
VERMONT	31	281	17	191	18	493	23	520
VIRGINIA	200	1,600	50	500				
WASHINGTON	187	2,788	46	1,123				
W. VIRGINIA	91	742						
WISCONSIN	287	5,679	40	1,316	18	538	18	281
WYOMING	37	296	12				18	250

STATE-COUNTRY	SOCCER		SWIMMING		TRACK AND FIELD			
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	INDOOR		OUTDOOR	
ALABAMA			30	300			280	2,800
ALASKA					80	2,000	35	1,000
ARIZONA			29	720			132	8,306
ARKANSAS			75	750			340	10,000
CALIFORNIA	339	12,846	517	17,530			824	53,089
CANADA								
Newfoundland	33	541						
Alberta	40	825	22	390	6	166	137	2,894
British Columbia	310	4,821	98	890			389	6,478
Manitoba	65	1,242	7		42	526	105	2,904
New Brunswick		480						575
Nova Scotia	54	810					77	2,310
Ontario	355	7,545	165	3,536	9	190	559	21,508
Saskatchewan	35	535					283	6,800
COLORADO	19	300	61	1,800			224	11,000
CONNECTICUT	131	3,838	107	2,180	60	1,050	156	6,563
DELAWARE	28	854	18	385	22	500	53	2,063
DIST. OF COL.	10	220	5	125	12	360	15	450
FLORIDA	66	2,284	172	3,245			352	12,003
GEORGIA	130	3,900	110	3,300			340	10,200
HAWAII	14		33				45	
IDAHO							109	3,027
ILLINOIS	60	1,890	151	5,820			700	28,475
INDIANA			146	4,000			528	20,500
IOWA			49	1,470			486	24,300
KANSAS			24	480	233	11,650	390	19,500
KENTUCKY	16	400	48	1,152			230	6,900
LOUISIANA	20	420	50	250	20	300	290	9,500
MAINE	72	2,203	24	640	22	745	89	2,653
MARYLAND	95	3,600			55	1,750	130	4,560
MASSACHUSETTS								
MICHIGAN	27	640	205	6,840			666	25,200
MINNESOTA	43	2,668	119	3,708			470	17,601
MISSISSIPPI							253	5,060
MISSOURI	73	2,286	59	1,776	128	5,120	609	26,343
MONTANA			10	200			205	7,500
NEBRASKA			26	1,100			367	15,000
NEVADA								
N. HAMPSHIRE	62	1,800	4	40	20	325	35	1,200
N. JERSEY	295	17,700	84	3,360	191	9,550	368	22,080
N. MEXICO			15	300			114	3,500
N. YORK	480	13,000	248	4,500	223	3,000	660	19,500
N. CAROLINA	30	600	13	325			237	7,110
N. DAKOTA			8	273	48	605	227	6,160
OHIO	72	1,320	175	4,491			1,370	42,806
OKLAHOMA			38	463			216	3,243
OREGON			75	1,500			230	11,500
PENNSYLVANIA	250	5,000	156	3,432			717	21,510
RHODE ISLAND	22	680	10	224	19	678	40	1,356
S. CAROLINA	30	600	5	100			215	7,500
S. DAKOTA			3	68	4	90	207	5,140
TENNESSEE							197	6,107
TEXAS			615	25,000			1,134	75,000
UTAH			40	1,200			85	4,250
VERMONT	50	1,884	1	17	6	93	32	1,124
VIRGINIA	30	750	25	500	150	350	275	9,035
WASHINGTON			85	2,473			257	10,809
W. VIRGINIA							155	5,760
WISCONSIN			82	3,322			390	24,122
WYOMING			20	350	12	120	73	2,100

STATE-COUNTRY	TENNIS		VOLLEYBALL		WRESTLING		OTHER SPORTS	
	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.
ALABAMA	225	650			65	600	30	100
ALASKA					32	1,056	4	120
ARIZONA	79	1,260			103	3,090	13	130
ARKANSAS	130	1,500						
CALIFORNIA	647	14,724	42	763	602	26,222	9	121
							30	507
							253	9,173
							6	116
CANADA—								
Alberta	14	13	159	2,612	32	305	141	1,663
							91	754
							9	294
							2	25
							8	183
British Columbia	72	663	354	3,822	86	1,156	193	2,006
							178	1,108
							230	4,725
							34	393
							53	311
Manitoba			105	1,694	23	310	98	951
							91	682
							3	20
							4	
							77	882
New Brunswick				663		110	800	
							174	
Newfoundland			48	608	15	184	40	160
							25	100
Nova Scotia			63	630			59	590
							45	225
							34	510
							8	144
Ontario	252	1,899	475	8,401	331	6,093	456	4,699
							264	2,108
							41	774
							3	15
							78	2,150
							95	865
Saskatchewan			226	2,710	37	1,110	206	825
							271	1,100
							4	90
COLORADO	69	1,200	95	1,780	189	7,200	50	75
CONNECTICUT	112	1,755			74	2,508	26	38
DELAWARE	33	526			55	2,091		
DIST. OF COL.	10	150						
FLORIDA	244	2,397			169	4,859	35	130
							36	951
GEORGIA	175	1,750	35	700	220	6,600	90	1,800
							30	900
HAWAII	39		33		30		7	
							4	
IDAHO	26	909			90	2,326		
ILLINOIS	275	6,375			400	19,000	15	150
INDIANA	249	3,500			372	9,000		
IOWA	83	830			304	12,160		
KANSAS	103	1,545			154	4,620		
KENTUCKY	113	1,130			64	1,920	10	120
							17	170
LOUISIANA	148	450			35	350	1	28
MAINE	33	433	21	331	29	631	2	60
							5	55

STATE-COUNTRY	TENNIS		VOLLEYBALL		WRESTLING		OTHER SPORTS		
	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	
MARYLAND	78	800	20	400	110	3,210	30	900	Lacrosse
MASSACHUSETTS		2,610		228		2,491		473	Field Hockey
								871	Lacrosse
								404	Rifery
								278	Softball
								52	Fencing
MICHIGAN	344	5,850			449	15,715			
MINNESOTA	177	3,831			373	18,582			
MISSISSIPPI	62	744							
MISSOURI	167	2,774	8	161	223	8,745	41	851	Softball
MONTANA	15	150			87	2,500	14	280	Water Polo
NEBRASKA	36	700			195	5,850			
NEVADA	16	288		25	25	750			
NEW HAMPSHIRE	20	200	6	100	6	200	25	40	Decathlon
NEW JERSEY	299	5,980			338	13,520	1	40	Lacrosse
NEW MEXICO	38	400			44	800	36	720	Fencing
NEW YORK	489	4,800	243	4,800	562	18,000	23	575	Lacrosse
							15	45	Decathlon
							7	100	Archery
							71	1,000	Badminton
							15	150	Fencing
							127	2,500	Lacrosse
							83	850	Rifery
							111	800	T. Tennis
N. CAROLINA	115	1,725			128	3,276			
N. DAKOTA	14	226			66	2,522			
OHIO	403	6,846			816	25,063	6	81	Fencing
							17	301	Water Polo
OKLAHOMA	59	484	96	1,440	92	1,657			
OREGON	88	704			165	8,250			
PENNSYLVANIA	224	3,360	93	1,860	682	27,280	77	1,035	Rifery
RHODE ISLAND	27	435			27	776			
S. CAROLINA	140	1,250			80	1,000			
S. DAKOTA	22	210			95	2,450	21	438	Softball
TENNESSEE	147	2,205			82	2,296	30	44	Decathlon
TEXAS	1,029	22,000	450	8,000					
UTAH	82	990			78	4,680			
VERMONT	18	235	3	52	18	458	2	26	Rifery
							1	20	Softball
VIRGINIA	150	350			150	5,900			
WASHINGTON	202	4,324			234	8,780			
WEST VIRGINIA	42	477			75	1,492	31	595	Softball
WISCONSIN	140	4,401	39	1,270	370	19,304			
WYOMING	7	50			49				

GIRLS PARTICIPATION—1974

STATE-COUNTRY	BASKETBALL		FIELD HOCKEY		GOLF		GYMNASTICS	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	24	240			80	200	20	180
ALASKA	37	867			13	195	12	120
ARIZONA	280	5,600			25	200	32	550
ARKANSAS	577	14,069	128	4,362	20	217	50	1,000
CALIFORNIA							281	7,183
CANADA								
Alberta	178	2,940	17	380	29	123	35	362
British Columbia	539	6,421	269	3,880			75	628
Manitoba	97	8,855	53	484	49	62	39	333
New Brunswick		660		220				
Newfoundland	40	517						
Nova Scotia	69	1,035					28	700
Ontario		9,912		1,427	176			1,447
Saskatchewan	199	2,390						
COLORADO	96	1,720					122	1,300
CONNECTICUT	120	2,576	70	2,284			33	560
DELAWARE	54	1,490	42	1,560	1	6	1	20
DIST. OF COL.	12	240			6	48		
FLORIDA	92	1,752			75	386	37	695
GEORGIA	370	14,800					68	2,040
HAWAII	12	1,739			2	393	5	77
IDAHO	56	1,047						
ILLINOIS	300	7,000	70	2,000	60	600	110	3,500
INDIANA	343	5,150	9	250	61	300	160	3,200
IOWA								
KANSAS	226	7,980			37	555	39	780
KENTUCKY	150	2,500			70	840	27	324
LOUISIANA	120	2,768	44	1,903	25	100	30	460
MAINE	90	1,970			20	66	31	715
MARYLAND		7,609				74	35	570
MASSACHUSETTS	627	18,810	33	885	75	700	95	2,177
MICHIGAN	422	9,796			76	674	200	1,425
MINNESOTA	243	4,374						5,401
MISSISSIPPI	290	7,188			59	563	39	982
MISSOURI	166	5,000			40	650	22	300
MONTANA	95	3,800			35	350	27	700
NEBRASKA					18	180		
NEVADA	75	1,800	45	1,000			2	20
NEW HAMPSHIRE	380	11,400	209	8,360	13	130	83	2,490
NEW JERSEY	98	2,000			9	60	22	270
NEW MEXICO	613	12,000	382	7,500	48	350	206	2,000
NEW YORK	245	4,410			24	240		
N. CAROLINA	198	4,075			15	138	24	884
N. DAKOTA	839	14,026	101	1,548	72	698	263	3,921
OHIO	437	9,614						
OKLAHOMA					50	250	72	1,440
OREGON	397	11,910	208	8,320	3	30	61	1,220
PENNSYLVANIA	38	752	16	420			23	492
RHODE ISLAND	202	4,800			8	8	15	300
SOUTH CAROLINA	160	3,610			31	340	35	610
SOUTH DAKOTA	270	6,480			190	2,090		
TENNESSEE	789	36,000			500	5,100		
TEXAS								
UTAH	60	1,483	42	1,193	14	50	20	400
VERMONT	255	3,060	42	840			20	426
VIRGINIA	254	5,483	11	200	57	471	108	1,620
WASHINGTON	90	1,836					111	2,525
WEST VIRGINIA	281	9,319	21	420	50	492	105	5,077
WISCONSIN	49	735			37	5	12	
WYOMING								

COUNTRY- STATE	SKIING		SOFTBALL		SWIMMING		TENNIS	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA					30	300	150	300
ALASKA	8	100						
ARIZONA			17	690	30	600	85	2,340
ARKANSAS					75	750	85	800
CALIFORNIA	14	230	506	13,419	322	9,381	538	10,330
CANADA								
Alberta	2	24	33	786	21	390	15	70
British Columbia	55	695	95	1,263	74	664	72	512
Manitoba			77	1,041	7			
New Brunswick		510		110				
Newfoundland			25	375				
Nova Scotia	8	80						
Ontario		331		671		2,057		818
COLORADO	7	11			37	1,100	76	760
CONNECTICUT			117	2,253	26	873	73	1,191
DELAWARE			36	757	7	185	30	434
DIST. OF COL.			12	216	5	30	5	30
FLORIDA					171	3,048	222	2,201
GEORGIA					103	3,090	160	1,600
HAWAII			6	76	35	1,064	37	1,054
IDAH0								
ILLINOIS			250	5,000	100	2,000	200	5,000
INDIANA			143	2,200	99	1,500	136	1,350
IOWA								
KANSAS			23	460	18	360	92	1,380
KENTUCKY					42	1,008	102	1,020
LOUISIANA			120	2,400	45	150	90	210
MAINE	20	176	88	2,201	20	514	33	503
MARYLAND			75	1,670			70	800
MASSACHUSETTS		466		5,952		1,261		2,473
MICHIGAN	52	640	352	8,260	161	3,100	218	3,680
MINNESOTA	32	2,714	25	1,326	99	2,714	144	2,568
MISSISSIPPI							62	744
MISSOURI			177	3,522	24	552	80	1,440
MONTANA					12	150	12	125
NEBRASKA					23	1,000	30	400
NEVADA							15	270
NEW HAMPSHIRE	30	350	55	1,300			20	200
NEW JERSEY			273	8,190	44	880	204	3,060
NEW MEXICO					14	280	26	315
NEW YORK	49	1,000	588	8,800	176	3,500	303	3,600
N. CAROLINA			120	2,400	11	220	64	960
N. DAKOTA					10	300	12	228
OHIO			397	7,841	68	1,340	213	2,771
OKLAHOMA			101	1,519			48	399
OREGON					74	1,110	87	609
PENNSYLVANIA			114	2,280	85	1,870	90	1,350
RHODE ISLAND							9	171
S. CAROLINA					3	40	80	650
S. DAKOTA			12	240	3	72	20	190
TENNESSEE							101	1,515
TEXAS			900	16,000	511	21,000	990	16,000
UTAH					30	750	75	900
VERMONT	20	274	57	1,324	1	22	20	317
VIRGINIA			110	2,200			84	840
WASHINGTON			61	1,149	68	1,524	212	3,613
WEST VIRGINIA			26	501			26	349
WISCONSIN			90	1,358	83	2,737	86	2,040
WYOMING	18	250			18	350	7	15

STATE-COUNTRY	TRACK & FIELD (OUTDOOR)		VOLLEYBALL		OTHER SPORTS		
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	
ALABAMA	125	1,000	225	7,500	20	150	Archery
					85	450	Badminton
					30	200	Bowling
ALASKA	10	200			8	96	Cross Country
					4	32	
ARIZONA	32	1,350	108	2,376	22	360	Archery
					38	640	Badminton
ARKANSAS	50	750	100	1,400			
CALIFORNIA	328	7,140	567	14,674	26	349	Archery
					248	5,329	Badminton
					46	1,203	Bowling
					22	201	Cross Country
					7	48	Fencing
					1	8	Rifery
					10	213	Soccer
CANADA							
Alberta	135	2,427	166	2,790	159	1,777	Badminton
					3	41	Baseball
					3	28	Bowling
					66	562	Cross Country
					68	566	Curling
					1	12	Football 8-man
					1	25	Football 12-man
					2	50	Flag
					1	15	Soccer
					6	156	Track (Indoor)
					29	733	Fastball
British Columbia	388	5,729	537	5,721	171	1,645	Badminton
					66	500	Bowling
					137	987	Cross Country
					138	966	Curling
					35	495	Soccer
					23	71	Table Tennis
Manitoba	105	2,511	105	1,830	98	910	Badminton
					13	160	Baseball
					17	163	Bowling
					62	511	Cross Country
					91	588	Curling
					25	95	Ice Hockey
New Brunswick		500		650	42	456	Track (Indoor)
						98	Cross Country
						174	Curling
						750	Badminton
Newfoundland			41	526	40	160	Badminton
					22	186	Cross Country
					4	70	Soccer
Nova Scotia	80	2,400	72	720	25	100	Table Tennis
					57	590	Badminton
					50	600	Cross Country
					40	200	Curling
					24	360	Soccer
Ontario		6,522		8,492		251	Archery
						2,960	Badminton
						2,203	Cross Country
						844	Curling
Saskatchewan	283	5,100	263	3,150	206	800	Badminton
					60	1,060	Cross Country
					263	1,050	Curling
COLORADO	224	4,480					
CONNECTICUT	73	2,469	41	779	31	164	Badminton
					25	316	Cross Country

STATE-COUNTRY	TRACK & FIELD (OUTDOOR)		VOLLEYBALL		OTHER SPORTS		
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	
DELAWARE	9	180	18	415	12	180	Cross Country
DIST. OF COL.	12	180	12	216	12	180	Track (Indoor)
FLORIDA	125	2,402					
GEORGIA	280	8,400	30	600	50	2,500	Drill Squads
HAWAII	35	4,357	43	1,329	3	254	Rifery
IDAHO	91	2,129	43	947			
ILLINOIS	500	20,000	500	10,000	80	1,000	Archery
					150	3,500	Badminton
					170	2,500	Bowling
					50	500	Cross Country
					10	100	Fencing
					20	600	Soccer
INDIANA	392	9,800	413	8,300	41	400	Badminton
					64	350	Bowling
					7	100	Cross Country
IOWA							
KANSAS	363	14,520	237	4,740	152	6,080	Track (Indoor)
KENTUCKY	198	4,752			10	120	Fencing
LOUISIANA	120	3,500	120	2,250			
MAINE	63	1,731	25	393	1	25	Archery
					3	119	Bowling
					19	95	Cross Country
					1	1	Ice Hockey
					5	17	Rifery
MARYLAND	50	870	70	1,727	3	17	Track (Indoor)
MASSACHUSETTS		1,500		966			
					222		Baseball
					192		Cross Country
					20		Football
					248		Lacrosse
					50		Rifery
					1,150		Track (Indoor)
					112		Badminton
					30		Fencing
MICHIGAN	409	15,100	315	4,410	317		Bowling
					155		Badminton
MINNESOTA	463	14,151	370	8,591	12	260	Bowling
MISSISSIPPI	215	3,225			23	362	Badminton
MISSOURI	306	7,190	239	6,414			
MONTANA	185	6,000					
NEBRASKA	350	8,500	359	9,975	60	550	Cross Country
NEVADA	39	585					
NEW HAMPSHIRE	25	600	6	60	6	70	Bowling
					12	100	Cross Country
NEW JERSEY	153	7,650	48	960	77	770	Bowling
					57	855	Cross Country
					12	120	Fencing
					20	500	Lacrosse
NEW MEXICO	102	1,530	85	1,275			
NEW YORK	345	8,500	581	11,000	71	1,000	Archery
					128	2,500	Badminton
					188	2,000	Bowling
					53	500	Cross Country
					9	90	Fencing
					14	350	Lacrosse
					11	100	Rifery
					254	5,000	Soccer
					15	200	Track (Indoor)
					49	400	Table Tennis

STATE-COUNTRY	TRACK & FIELD (OUTDOOR)		VOLLEYBALL		OTHER SPORTS		
	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	No. Schools	No. Partici.	
N. CAROLINA	80	2,400	95	1,425			
N. DAKOTA	225	4,875					
OHIO	792	20,446	718	14,026	26	348	Archery
					17	185	Badminton
					58	904	Bowling
					16	163	Fencing
					22	334	Soccer
OKLAHOMA	170	2,550	167	2,598			
OREGON	220	3,300	140	2,100	150	1,500	Cross Country
PENNSYLVANIA	67	2,010	96	1,910	48	1,920	Lacrosse
RHODE ISLAND	19	576	24	429	13	143	Cross Country
S. CAROLINA	20	400	40	400	16	200	Bowling
S. DAKOTA	190	4,230	10	160	12	140	Bowling
TENNESSEE	107	3,317					
TEXAS	906	35,000	920	28,000			
UTAH			40	800			
VERMONT	28	610	3	41	27	293	Cross Country
					2	10	Rifery
					1	18	Soccer
					2	13	Track (Indoor)
VIRGINIA	192	4,900	40	600			
WASHINGTON	293	6,843	239	5,490	7	65	Archery
					72	1,336	Badminton
					21	258	Bowling
					70	571	Cross Country
					7	141	Soccer
WEST VIRGINIA							
WISCONSIN	348	16,028	282	9,304	12	96	Badminton
					7	140	Soccer
WASHINGTON	67	1,800	57	855	27		Cross Country

1975-76 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	48	550	171	1,735
BADMINTON	595	7,104	1,205	18,110
BASEBALL	13,639	425,386	33	1,038
BASKETBALL	19,344	722,895	15,355	404,902
BOWLING	811	9,507	676	8,136
CROSS COUNTRY	10,305	215,029	2,631	30,798
CURLING	374	4,095	336	3,363
DECATHLON	128	876	-0-	-0-
DRILL TEAMS	41	1,417	352	9,371
FENCING	64	1,018	36	333
FIELD HOCKEY	160	936	1,675	59,944
FOOTBALL—11 man	15,233	1,113,106	-0-	-0-
8 man	552	12,295	-0-	-0-
6 man	3	40	-0-	-0-
9 man	143	4,178	-0-	-0-
12 man	73	2,553	-0-	-0-
GOLF	10,271	189,176	2,672	32,938
GYMNASTICS	1,530	37,303	3,379	79,461
ICE HOCKEY	785	29,796	38	269
LACROSSE	251	6,487	155	5,318
PENTATHLON	52	75	-0-	-0-
RIFLERY	297	4,477	101	1,279
RUGBY	10	250	-0-	-0-
SKIING	400	10,963	303	8,547
SOCCER	3,478	115,811	599	11,534
SOFTBALL	1,154	14,816	6,521	140,736
SWIMMING	4,317	128,942	3,384	88,888
TABLE TENNIS	264	2,033	164	1,180
TENNIS	8,564	150,401	7,132	117,207
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,344	46,319	565	17,142
TRACK & FIELD (Outdoor)	16,749	664,413	13,219	410,922
VOLLEYBALL	2,215	49,677	10,332	240,605
WATER POLO	367	12,187	2	24
WEIGHTLIFTING	56	1,144	-0-	-0-
WRESTLING	9,772	355,160	-0-	-0-

BOYS PARTICIPATION—1975-76

COUNTRY- STATE	Archery		Badminton		Baseball		Basketball	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA					340	6,750	417	9,500
ALASKA							52	1,250
ARIZONA					140	4,760	140	4,902
ARKANSAS					139	2,000	390	15,500
CALIFORNIA					906	36,950	921	40,159
CANADA								
Alberta			145	1,700	12	200	190	3,200
Manitoba	2	22	137	3,501	33	868	130	3,720
New Brunswick			46	575	10	185	48	585
Newfoundland			111	320			111	1,102
P.E.I.			21	182			18	211
COLORADO					180	5,580	249	10,000
CONNECTICUT					179	5,901	179	5,287
DELAWARE					57	1,960	75	2,658
DIST. OF COL.					15	320	15	300
FLORIDA					402	10,864	490	15,527
GEORGIA					364	12,100	373	15,300
HAWAII					47	1,061	50	1,518
IDAHO					58	1,444	125	3,678
ILLINOIS					589	12,369	779	38,950
INDIANA					457	13,400	506	18,200
IOWA					483	9,660	502	15,060
KANSAS					63	1,260	384	11,520
KENTUCKY					293	7,600	315	9,475
LOUISIANA					278	6,950	428	9,416
MAINE					165	3,470	130	4,622
MARYLAND					140	3,732	140	4,098
MASSACHUSETTS						12,389		12,509
MICHIGAN					648	27,864	704	38,720
MINNESOTA					453	13,082	517	22,462
MISSISSIPPI					216	4,500	290	4,380
MISSOURI					385	11,132	757	30,496
MONTANA							201	8,600
NEBRASKA					35	766	368	7,499
NEVADA					40	1,200	53	1,950
NEW HAMPS.					82	2,200	82	2,600
NEW JERSEY					421	18,945	423	19,035
NEW MEXICO					78	2,300	124	4,000
NEW YORK					745	19,220	763	21,286
NO. CAROLINA	46	488	135	826	310	7,750	321	9,630
NO. DAKOTA					48	780	267	9,846
OHIO					904	25,725	1,517	49,431
OKLAHOMA					374	8,228	489	9,780
OREGON					200	9,000	240	8,640
PENN.					601	13,222	1,090	32,700
RHODE IS.					43	1,160	44	862
SO. CAROLINA					232	6,800	232	8,800
SO. DAKOTA							209	5,250
TENNESSEE					294	7,056	366	10,248
TEXAS					786	32,000	1,126	64,000
UTAH					77	1,958	90	2,643
VERMONT			40			1,434		1,624
VIRGINIA					270	9,890	286	11,591
WASHINGTON					291	8,837	325	11,778
W. VIRGINIA					139	3,796	329	9,668
WISCONSIN					369	11,501	426	31,393
WYOMING							74	3,650
PHILIPPINES					3	70	4	110

*Figures based on 1974 academic year

COUNTRY- STATE	Bowling		Cross Country		Curling		Decathlon	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA			50	600			35	640
ALASKA			24	1,000				
ARIZONA			92	1,617				
ARKANSAS			85	1,275				
CALIFORNIA			746	21,987				
CANADA								
Alberta	3	30	70	775	180	1,080		
Manitoba	16	552	64	844	121	2,460		
New Brunswick			18	140	26	104		
Newfoundland			111	344				
P.E.I.			39	201	22	88		
COLORADO			112	2,330				
CONNECTICUT			137	2,868			30	43
DELAWARE			40	725				
DIST. OF COL.			15	450				
FLORIDA			225	3,175			33	149
GEORGIA			115	2,000				
HAWAII	30	353	39	758				
IDAHO			40	599				
ILLINOIS			496	13,492				
INDIANA			475	7,800				
IOWA	163	815	228	5,700				
KANSAS			219	4,380				
KENTUCKY			166	2,500				
LOUISIANA			87	1,740				
MAINE	3	120	95	554				
MARYLAND			113	1,422				
*MASSACHUSETTS		29		6,040				
MICHIGAN			553	11,060	19	255		
MINNESOTA			286	4,611				
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI			259	8,493				
MONTANA			95	1,250				
NEBRASKA			133	842				
NEVADA	11	120	33	680				
NEW HAMPS.			45	1,100				40
NEW JERSEY	197	3,940	376	11,280				
NEW MEXICO			57	1,680				
NEW YORK	362	3,196	566	8,488				
NO. CAROLINA			110	1,650				
NO. DAKOTA			57	907	6	108		
OHIO			746	12,273				
OKLAHOMA			56	280				
OREGON			180	3,600				
PENN.			471	9,420				
RHODE IS.			41	731				
SO. CAROLINA	16	235	85	1,700				
SO. DAKOTA	8	80	125	2,000				
TENNESSEE			122	854			30	44
TEXAS			902	27,000				
UTAH			60	851				
VERMONT		25		429				
VIRGINIA			175	2,624				
WASHINGTON			215	3,942				
W. VIRGINIA			58	1,175				
WISCONSIN			288	5,381				
WYOMING			19	570				
PHILIPPINES	2	12	4	60				

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Drill Teams		Fencing		Field Hockey		Football 11-man	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA							383	25,000
ALASKA							12	800
ARIZONA		434					120	10,567
ARKANSAS							200	14,000
CALIFORNIA							834	90,882
CANADA								
Alberta								
Manitoba					49			
New Brunswick								
Newfoundland					111	936		
P.E.I.								
COLORADO							191	11,650
CONNECTICUT							143	8,499
DELAWARE							51	3,545
DIST. OF COL.							15	850
FLORIDA							408	32,833
GEORGIA	30	900					320	19,200
HAWAII							43	3,475
IDAHO							107	6,275
ILLINOIS							590	57,820
INDIANA							422	26,800
IOWA							434	21,700
KANSAS							329	14,100
KENTUCKY					10	120	202	9,100
LOUISIANA							277	12,465
MAINE							61	3,678
MARYLAND	1	8					129	10,367
*MASSACHUSETTS								20,235
MICHIGAN							653	52,240
MINNESOTA							511	31,264
MISSISSIPPI							269	12,105
MISSOURI							467	30,781
MONTANA							100	6,500
NEBRASKA							270	9,731
NEVADA							42	4,060
NEW HAMPS.							32	1,800
NEW JERSEY					33	660	361	36,100
NEW MEXICO							90	4,000
NEW YORK					21	238	574	32,430
NO. CAROLINA							294	14,700
NO. DAKOTA							94	6,256
OHIO							1,309	66,170
OKLAHOMA							308	10,164
OREGON							190	12,350
PENN.							974	77,920
RHODE IS.							41	1,886
SO. CAROLINA	10	75					215	12,500
SO. DAKOTA							85	2,700
TENNESSEE							297	19,899
TEXAS							936	127,000
UTAH							78	5,561
VERMONT								1,512
VIRGINIA							275	22,913
WASHINGTON							270	16,510
W. VIRGINIA							267	10,494
WISCONSIN							409	42,871
WYOMING							58	4,500

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Football		6-man		9-man		12-man	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA								
ALASKA								
ARIZONA	18	315						
ARKANSAS								
CALIFORNIA								
CANADA								
Alberta					20	300	50	1,500
Manitoba					27	1,158	12	721
New Brunswick							7	217
Newfoundland								
P.E.I.							4	115
COLORADO	33	925	3	40				
CONNECTICUT								
DELAWARE								
DIST. OF COL.								
FLORIDA								
GEORGIA								
HAWAII								
IDAHO	14	394						
ILLINOIS								
INDIANA								
IOWA								
KANSAS	52	1,040						
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA								
MAINE								
MARYLAND								
*MASSACHUSETTS								
MICHIGAN								
MINNESOTA								
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	6	232						
MONTANA	65	1,400						
NEBRASKA	90	1,333						
NEVADA	9	190						
NEW HAMPS.								
NEW JERSEY								
NEW MEXICO								
NEW YORK	29	576						
NO. CAROLINA					74	2,170		
NO. DAKOTA								
OHIO								
OKLAHOMA	28	560						
OREGON	37	555						
PENN.								
RHODE IS.								
SO. CAROLINA								
SO. DAKOTA	67	1,350			22	550		
TENNESSEE								
TEXAS	65	2,500						
UTAH								
VERMONT								
VIRGINIA								
WASHINGTON	31	695						
W. VIRGINIA								
WISCONSIN								
WYOMING	8	230						

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey		Lacrosse	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	200	700						
ALASKA					9	300		
ARIZONA	77	795	20	326				
ARKANSAS	130	1,300						
CALIFORNIA	639	8,542	111	2,609				
CANADA								
Alberta	35	210	20	160	6	100		
Manitoba	72	1,474	48	1,206	37	1,242	18	592
New Brunswick					33	549		
Newfoundland								
P.E.I.					13	221		
COLORADO	94	11,000	53	1,700	16	320		
CONNECTICUT	136	1,487	23	353	47	1,131		
DELAWARE	30	360	1	25				
DIST. OF COL.	10	150						
FLORIDA	300	2,475	25	263				
GEORGIA	150	2,500	73	2,200				
HAWAII	10	482	2	14				
IDAHO	52	588						
ILLINOIS	469	7,035	77	3,157				
INDIANA	392	4,900	37	700				
IOWA	356	7,120	18	270				
KANSAS	185	2,775	28	560				
KENTUCKY	194	2,330	15	230				
LOUISIANA	110	995	30	520				
MAINE	63	621	10	115	8	227		
MARYLAND	92	796	48	612			47	1,950
*MASSACHUSETTS		3,212		1,455		7,089		
MICHIGAN	502	9,036	34	782	97	2,134		
MINNESOTA	327	5,198	63	1,227	147	5,131		
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	225	3,751	12	287				
MONTANA	49	950	20	250				
NEBRASKA	61	1,243	20	250				
NEVADA	28	420	5	70				
NEW HAMPS.	30	350			20	600		
NEW JERSEY	307	3,070	52	3,120	36	900	34	850
NEW MEXICO	43	525	12	250				
NEW YORK	514	6,152	255	5,810	73	1,334	147	2,970
NO. CAROLINA	172	1,720						
NO. DAKOTA	66	813			16	520		
OHIO	705	7,907	91	2,184	34	933		
OKLAHOMA	119	952						
OREGON	120	960	44	880				
PENN.	481	7,215	74	1,480				
RHODE IS.	37	323			29	861		
SO. CAROLINA	160	1,100						
SO. DAKOTA	55	550	4	40				
TENNESSEE	200	2,200						
TEXAS	986	28,000						
UTAH	63	773						
VERMONT		218		83		365		
VIRGINIA	185	1,480	50	500			5	125
WASHINGTON	187	2,554	36	772				
W. VIRGINIA	205	1,605	5	125				
WISCONSIN	292	6,399	41	1,246	25	676		
WYOMING	25	220	7	140				
PHILIPPINES	4	30						

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Pentathlon		Riflery		Rugby		Skiing	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA							16	300
ALASKA							2	9
ARIZONA			16	225				
ARKANSAS							23	609
CALIFORNIA								
CANADA					10	250	4	40
Alberta								
Manitoba								
New Brunswick								
Newfoundland								
P.E.I.							10	300
COLORADO	52	75						
CONNECTICUT								
DELAWARE								
DIST. OF COL.								
FLORIDA								
GEORGIA			90	1,800				
HAWAII			11	187				
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS								
INDIANA								
IOWA								
KANSAS								
KENTUCKY			17	170				
LOUISIANA								
MAINE							33	548
MARYLAND								
*MASSACHUSETTS								765
MICHIGAN							83	2,573
MINNESOTA							60	1,535
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI								
MONTANA								
NEBRASKA								
NEVADA							6	100
NEW HAMPS.								
NEW JERSEY							23	460
NEW MEXICO								
NEW YORK			86	1,036			78	1,658
NO. CAROLINA								
NO. DAKOTA								
OHIO								
OKLAHOMA								
OREGON								
PENN.			77	1,035				
RHODE IS.								
SO. CAROLINA								
SO. DAKOTA								
TENNESSEE								
TEXAS								
UTAH								
VERMONT								
VIRGINIA								
WASHINGTON								
W. VIRGINIA								
WISCONSIN								
WYOMING							10	200
PHILIPPINES								

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Soccer		Softball		Swimming		Table Tennis	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA					40			
ALASKA					14	480		
ARIZONA					34	701		
ARKANSAS					75	750		
CALIFORNIA	466	18,420			556	19,174		
CANADA								
Alberta	50	750			22	390		
Manitoba	88	2,890			13	247	46	1,156
New Brunswick	33	650			14	175		
Newfoundland	111	552	111	461			111	232
P.E.I.	17	305	11	132			7	30
COLORADO	41	1,025			71	2,130		
CONNECTICUT	136	3,988			109	2,220		
DELAWARE	39	1,261			18	393		
DIST. OF COL.	10	220			5	125		
FLORIDA	126	4,295			100	3,619		
GEORGIA	132	4,000			115	3,500		
HAWAII	20	729			32	724		
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	120	4,220			222	8,880		
INDIANA					158	4,200		
IOWA					51	1,530		
KANSAS					25	500		
KENTUCKY					52	1,275		
LOUISIANA	14	350			28	160		
MAINE	72	2,203			24	640		
MARYLAND	121	3,896			20	400		
*MASSACHUSETTS								
MICHIGAN	35	1,085			229	8,244		
MINNESOTA	43	3,107			124	3,462		
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	108	3,167	50	585	70	1,721		
MONTANA					10	250		
NEBRASKA					27	405		
NEVADA	11	250			6	180		
NEW HAMPS.	62	2,000						
NEW JERSEY	314	18,840			103	4,120		
NEW MEXICO					16	320		
NEW YORK	556	16,140	582	8,138	262	5,964	98	615
NO. CAROLINA	38	760			30	750		
NO. DAKOTA					9	225		
OHIO	110	3,515			192	4,346		
OKLAHOMA					40	480		
OREGON	80	1,600			75	1,500		
PENN.	272	5,440			220	4,840		
RHODE IS.	29	869			10	236		
SO. CAROLINA	40	750			8	250		
SO. DAKOTA					6	125		
TENNESSEE								
TEXAS			400	5,500	700	28,000		
UTAH	17	555			30	816		
VERMONT		1,382				10		
VIRGINIA	50	1,250			32	640		
WASHINGTON	72	2,479			82	2,025		
W. VIRGINIA					5	127		
WISCONSIN					92	3,409		
WYOMING					20	540		
PHILIPPINES	4	100			2	35		

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Tennis		Track (Indoor)		Track (Outdoor)		Volleyball	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	250	700	85	2,150	300	2,900		
ALASKA	6	90			38	1,100		
ARIZONA	85	1,291			131	4,757		
ARKANSAS	200	1,400	15	400	355	12,000		
CALIFORNIA	745	17,721			856	52,188		
CANADA								
Alberta	4	32	4	80	145	2,700	165	2,900
Manitoba	3	90			127	4,003	145	4,534
New Brunswick					31	700	38	570
Newfoundland							111	992
P.E.I.					43	328	13	130
COLORADO	83	1,500			237	11,850		
CONNECTICUT	138	2,145	63	1,101	158	6,645		
DELAWARE	48	766	29	654	58	2,075		
DIST. OF COL.	10	150	12	360	15	450		
FLORIDA	256	3,067			384	13,677		
GEORGIA	180	2,000			350	11,000		
HAWAII					31	1,903	31	421
IDAHO	32	1,047			119	2,956		
ILLINOIS	340	7,820			691	30,404		
INDIANA	283	4,300			496	17,900		
IOWA	101	1,515			486	24,300		
KANSAS	111	1,665	256	12,800	383	19,150		
KENTUCKY	115	1,200			235	7,100		
LOUISIANA	133	532			335	4,030	21	331
MAINE	33	433	22	745	89	2,653	6	100
MARYLAND	95	1,075	90	2,296	121	4,085		228
*MASSACHUSETTS		2,610			672	29,568		
MICHIGAN	382	10,060			485	15,714		
MINNESOTA	181	3,797			247	5,000		
MISSISSIPPI	82	1,230			586	23,479	3	55
MISSOURI	186	3,761	102	5,105	201	7,600		
MONTANA	15	155			362	6,493		
NEBRASKA	39	511			53	3,975		
NEVADA	28	530	20	400	45	2,000	13	130
NEW HAMPS.	321	6,420	195	9,750	369	22,140	6	120
NEW JERSEY	46	500			114	3,500		
NEW MEXICO	520	6,840	265	5,800	641	19,978	607	9,605
NEW YORK	163	2,445			252	7,560		
NO. CAROLINA	20	344			218	5,750		
OHIO	460	7,575			1,365	55,473		
OKLAHOMA	87	696			312	6,240	109	1,308
OREGON	88	704			230	11,500		
PENN.	316	4,740			759	22,770	120	2,400
RHODE IS.	34	514	22	835	40	1,387		
SO. CAROLINA	160	1,600	10	300	205	8,000		
SO. DAKOTA	22	225	6	125	207	5,500		
TENNESSEE	168	3,024			203	7,130		
TEXAS	1,099	25,000			1,126	76,000	780	24,000
UTAH	76	991			88	3,127		
VERMONT		206		14		657		110
VIRGINIA	176	1,780	148	3,404	275	9,036		
WASHINGTON	216	4,188			312	10,762		
W. VIRGINIA	52	547			217	8,494		
WISCONSIN	151	4,638			404	25,386	43	1,683
WYOMING	8	100			74	1,560		
PHILIPPINES	4	30			3	80	4	60

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Water Polo		Weight Lifting		Wrestling		Other Sports	
	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.
ALABAMA					70	650		
ALASKA					32	1,070		
ARIZONA					138	3,925		
ARKANSAS								
CALIFORNIA	317	11,164			657	26,780		
CANADA								
Alberta	2	25			70	800		
Manitoba	2	13			19	763	87	2,359 Fastball
New Brunswick					7	105		
Newfoundland						137		
P.E.I.					25	278	21	88 Speed Skating
COLORADO					189	7,200		
CONNECTICUT					82	2,780		
DELAWARE					61	2,241		
DIST. OF COL.								
FLORIDA			56	1,144	207	6,449		
GEORGIA					225	6,800		
HAWAII	5	93			32	1,135		
IDAHO					83	2,534		
ILLINOIS					438	21,900		
INDIANA					387	12,000		
IOWA					313	12,520		
KANSAS					159	4,770		
KENTUCKY					69	1,950		
LOUISIANA					34	292		
MAINE					29	631		
MARYLAND					123	3,552		
*MASSACHUSETTS						2,491		
MICHIGAN	3	60			455	18,205		
MINNESOTA					377	12,626		
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	18	530			239	12,418		
MONTANA					87	2,500		
NEBRASKA					201	3,728		
NEVADA	16	180			34	1,340		
NEW HAMPS.					13	400		
NEW JERSEY					351	14,040		
NEW MEXICO					43	600		
NEW YORK					554	18,228	5	86 Crew
NO. CAROLINA					152	3,952	14	138 Handball
NO. DAKOTA					62	2,216		
OHIO	14	122			886	31,469		
OKLAHOMA					101	1,818		
OREGON					165	8,250		
PENN.					781	31,240		
RHODE IS.					28	994		
SO. CAROLINA					100	1,200		
SO. DAKOTA					107	2,700		
TENNESSEE					97	2,716		
TEXAS								
UTAH					80	2,989		
VERMONT						300		
VIRGINIA					170	6,686		
WASHINGTON					244	8,930		
W. VIRGINIA					85	1,746	4	83 Rowing
WISCONSIN					378	20,084		
WYOMING					45	1,350		
PHILIPPINES					4	120		

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

GIRLS PARTICIPATION—1975-76

COUNTRY- STATE	Archery		Badminton		Baseball		Basketball	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	32	200	85	465			50	900
ALASKA							25	350
ARIZONA	35	294	43	674			69	1,756
ARKANSAS							325	6,000
CALIFORNIA	9	145	303	6,696			809	19,230
CANADA								
Alberta			157	1,820			185	3,050
Manitoba	2	7	137	3,084	33	1,038	130	3,303
New Brunswick			46	575			55	690
Newfoundland			111	291			111	900
P.E.I.			21	156			23	265
COLORADO							218	6,600
CONNECTICUT			31	170			161	2,130
DELAWARE							65	1,970
DIST. OF COL.							12	230
FLORIDA							346	5,658
GEORGIA							365	15,000
HAWAII							35	746
IDAH0							110	2,334
ILLINOIS	43	215	135	945			522	8,352
INDIANA							449	10,200
IOWA							368	11,040
KANSAS							260	5,200
KENTUCKY							120	2,768
LOUISIANA							140	3,147
MAINE			11	264			685	18,077
MARYLAND							490	14,388
*MASSACHUSETTS			11	121			277	5,186
MICHIGAN							587	18,148
MINNESOTA							170	5,000
MISSISSIPPI							287	4,751
MISSOURI							48	960
MONTANA							82	2,000
NEBRASKA							409	12,270
NEVADA							117	3,000
NEW HAMPS.							678	14,100
NEW JERSEY							310	6,200
NEW MEXICO	44	826	77	2,109			258	6,561
NEW YORK							1,052	23,144
NO. CAROLINA							488	7,320
NO. DAKOTA	6	48	7	89			186	4,650
OHIO							811	24,330
OKLAHOMA							43	925
OREGON							232	7,200
PENN.							206	5,150
RHODE IS.							348	9,744
SO. CAROLINA							946	46,000
SO. DAKOTA							73	1,368
TENNESSEE								1,212
TEXAS							272	5,502
UTAH							320	8,081
VERMONT							155	3,375
VIRGINIA			30	651			373	14,726
WASHINGTON							71	2,150
W. VIRGINIA							4	60
WISCONSIN								
WYOMING								
PHILIPPINES								

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Bowling		Cross Country		Curling		Decathlon	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	30	225	40	240				
ALASKA			24	500				
ARIZONA			15	141				
ARKANSAS								
CALIFORNIA	30	484	143	1,292				
CANADA								
Alberta	3	36	65	620	170	1,020		
Manitoba	16	604	64	628	121	2,163		
New Brunswick			10	70	27	108		
Newfoundland			111	274				
P.E.I.			32	175	18	72		
COLORADO								
CONNECTICUT			40	496				
DELAWARE								
DIST. OF COL.								
FLORIDA			135	1,084				
GEORGIA			50	400				
HAWAII	22	301	36	410				
IDAH0			25	208				
ILLINOIS	200	2,000	5	60				
INDIANA			6	100				
IOWA								
KANSAS								
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA			11	78				
MAINE								
MARYLAND			80	346				
*MASSACHUSETTS	11	135	42	610				
MICHIGAN			123	1,284				
MINNESOTA								
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI			70	650				
MONTANA			2	6				
NEBRASKA								
NEVADA	11	140						
NEW HAMPS.			25	500				
NEW JERSEY	105	1,050	115	1,725				
NEW MEXICO								
NEW YORK	194	2,450	160	1,908				
NO. CAROLINA			4	19				
NO. DAKOTA			84	1,008				
OHIO	17	248	12	52				
OKLAHOMA			150	2,250				
OREGON			79	1,580				
PENN.			22	350				
RHODE IS.			2	25				
SO. CAROLINA	16	200	75	750				
SO. DAKOTA	8	80	64	448				
TENNESSEE			458	8,500				
TEXAS								
UTAH			15	209				
VERMONT			50	119				
VIRGINIA			148	1,272				
WASHINGTON	11	156						
W. VIRGINIA			48	351				
WISCONSIN			2	15				
WYOMING			4	45				
PHILIPPINES	2	12						

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Drill Teams		Fencing		Field Hockey		Golf	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA							90	250
ALASKA								
ARIZONA		178					16	147
ARKANSAS							25	100
CALIFORNIA			9	64	158	4,725	25	196
CANADA								
Alberta							30	95
Manitoba					49	907	72	478
New Brunswick					10	200		
Newfoundland								
P.E.I.					16	240		
COLORADO								
CONNECTICUT					83	2,700		
DELAWARE					42	1,572		
DIST. OF COL.							6	48
FLORIDA							108	508
GEORGIA	50	2,500					7	21
HAWAII								
IDAH0								
ILLINOIS					59	1,239	69	690
INDIANA							90	850
IOWA								
KANSAS							53	795
KENTUCKY							75	900
LOUISIANA							11	45
MAINE					44	1,903	20	66
MARYLAND	1	17			87	2,332	92	34
*MASSACHUSETTS						7,170		74
MICHIGAN					26	602	137	1,375
MINNESOTA							102	1,139
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI					42	1,144	89	2,491
MONTANA							40	650
NEBRASKA							39	214
NEVADA	45	1,125					23	276
NEW HAMPS.					55	1,200		
NEW JERSEY			18	180	237	9,480	30	300
NEW MEXICO							15	50
NEW YORK					333	8,246	104	460
NO. CAROLINA							22	220
NO. DAKOTA							22	189
OHIO			9	89	70	1,296	72	756
OKLAHOMA								
OREGON							55	275
PENN.					296	11,840	87	870
RHODE IS.					16	540		
SO. CAROLINA	10	75					10	60
SO. DAKOTA	190	3,800					30	300
TENNESSEE							33	66
TEXAS							720	16,000
UTAH	56	1,676					7	22
VERMONT								
VIRGINIA								
WASHINGTON					51	1,202	28	34
W. VIRGINIA					1	1,357	66	508
WISCONSIN								
WYOMING							76	658

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Gymnastics		Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Pentathlon	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	50	270						
ALASKA	14	280						
ARIZONA	38	673						
ARKANSAS	80	1,500						
CALIFORNIA	398	9,159						
CANADA								
Alberta	35	350						
Manitoba	48	1,332	37	244	18	255		
New Brunswick								
Newfoundland								
P.E.I.								
COLORADO	118	1,300						
CONNECTICUT	54	747						
DELAWARE	1	20			2	49		
DIST. OF COL.								
FLORIDA	66	1,013						
GEORGIA	70	2,200						
HAWAII	2	85						
IDAH0	37	710						
ILLINOIS	125	2,000						
INDIANA	179	4,000						
IOWA								
KANSAS	38	760						
KENTUCKY	27	325						
LOUISIANA	30	545						
MAINE	31	715						
MARYLAND	61	1,110			18	504		
*MASSACHUSETTS		2,177						
MICHIGAN	133	3,752						
MINNESOTA	185	4,950						
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	60	1,383						
MONTANA	22	325						
NEBRASKA	24	285						
NEVADA	5	100						
NEW HAMPS.								
NEW JERSEY	123	3,690	1	25	27	675		
NEW MEXICO	23	450						
NEW YORK	228	4,530			16	875		
NO. CAROLINA								
NO. DAKOTA	31	858						
OHIO	311	4,870						
OKLAHOMA								
OREGON	72	1,440						
PENN.	129	2,580			74	2,960		
RHODE IS.	31	650						
SO. CAROLINA	12	320						
SO. DAKOTA	40	800						
TENNESSEE								
TEXAS								
UTAH	55	1,276						
VERMONT		362						
VIRGINIA	102	1,610						
WASHINGTON	106	2,820						
W. VIRGINIA	5	112						
WISCONSIN	168	5,511						
WYOMING	12	315						

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Riflery		Rugby		Skiing		Soccer	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA					10	200		
ALASKA								
ARIZONA	16	145						
ARKANSAS								
CALIFORNIA					16	260	24	546
CANADA								
Alberta					4	40		
Manitoba							86	1,198
New Brunswick								
Newfoundland							111	46
P.E.I.								
COLORADO					10	250		
CONNECTICUT								
DELAWARE								
DIST. OF COL.								
FLORIDA								
GEORGIA								
HAWAII	8	81						
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS							10	300
INDIANA								
IOWA								
KANSAS								
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA								
MAINE					20	176		
MARYLAND								
*MASSACHUSETTS								
MICHIGAN					65	1,300		
MINNESOTA					53	1,042		
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI								
MONTANA								
NEBRASKA								
NEVADA								
NEW HAMPS.					32	375		
NEW JERSEY							27	810
NEW MEXICO								
NEW YORK					51	1,280	258	7,258
NO. CAROLINA								
NO. DAKOTA								
OHIO							11	286
OKLAHOMA								
OREGON								
PENN.	77	1,035					13	260
RHODE IS.								
SO. CAROLINA								
SO. DAKOTA								
TENNESSEE								
TEXAS								
UTAH								
VERMONT		18				244		
VIRGINIA							19	46
WASHINGTON							38	684
W. VIRGINIA								
WISCONSIN					10	200		
WYOMING								

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

COUNTRY- STATE	Softball		Swimming		Table Tennis		Tennis	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA			40	350			160	360
ALASKA			14	300			6	80
ARIZONA	62	1,318	33	962			90	1,534
ARKANSAS			75	750			120	900
CALIFORNIA	711	18,069	426	12,593			691	14,638
CANADA								
Alberta	35	400	21	380			4	32
Manitoba			13	303	48	966	3	66
New Brunswick	32	576	14	175				
Newfoundland	111	476			111	189		
P.E.I.	8	96			5	25		
COLORADO			68	2,040			83	1,100
CONNECTICUT	149	2,861	47	1,566			100	1,463
DELAWARE	42	837	10	239			30	446
DIST. OF COL.	12	216	5	30			5	30
FLORIDA	281	5,402	99	3,839			259	2,877
GEORGIA	10	200	105	3,150			165	1,650
HAWAII	31	682	32	559				
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	412	5,356	133	3,192			328	4,264
INDIANA	57	1,300	136	3,200			204	3,100
IOWA								
KANSAS	19	380	19	390			107	1,605
KENTUCKY			42	1,000			105	1,075
LOUISIANA	111	2,220	19	95			118	354
MAINE	88	2,201	20	514			33	503
MARYLAND	104	2,150	20	400			95	893
*MASSACHUSETTS								
MICHIGAN	466	5,952	190	1,261				2,473
MINNESOTA	175	12,582	108	5,510			284	8,236
MISSISSIPPI							168	3,682
MISSOURI	239	5,030	58	1,479			82	1,200
MONTANA			12	150			152	2,491
NEBRASKA			24	421				
NEVADA	27	405	6	200			38	430
NEW HAMPS.	80	2,000					26	184
NEW JERSEY	358	10,740	62	1,240			30	300
NEW MEXICO	23	450	16	320			245	3,675
NEW YORK	605	13,095	201	4,840			37	370
NO. CAROLINA	233	4,660	31	620			369	5,460
NO. DAKOTA	26	606	10	248			125	1,875
OHIO	455	9,099	84	2,520			16	315
OKLAHOMA	176	2,840					281	3,051
OREGON	40	720	74	1,480			88	704
PENN.	371	7,420	197	4,334			87	609
RHODE IS.							272	4,080
SO. CAROLINA	15	300	4	40			13	280
SO. DAKOTA	12	240	6	125			100	800
TENNESSEE							20	190
TEXAS	600	7,500	551	16,000			157	2,335
UTAH	31	863	37	701			70	703
VERMONT								
VIRGINIA	147	1,170	26	465			127	1,705
WASHINGTON	62	2,992	78	1,747			216	3,898
W. VIRGINIA	27	1,326	5	98			52	545
WISCONSIN	49	1,933	94	2,676			127	2,837
WYOMING			18	560				
PHILIPPINES	4	100	2	35			4	30

*Figures based on 1974 academic year.

ADMINISTRATION

FORMER PRESIDENTS

1920-33: George Edw. Marshall, Iowa (deceased)
 1933-44: E. R. Stevens, Kansas (1929-1944)
 1944-48: R. E. Rawlins, South Dakota (1929-49)
 1948-54: C. A. Semler, Michigan (deceased) (1944-54)
 1954-55: S. F. Burke, Georgia (1944-73)
 1955-57: Fred L. Biester, Illinois (deceased) (1954-57)
 1957-58: Homer Williams, Idaho (1955-58)
 1958-59: W. R. Fugitt, West Virginia (deceased) (1950-59)
 1959-60: Herman F. Keller, Indiana (1954-60)
 1960-61: Willard B. Knowles, California (1958-61)
 1961-71: S. F. Burke, Georgia (1944-73)
 1971-72: W. Gordon Eismen, West Virginia (1959-60; 1969-72)
 1972-73: Loman F. Hutchings, Utah (1970-73)
 1973-74: Robert E. Karlin, New Mexico (1971-74)
 1974-75: Earl O. Berge, Iowa (1972-1975)
 1975-76: Floyd E. Lay, Florida (1973-1976)
 1976-77: James G. Grownney, New Jersey (1974-1977)

FORMER SECRETARIES

1920-27: L. W. Smith, Illinois (1920-30) 1940-58: H. V. Porter
 1927-40: C. W. Whitten

FORMER EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

	Term		Term
Louis E. Allen, Minnesota.....	1966-69	William D. Carr, Oklahoma.....	1965-68
B. C. Alwes, Louisiana.....	1939-48	Leslie T. Chamberlin,	
Bruce Anderson,		Nebraska	1969-72
North Dakota	1972-75	R. H. Cole, Arkansas.....	1953-56
Lee K. Anderson,		Joseph J. Devitt, Maine.....	1968-71
Oklahoma	1950-53	H. R. Dieterich, Missouri.....	1948-51
J. K. Archer, New York.....	1945-48	F. W. Douma, Iowa.....	1951-54
Ray C. Ball, Colorado.....	1968-71	Brice B. Durbin, Kansas.....	1975-76
Carl G. Berg,		W. Gordon Eismen, W. Va.....	1959-60
Massachusetts	1971-74	Harry L. Fitzhugh, Illinois.....	1963-66
Earl O. Berge, Iowa.....	1972-75	James O. Funk, Indiana.....	1969-72
John V. Bernard, Wyoming.....	1960-63	H. J. Goetz, Montana.....	1958-59
E. S. Bowlus, Mississippi.....	1936-39	C. H. Hancock, Montana.....	1957-58
S. F. Burke, Georgia.....	1944-73	A. Oden Hawes, Oregon.....	1973-76

COUNTRY- STATE	Track (Indoor)		Track (Outdoor)		Volleyball		Water Polo	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	30	250	150	1,100	220	7,750		
ALASKA			38	600	20	150		
ARIZONA			109	2,602	135	2,819		
ARKANSAS			100	1,500	160	2,000		
CALIFORNIA			597	13,798	839	21,301		
CANADA								
Alberta	4	60	145	2,470	169	2,930		
Manitoba			127	3,822	145	4,584	2	24
New Brunswick			29	500	41	615		
Newfoundland					111	995		
P.E.I.			38	326	22	220		
COLORADO			231	7,000	222	5,550		
CONNECTICUT			82	2,809	55	1,084		
DELAWARE			31	682	31	696		
DIST. OF COL.			12	180	12	216		
FLORIDA			310	6,908	313	5,327		
GEORGIA			285	8,600	30	600		
HAWAII			47	1,337	44	920		
IDAHO			119	2,249	97	2,135		
ILLINOIS			639	17,253	610	14,030		
INDIANA			435	11,900	487	11,800		
IOWA								
KANSAS	243	12,150	380	19,000	309	9,270		
KENTUCKY			198	4,775				
LOUISIANA			145	1,460	143	1,716		
MAINE			83	1,731	25	393		
MARYLAND	77	633	105	2,518	101	2,398		
MASSACHUSETTS				1,500		966		
MICHIGAN			537	22,554	462	12,012		
MINNESOTA			498	14,877	460	14,939		
MISSISSIPPI			232	3,480				
MISSOURI			514	15,008	410	11,354		
MONTANA			185	6,200				
NEBRASKA			361	5,161	364	6,694		
NEVADA			46	2,760	47	940		
NEW HAMPS.	10	200	40	1,000	13	130		
NEW JERSEY	54	2,160	203	10,150	79	1,580		
NEW MEXICO			114	3,500	101	3,000		
NEW YORK	97	1,452	397	11,950	634	11,580		
N.D. CAROLINA			131	3,930	125	1,675		
N.D. DAKOTA			235	5,396	35	709		
OHIO			1,096	30,956	914	14,067		
OKLAHOMA			310	4,515	204	2,448		
OREGON			230	5,750	200	3,000		
PENN.			396	11,880	319	6,380		
RHODE IS.			21	835	29	530		
S.O. CAROLINA			50	1,100	80	700		
S.O. DAKOTA			190	4,750				
TENNESSEE			172	5,332				
TEXAS			1,110	68,000	840	26,000		
UTAH			83	1,943	89	1,766		
VERMONT		14		524		110		
VIRGINIA	50	223	225	6,755	66	985		
WASHINGTON			305	7,722	268	6,799		
W. VIRGINIA			66	1,630	61	672		
WISCONSIN			403	21,010	404	15,538		
WYOMING			68	1,440	67	1,675		
PHILIPPINES			3	45	4	60		

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1978 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	55	933	132	2,509
BADMINTON	482	10,623	895	21,239
BASEBALL	13,437	432,853	19	640
BASKETBALL	19,099	764,702	17,053	537,810
BOWLING	810	9,685	588	8,023
CROSS COUNTRY	10,097	206,587	3,892	53,726
CURLING	313	5,145	304	3,982
DECATHLON	204	1,100		
DRILL TEAMS	46	1,115	325	4,069
FENCING	86	1,239	35	366
FIELD HOCKEY	12	363	1,739	66,174
FOOTBALL—11 man	14,983	1,074,973		
8 man	416	8,625		
6 man	66	12,433		
9 man	198	5,020		
12 man	126	32,299		
GOLF	9,586	135,844	2,671	25,134
GYMNASTICS	1,345	32,538	3,655	84,943
ICE HOCKEY	631	30,035	12	195
LACROSSE	260	8,839	176	7,543
PENTATHLON	52	75	59	100
RIFLERY	282	4,585	30	317
RUGBY	15	5,333		
SKIING	450	13,286	461	12,284
SOCCER	3,455	141,070	597	17,970
SOFTBALL	239	3,930	7,266	179,739
SWIMMING	3,869	106,498	3,420	88,062
TABLE TENNIS	147	2,379	51	1,237
TENNIS	8,889	170,653	7,917	147,365
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,489	56,482	801	26,524
TRACK & FIELD (Outdoor)	16,499	706,892	13,798	466,093
VOLLEYBALL	1,104	27,704	11,690	326,091
WATER POLO	400	12,877	28	554
WEIGHTLIFTING	67	2,399	13	351
WRESTLING	9,653	338,328		

BOYS PARTICIPATION—1978

STATE-COUNTRY	Baseball		Basketball		Bowling		Cross Country	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	350	7,325	419	9,675			55	665
ALASKA			69	1,629			32	455
ARIZONA	138	6,158	140	6,129			100	2,855
ARKANSAS	144	2,100	398	16,000			90	1,500
CALIFORNIA	906	36,950	931	40,159	23	419	746	21,987
CANADA								
Alberta	20	300	200	2,500			140	1,400
British Columbia								
Manitoba	23	479	143	3,364	19	599	77	772
New Brunswick								
Nova Scotia								
Ontario				19,419				7,638
Prince Edward			31	344			45	255
Saskatchewan								
COLORADO	177	5,200	249	10,000			113	2,700
CONNECTICUT	182	6,422	182	5,033			156	2,694
DELAWARE	51	1,672	71	2,132	1	35	39	759
DIST. OF COL.	14	350	46	1,070			30	600
FLORIDA	403	10,507	476	14,504			257	3,318
GEORGIA	365	12,500	375	16,000			125	2,500
HAWAII	48	1,799	56	2,065	36	448	50	798
IDAHO	54	1,580	125	4,855			40	664
ILLINOIS	620	25,000	783	38,000			478	7,170
INDIANA	444	13,338	479	16,586			455	7,341
IOWA	487	9,740	501	15,030	158	790	223	5,575
KANSAS	59	1,475	382	11,460			213	4,473
KENTUCKY	259	4,921	292	5,840			135	1,350
LOUISIANA	293	7,600	315	9,475			87	1,740
MAINE	121	1,815	138	3,450			108	2,160
MARYLAND	147	4,363	146	4,478			121	2,580
MASSACHUSETTS		13,528		12,820		174		5,948
MICHIGAN	655	28,208	715	39,285			539	10,784
MINNESOTA	413	13,252	506	19,883			256	4,290
MISSISSIPPI	210	4,500	282	6,000				
MISSOURI	363	10,400	751	26,911			251	5,256
MONTANA			182	8,600			95	800
NEBRASKA	35	890	370	9,160			129	1,183
NEVADA	40	1,200	54	2,800			32	360
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,200	83	2,600			45	1,100
NEW JERSEY	417	18,765	418	18,810	184	3,680	384	11,520
NEW MEXICO	79	2,291	126	4,032			55	1,595
NEW YORK	752	22,560	768	22,056	366	3,215	571	3,286
NO. CAROLINA	338	8,704	349	10,513			129	1,962
NO. DAKOTA	46	810	262	9,375			50	810
OHIO	905	25,745	1,599	51,868			778	12,801
OKLAHOMA	375	9,375	490	15,712			90	1,080
OREGON	200	9,000	240	8,640			180	3,600
PENNSYLVANIA	714	15,708	1,082	32,460			464	9,280
RHODE ISLAND	43	1,148	44	858			38	702
SO. CAROLINA	232	6,800	235	9,100	15	225	90	1,800
SO. DAKOTA			209	6,270	8	80	150	2,200
TENNESSEE	414	9,936	622	17,416			181	1,267
TEXAS	705	28,080	1,133	101,116			512	25,000
UTAH	84	1,818	93	2,428			75	897
VERMONT		1,795		1,932		20		493
VIRGINIA	270	10,000	284	11,625			175	2,700
WASHINGTON	285	8,897	326	11,452			214	4,437
W. VIRGINIA	149	4,096	313	9,225			75	1,575
WISCONSIN	322	11,468	538	30,943			300	5,612
WYOMING			74	1,500			20	250
PHILIPPINES	3	85	4	115			4	50

FOOTBALL STATE-COUNTRY	11-Man		8-Man		6-Man		12-Man	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	389	28,000						
ALASKA	14	848						
ARIZONA	139	13,242						
ARKANSAS	200	15,000						
CALIFORNIA	834	90,882	38	1,083				
CANADA								
Alberta				(9man)	20	400	80	3,300
British Columbia							42	1,652
Manitoba								
New Brunswick								
Nova Scotia								
Ontario								27,227
Prince Edward							4	120
Saskatchewan								
COLORADO	191	11,650	29	875	8	110		
CONNECTICUT	125	8,044						
DELAWARE	50	3,636						
DIST. OF COL.	15	1,100						
FLORIDA	390	31,632						
GEORGIA	322	19,500						
HAWAII	43	4,162						
IDAHO	105	7,803	15	376				
ILLINOIS	584	50,800						
INDIANA	398	25,775						
IOWA	435	21,750						
KANSAS	327	15,040	49					
KENTUCKY	204	6,120						
LOUISIANA	277	12,465						
MAINE	62	2,180						
MARYLAND	130	10,019						
MASSACHUSETTS		9,293						
MICHIGAN	642	51,360						
MINNESOTA	486	32,572						
MISSISSIPPI	280	11,700						
MISSOURI	455	30,932	5	144				
MONTANA	85	5,525	62	1,550				
NEBRASKA	265	11,629	92	2,654				
NEVADA	50	3,000						
NEW HAMPSHIRE	32	1,800						
NEW JERSEY	374	37,400						
NEW MEXICO	89	3,916						
NEW YORK	579	32,596	31	618				
N. CAROLINA	328	21,886						
N. DAKOTA	85	5,770		(9man)	73	2,120		
OHIO	1,392	69,433						
OKLAHOMA	325	11,700	35	770				
OREGON	190	12,350	37	555				
PENNSYLVANIA	951	76,080						
RHODE ISLAND	40	1,875						
S. CAROLINA	218	13,200						
S. DAKOTA	85	3,400		(9man)	105	2,500		
TENNESSEE	525	34,502						
TEXAS	954	112,332			58	12,323		
UTAH	83	5,535						
VERMONT		1,435						
VIRGINIA	276	23,125						
WASHINGTON	177	17,417	23					
WEST VIRGINIA	261	10,255						
WISCONSIN	479	41,307						
WYOMING	63	2,000						
PHILIPPINES								

STATE-COUNTRY	Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey		Skiing	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA	230	1,000						
ALASKA					14	367	17	220
ARIZONA	80	932	19	326				
ARKANSAS	145	1,450						
CALIFORNIA	638	8,642	111	2,609			23	609
CANADA								
Alberta	65	325	20	100			30	300
British Columbia								
Manitoba	81	947	24	449	40	831	26	797
New Brunswick								
Nova Scotia								
Ontario		2,070		1,970		4,285		2,553
Prince Edward			22	76	13	260		
Saskatchewan								
COLORADO	89	9,500	37	1,500	15	350	10	300
CONNECTICUT	143	1,673	14	236	47	1,088		
DELAWARE	25	285	1	9	1	20		
DIST. OF COL.	10	100						
FLORIDA	211	2,395	25	222				
GEORGIA	165	3,000	80	2,400				
HAWAII	42	417	6	48				
IDAHO	44							
ILLINOIS	413	4,130	74	1,500	2	60		
INDIANA	390	4,849	37	680				
IOWA	364	7,280						
KANSAS	182	2,730	24	480				
KENTUCKY	184	1,288	13	275				
LOUISIANA	110	995						
MAINE	73	365	20	320	16	336	46	1,150
MARYLAND	106	876	44	653				
MASSACHUSETTS		3,159		1,003		8,773		914
MICHIGAN	486	8,748	22	506	98	2,156	82	1,577
MINNESOTA	307	5,204	43	762	146	5,051	68	1,576
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	204	2,855	13	262				
MONTANA	57	1,150	24	360				
NEBRASKA	163	1,955	21	308				
NEVADA	28	460					3	45
NEW HAMPSHIRE	30	350	5	50	20	600	30	550
NEW JERSEY	302	3,020	45	2,700	28	700	21	420
NEW MEXICO	43	516	15	315				
NEW YORK	519	6,207	271	5,980	84	1,452	85	1,748
NO. CAROLINA	212	2,220						
NO. DAKOTA	76	905			15	540		
OHIO	688	7,703	68	1,632	38	1,041		
OKLAHOMA	128	1,152						
OREGON	120	960	44	880				
PENNSYLVANIA	453	6,795	54	1,080				
RHODE ISLAND	35	318			29	878		
SO. CAROLINA	175	1,300						
SO. DAKOTA	61	600	4	40				
TENNESSEE	251	2,712						
TEXAS	723	10,360						
UTAH	70	628						
VERMONT		270		126		509		427
VIRGINIA	188	1,520	53	525				
WASHINGTON	182	2,461	27	592				
W. VIRGINIA	201	1,565	5	142				
WISCONSIN	81	5,367	48	1,297	25	738		
WYOMING	10	100	12	125			9	100
PHILIPPINES	3	35						

STATE-COUNTRY	Soccer		Swimming		Track and Field		Indoor		Outdoor	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA			45	375	90	2,600	315	3,000		
ALASKA			19	315			36	800		
ARIZONA			39	1,020			136	5,966		
ARKANSAS			75	750	25	450	280	13,000		
CALIFORNIA	466	18,420	556	19,174			856	52,188		
CANADA										
Alberta	60	1,200	24	360			170	2,100		
British Columbia										
Manitoba	84	2,835	10	287	54	618	141	3,168		
New Brunswick										
Nova Scotia										
Ontario		8,924		3,046						22,221
Prince Edward	20	350	11	75			43	345		
Saskatchewan										
COLORADO	44	2,000	76	2,300			237	12,000		
CONNECTICUT	153	6,279	81	1,857	49	1,715	154	6,589		
DELAWARE	37	1,613	10	254	22	619	57	2,343		
DIST. OF COL.	10	300	7	210	25	625	46	1,200		
FLORIDA	118	5,191	199	3,453			378	12,388		
GEORGIA	135	4,200	120	3,600			354	11,500		
HAWAII	27	920	38	631			52	2,140		
IDAHO							120	4,186		
ILLINOIS	136	3,000	192	5,760			691	29,640		
INDIANA			174	4,286			462	16,638		
IOWA			55	1,850			493	24,650		
KANSAS			28	560	301	15,050	381	19,050		
KENTUCKY	14	280	46	828			212	4,876		
LOUISIANA	14	350	35	230			335	4,030		
MAINE	82	2,460	20	325	25	475	90	1,890		
MARYLAND	127	4,574	21	510	95	3,189	130	5,855		
MASSACHUSETTS		10,815		1,985		6,912		12,221		
MICHIGAN	52	1,612	235	8,225			676	29,744		
MINNESOTA	52	3,204	127	3,201			458	16,465		
MISSISSIPPI							234	4,680		
MISSOURI	82	3,227	65	1,817	114	3,420	580	24,341		
MONTANA			13	260			182	7,500		
NEBRASKA			30	493			367	7,937		
NEVADA			16	250			53	2,100		
NEW HAMPSHIRE	62	2,000			20	400	45	2,000		
NEW JERSEY	323	19,380	108	4,320	186	9,300	363	21,780		
NEW MEXICO			18	360			120	3,720		
NEW YORK	569	16,639	257	5,871	278	6,067	637	19,888		
N. CAROLINA	41	1,236	28	350	12	87	305	10,704		
N. DAKOTA			11	340			222	5,545		
OHIO	156	4,992	180	4,170			1,449	58,665		
OKLAHOMA			50	500			328	7,216		
OREGON	80	1,600	75	1,500			230	11,500		
PENNSYLVANIA	274	5,480	230	5,060			733	21,990		
RHODE ISLAND	34	921	12	253	22	829	40	1,374		
S. CAROLINA	50	850	6	200	10	250	220	8,500		
S. DAKOTA			8	150	6	180	207	5,600		
TENNESSEE							366	12,003		
TEXAS			216	7,380			1,103	92,103		
UTAH			56	648			89	2,724		
VERMONT		1,794		12		96		902		
VIRGINIA	65	1,550	35	710	155	3,600	277	9,925		
WASHINGTON	84	2,764	85	1,975			303	10,416		
W. VIRGINIA			5	152			219	8,675		
WISCONSIN			96	3,660			449	23,411		
WYOMING			26	800			72	1,400		
PHILIPPINES	4	110					3	100		

STATE-COUNTRY	Tennis		Volleyball		Wrestling		Other		
	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	
ALABAMA	255	715			82	675	38	680	Decathlon
ALASKA	6	101			35	909	2	22	Badminton
							1	40	Drill Teams
							5	55	Rifery
ARIZONA	87	1,863			114	5,290	13	117	Rifery
ARKANSAS	240	1,550					60	180	Decathlon
CALIFORNIA	745	17,721	86	2,128	657	26,780	13	125	Fencing
							38	694	Rifery
CANADA							317	11,164	Water Polo
Alberta	20	200	205	1,900	75	750	165	1,800	Badminton
							180	1,150	Curling
British Columbia							70	400	Softball
Manitoba	19	493	156	3,910	13	188	16	502	Archery
							151	3,145	Badminton
							113	1,708	Curling
							2	3	Fencing
							1	51	Field Hockey
							4	51	Lacrosse
							15	333	Rugby
							79	1,353	Softball
							48	1,258	Table Tennis
							4	26	Rifery
							3	22	Water Polo
							22	639	Weight lifting
							6	127	Racquetball
New Brunswick									
Nova Scotia									
Ontario		2,451		9,359		5,804		4,558	Badminton
								2,128	Curling
								472	Lacrosse
								5,000	Rugby
								500	Table Tennis
Prince Edward			17	180	29	191	22	400	Water Polo
							16	128	Badminton
							22	64	Curling
							8	240	Softball
							37	48	Table Tennis
COLORADO	83	1,800			196	7,800	10	350	Speed Skating
CONNECTICUT	136	2,037			82	2,565	52	300	Lacrosse
DELAWARE	33	516			54	2,136	38	75	Pentathlon
							1	72	Decathlon
							1	40	Field Hockey
							1	25	Lacrosse
							1	30	Softball
							1	32	Crew
DIST. OF COL.							1	17	Skiing
FLORIDA	12	120			4	120	15	330	Softball
	210	2,961			223	6,418	32	117	Decathlon
							30	445	Water Polo
GEORGIA	185	2,400			230	7,100	51	1,595	Weight Lifting
							35	1,000	Drill Teams
HAWAII	49	745	37	658	39	1,258	95	2,000	Rifery
							19	177	Rifery
							8	116	Water Polo
							11	227	Judo
							12	184	Soft-Tennis
							6	267	Canoeing
IDAHO	36	1,327			82	2,793	1	45	Polo (horse)

STATE-COUNTRY	Tennis		Volleyball		Wrestling		Other		
	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	
ILLINOIS	301	4,500			443	12,000	12	120	Fencing
							2	60	Lacrosse
							6	90	Water Polo
							2	18	Speed Skating
INDIANA	301	5,070			384	12,115			
IOWA	107	1,070			320	12,800			
KANSAS	119	1,785			165	4,950			
KENTUCKY	148	1,036			61	976	3	34	Fencing
							14	98	Rifery
LOUISIANA	133	532			43	502			
MAINE	54	648	18	270	47	378	3	69	Lacrosse
							7	105	Rifery
MARYLAND	128	1,355	7	140	121	3,934	53	2,482	Sailing
MASSACHUSETTS		3,890		33		3,446		74	Lacrosse
								132	Fencing
								1,440	Field Hockey
								242	Lacrosse
								502	Rifery
MICHIGAN	389	8,558			454	18,200	4	80	Softball
MINNESOTA	179	3,788			359	12,290			Water Polo
MISSISSIPPI	96	1,440							
MISSOURI	195	3,518	2	25	230	8,557	34	839	Softball
							17	426	Water Polo
MONTANA	24	240			99	2,500			
NEBRASKA	41	734			203	4,710			
NEVADA	23	460			33	1,200			
NEW HAMPSHIRE	33	333			15	450	1	25	Lacrosse
NEW JERSEY	313	6,260	3	60	350	14,000	31	620	Fencing
							35	875	Lacrosse
NEW MEXICO	46	506			44	616			
NEW YORK	506	6,721	201	2,814	551	18,180	39	431	Archery
							142	970	Badminton
							6	94	Crew
							25	263	Fencing
							10	140	Field Hockey
							12	118	Handball
							145	2,890	Lacrosse
							87	1,053	Rifery
							18	236	Softball
							91	573	Table Tennis
N. CAROLINA	228	3,131			198	6,007	4	165	Weight Lifting
N. DAKOTA	23	360			68	2,275	4	95	Curling
OHIO	492	8,113			929	32,996	15	134	Water Polo
OKLAHOMA	108	1,080	196	1,960	123	2,460			
OREGON	88	704			165	8,250			
PENNSYLVANIA	364	5,460	124	2,480	813	32,520			
RHODE ISLAND	35	530			28	983			
S. CAROLINA	150	1,550			125	1,500	10	75	Drill Teams
S. DAKOTA	25	250			107	2,100			
TENNESSEE	255	4,407			143	4,004	36	51	Decathlon
TEXAS	1,109	41,892							
UTAH	78	878			83	2,470			
VERMONT		210		100		423			
								18	Rifery
								23	Physical Fitness
VIRGINIA	195	1,900			178	6,800	6	150	Cross Count. Skd.
WASHINGTON	212	4,054			241	8,984			Lacrosse
W. VIRGINIA	97	1,015			107	1,946			
WISCONSIN	164	5,540	48	1,627	453	20,429			
WYOMING	10	100			51	1,500			
ZEPHYRUS	4	35	4	60	4	100			

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STATE-COUNTRY	Archery		Badminton		Basketball		Cross Country	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA					300	9,000	45	265
ALASKA			2	26	63	1,191	30	269
ARIZONA	24	383	44	858	112	2,637		
ARKANSAS					390	7,500		
CALIFORNIA	9	145	303	6,696	809	19,230	143	1,292
CANADA								
Alberta			165	1,980	200	2,300	140	1,500
British Columbia								
Manitoba	16	461	148	2,671	145	2,854	68	628
New Brunswick								
Nova Scotia								
Ontario		279		4,900		15,600		6,025
Prince Edward			22	128	31	391	41	215
Saskatchewan								
COLORADO					245	8,500	35	450
CONNECTICUT			16	238	164	3,535	63	1,024
DELAWARE					64	1,516	3	19
DIST. OF COL.	8	50			46	1,070	30	600
FLORIDA					423	7,332	119	1,713
GEORGIA					370	15,300	100	2,000
HAWAII					54	1,085	31	673
IDAHO					121	3,406	36	497
ILLINOIS	25	250	104	1,200	598	18,000	51	750
INDIANA					467	10,952	14	121
KANSAS					377	11,310	78	1,170
KENTUCKY					286	5,720	82	902
LOUISIANA					260	5,200	11	78
MAINE	4	85			138	2,920	68	675
MARYLAND			13	312	146	3,825	96	1,146
MASSACHUSETTS				101		5,089		1,527
MICHIGAN					702	20,184	143	2,145
MINNESOTA					499	16,994	216	1,747
MISSISSIPPI					282	5,500		
MISSOURI					625	17,713		
MONTANA					182	8,600	70	500
NEBRASKA					354	6,495	8	35
NEVADA					50	1,100	16	140
NEW HAMPSHIRE					82	2,500	30	600
NEW JERSEY					401	12,030	155	2,325
NEW MEXICO					123	3,156		
NEW YORK	46	856	78	2,129	696	14,530	381	4,951
NO. CAROLINA					345	6,615		
NO. DAKOTA					259	6,980	4	22
OHIO					1,376	30,272	115	1,380
OKLAHOMA					489	14,700	50	450
OREGON					240	6,000	150	2,250
PENNSYLVANIA					925	27,750	251	5,020
RHODE ISLAND					44	860	24	360
SO. CAROLINA					235	7,800	6	30
SO. DAKOTA					208	6,240	145	2,175
TENNESSEE					612	17,136	129	990
TEXAS					1,022	95,165	405	1,900
UTAH					89	1,436		
VERMONT						1,543		300
VIRGINIA					284	5,653		
WASHINGTON					324	8,616	196	1,900
W. VIRGINIA					270	8,330		
WISCONSIN					468	17,199	99	800
WYOMING					74	1,200	11	120
PHILIPPINES					4	50	4	40

STATE-COUNTRY	Field Hockey		Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA			95	260	53	285		
ALASKA					16	171	16	140
ARIZONA			23	178	41	850		
ARKANSAS			25	100	90	1,650		
CALIFORNIA	158	4,725	25	196	398	9,159	16	260
CANADA								
Alberta			65	195	50	400	30	300
British Columbia								
Manitoba	47	899	25	384	32	609	61	2,015
New Brunswick								
Nova Scotia								
Ontario		2,561		200		5,400		1,440
Prince Edward	15	250			22	166		
Saskatchewan								
COLORADO					111	2,400	10	300
CONNECTICUT	89	2,877			61	1,192		
DELAWARE	51	1,824			3	37	1	20
DIST. OF COL.					10	200		
FLORIDA			109	509	61	809		
GEORGIA					75	2,500		
HAWAII			11	46	5	41		
ILLINOIS	36	700			25	713		
INDIANA			106	1,100	126	3,100		
KANSAS			118	1,073	179	3,890		
KENTUCKY			60	900	34	680		
LOUISIANA			116	812	18	420		
MAINE	79	2,230	12	29	22	179		
MARYLAND	112	2,792	8	55	54	972	34	680
MASSACHUSETTS			27	62	70	1,076		
MICHIGAN	22	660		254		2,648		783
MINNESOTA			125	1,375	141	3,666	80	1,612
MISSISSIPPI			187	1,873	181	4,686	73	1,430
MISSOURI	44	1,244						
MONTANA			66	644	59	1,383		
NEBRASKA			57	1,150	24	360		
NEVADA			50	397	26	485		
NEW HAMPSHIRE	55	1,200	23	256			3	10
NEW JERSEY	224	8,960					32	400
NEW MEXICO			30	300	119	3,570		
NEW YORK	333	8,251	25	80	23	450		
NORTH CAROLINA			110	476	378	7,182	96	2,400
NORTH DAKOTA			11	86	9	92		
OHIO	59	1,062	23	215	27	890		
OKLAHOMA			96	1,008	296	4,636		
OREGON								
PENNSYLVANIA	390	15,600	95	475	72	1,440		
RHODE ISLAND	16	421	133	1,330	159	3,180		
SOUTH CAROLINA	3	100	6	40	34	655		
SOUTH DAKOTA			59	590	15	300		
TENNESSEE			93	186	42	500		
TEXAS			475	6,223				
UTAH					75	1,179		
VERMONT		1,748		39		441		394
VIRGINIA	60	1,583			115	1,719		
WASHINGTON			109	713	106	2,410		
WEST VIRGINIA								
WISCONSIN			73	692	186	5,997		
WYOMING					12	175	9	100
PUERTO RICO								

STATE-COUNTRY	Soccer		Softball		Swimming		Tennis	
	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.	No. Schools	No. Particip.
ALABAMA					45	365	165	380
ALASKA					19	223	6	85
ARIZONA			86	2,551	43	1,243	88	2,158
ARKANSAS					75	750	155	1,100
CALIFORNIA			711	18,069	426	12,593	691	14,638
CANADA								
Alberta			70	400	24	360	20	200
British Columbia								
Manitoba	17	474	76	1,321	10	271	19	537
New Brunswick								
Nova Scotia								
Ontario				1,000		3,590		1,920
Prince Edward				264		75		
COLORADO	40	1,200	23		11			
CONNECTICUT			166	3,878	76	2,050	92	2,000
DELAWARE			43	971	55	1,909	108	2,192
DIST. OF COL.			30	660	8	214	32	519
FLORIDA	15	306	340	6,888	4	80	5	60
GEORGIA			150	3,000	200	3,600	306	2,765
HAWAII	4	189	43	879	105	3,200	170	2,000
IDAHO					38	622	48	755
ILLINOIS	16	480	346	8,650				
INDIANA			53	1,178	198	4,000	357	3,500
KANSAS			22	440	147	3,710	259	4,328
KENTUCKY					19	380	59	1,740
LOUISIANA					44	793	146	1,022
MAINE	7	105	121	2,420	22	151	118	354
MARYLAND			115	2,530	21	295	47	564
MASSACHUSETTS		1,830	113	3,039	21	510	121	1,339
MICHIGAN				9,414		2,414		4,246
MINNESOTA			575	14,088	206	6,180	305	6,710
MISSISSIPPI			183	5,819	128	3,438	187	3,796
MISSOURI							96	1,400
MONTANA	12	306	261	5,650	57	1,566	167	2,853
NEBRASKA					13	260	24	240
NEVADA					27	461	41	717
NEW HAMPSHIRE	6	100	26	520	16	250	24	250
NEW JERSEY	31	930	80	2,000			30	300
NEW MEXICO			347	10,410	68	1,360	254	3,810
NEW YORK			33	500	17	330	41	400
NO. CAROLINA	266	7,448	607	13,134	249	5,967	457	6,855
NO. DAKOTA			363	6,499	28	264	190	2,439
OHIO			15	375	11	310	21	345
OKLAHOMA	32	832	562	11,238	133	3,990	371	4,007
OREGON			180	3,240	38	380	116	1,276
PENNSYLVANIA	40	800	50	900	74	1,480	87	609
RHODE ISLAND	22	440	560	11,200	230	5,060	360	5,400
SO. CAROLINA				555			19	398
SO. DAKOTA			35	750	4	45	100	750
TENNESSEE					8	150	20	200
TEXAS							238	4,125
UTAH			400	12,324	210	6,250	1,109	40,742
VERMONT		151			56	578	79	729
VIRGINIA	36	1,113		1,605		16		295
WASHINGTON	53	1,266	171	3,424	28	210	175	2,230
W. VIRGINIA			130	3,021	85	2,032	221	4,207
WISCONSIN			25	535				
WYOMING			127	4,310	97	3,247	161	3,765
PHILIPPINES			4	90	26	800	8	80
							4	35

No. Particip.	STATE-COUNTRY	Indoor		Outdoor		Volleyball		Other		
		No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	
380	ALABAMA	75	600	200	1,500	225	5,000			
85	ALASKA			34	600	26	611	13	206	Drill Teams
2,159								5	50	Riflery
1,036	ARIZONA			128	3,667	140	3,532			
200	ARKANSAS			225	3,500	155	2,200	200	750	Drill Teams
537	CALIFORNIA			597	13,798	839	21,301	30	484	Bowling
								9	64	Fencing
								2	22	Riflery
	CANADA									
	Alberta			170	2,100	205	2,150	180	1,100	Curling
1,920	British Columbia									
2,000	Manitoba	54	541	134	2,886	154	3,932	19	368	Baseball
2,192								19	672	Bowling
519								108	1,540	Curling
60								6	125	Flag Football
2,765								6	148	Floor Hockey
2,000								12	95	Ice Hockey
755								42	860	Table Tennis
								13	351	Weight Lifting
3,500	New Brunswick									
4,328	Nova Scotia									
1,740	Ontario				13,080		17,200		330	Bowling
1,022									2,000	Cheerleading
354									1,278	Curling
564									100	Ice Hockey
1,339									290	Table Tennis
4,246	Prince Edward			43	340	21	230	16	182	Water Polo
6,710								37	64	Curling
3,796								8	350	Speed Skating
1,400								8	48	Sync. Swimming
	Saskatchewan								48	Table Tennis
717	COLORADO			232	8,500	238	7,000	30	60	Pentathlon
250	CONNECTICUT			113	4,992	91	1,899			
300	DELAWARE	6	78	42	1,326	30	681	1	35	Bowling
3,810								2	23	Crew
400								2	38	Drill Teams
6,855								7	235	Lacrosse
2,439	DIST. OF COL.	10	200	46	1,150	14	252	1	10	Table Tennis
345	FLORIDA			352	7,980	358	6,396	28	372	Water Polo
4,007	GEORGIA			300	9,000	40	1,000	50	2,500	Drill Teams
1,276	HAWAII			52	1,440	52	1,002	30	356	Bowling
609								2	6	Judo
5,400								1	30	Lacrosse
398								8	90	Riflery
750								12	171	Soft Tennis
200	IDAHO			120	3,553	107	3,180			
4,125	ILLINOIS			660	21,800	758	22,750	170	2,000	Bowling
40,742	INDIANA			452	13,555	469	11,615			
729	KANSAS			380	19,000	331	9,930			
295	KENTUCKY	289	14,450	197	4,531			4	45	Fencing
2,230								14	98	Riflery
4,207										
3,765										
80										
35										

STATE-COUNTRY	Track & Field				Volleyball		Other		
	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	No. Schools	No. Part.	
LOUISIANA			145	1,460	143	1,716			
MAINE	20	380	88	1,496	28	504	2	20	Bowling
							1	25	Lacrosse
							1	12	Rifery
MARYLAND	58	1,644	120	3,750	131	2,862	1	25	Sailing
MASSACHUSETTS		2,828		8,900		2,710	26	1,050	Lacrosse
								239	Baseball
								181	Bowling
								35	Fencing
								695	Lacrosse
								38	Rifery
MICHIGAN			603	25,373	555	13,598	10	29	Table Tennis
							26	250	Speedball
MINNESOTA			467	15,533	489	16,227		490	Sync. Swimming
MISSISSIPPI			226	3,390					
MISSOURI	10	270	510	16,027	422	11,925			
MONTANA			182	7,500					
NEBRASKA			365	5,774	365	10,154		3	Baseball
NEVADA			51	1,300	48	600			
NEW HAMPSHIRE	15	300	40	1,200	15	160			
NEW JERSEY	60	2,400	233	11,650	75	1,500	112	1,120	Bowling
							17	170	Fencing
NEW MEXICO			119	3,650	116	3,450	19	475	Lacrosse
NEW YORK	152	2,128	421	12,672	645	11,780	50	500	Drill Teams
							201	2,535	Bowling
							18	873	Lacrosse
NO. CAROLINA			196	4,881	204	3,598			
NO. DAKOTA			234	5,210	40	920			
OHIO			1,317	39,516	1,184	18,223	5	52	Fencing
OKLAHOMA			313	5,634	210	2,520			
OREGON			230	5,750	220	3,300			
PENNSYLVANIA			572	17,160	421	8,420	104	4,160	Lacrosse
RHODE ISLAND			23	908	33	717			
SO. CAROLINA			150	3,500	110	800	15	200	Bowling
							10	75	Drill Teams
SO. DAKOTA	2	50	207	5,600			8	80	Bowling
TENNESSEE			334	10,214	164	3,032	29	40	Pentathlon
TEXAS			1,019	69,960	766	55,701			
UTAH			89	1,787	87	1,392			
VERMONT		31		833		92			
								30	Baseball
								10	Bowling
								266	Cheerleading
								12	Physical Fitness
								7	Rifery
								5	Cross Country
VIRGINIA	50	624	257	7,793	84	1,312			Skiing
WASHINGTON			306	7,848	309	7,967			
W. VIRGINIA					53	584			
WISCONSIN			430	20,266	443	16,906			
WYOMING			71	1,200	73	1,500			
PHILIPPINES			3	60	4	60			

1979 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	31	380	77	927
BADMINTON	73	6,546	508	9,539
BASEBALL	13,466	415,661	3	49
BASKETBALL	16,978	619,601	15,290	449,695
BOWLING	570	5,287	438	5,127
CANOEING	3	177	2	10
CREW	19	543	1	23
CROSS COUNTRY	9,902	170,126	5,134	59,005
CURLING	3	56		
DECATHLON	144	932		
DELL TEAMS			577	45,121
FENCING	84	1,399	47	472
FIELD HOCKEY	9	231	1,959	59,679
FOOTBALL—11 man	13,631	986,844		
9 man	254	5,972		
8 man	398	9,113		
6 man	60	1,800		
GOLF	9,593	117,668	2,690	23,933
GYMNASTICS	981	19,706	3,260	65,449
ICE HOCKEY	865	25,174	9	89
JUDO	15	294	1	2
LACROSSE	266	10,377	153	5,704
PENTATHLON	30	30	73	146
RIFLE	141	1,943	44	319
SKIING (Downhill)	317	5,952	316	5,041
SKIING (Cross Country)	251	4,152	209	2,671
SOCCER	3,783	132,073	893	23,475
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	41	811	6,888	161,962
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	120	2,376	959	19,309
SWIMMING & DIVING	3,820	95,718	3,516	81,433
TENNIS	8,862	156,376	8,277	142,773
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,304	43,794	710	16,223
TRACK & FIELD (Outdoor)	14,623	562,567	13,222	414,043
VOLLEYBALL	720	12,812	10,524	261,816
WATER POLO	355	10,027	27	365
WEIGHTLIFTING	64	1,290		
WRESTLING	8,683	281,704		

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football-11-12	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	350	7,325	420	9,695	55	665	390	28,075
ALASKA			82	1,900	40	600	14	900
ARIZONA	146	5,287	142	5,293	103	1,910	137	11,945
ARKANSAS	166	2,490	397	7,146	88	616	203	7,511
CALIFORNIA	940	35,110	970	35,242	754	19,837	847	84,416
COLORADO	187	5,800	254	10,160	125	2,500	210	12,600
CONNECTICUT	182	6,422	183	5,033	156	2,694	125	8,044
DELAWARE	29	900	38	1,147	21	415	27	1,900
D.C.	14	350	15	375	15	300	15	1,100
FLORIDA	376	9,354	344	12,235	252	3,325	341	27,945
GEORGIA	365	13,000	375	16,000	150	2,800	315	19,000
HAWAII	52	1,039	58	1,839	46	752	43	3,779
IDAHO	50	1,559	124	4,725	44	441	105	8,361
ILLINOIS	564	22,560	797	39,053	424	6,360	580	50,460
INDIANA	394	12,065	406	14,325	380	6,342	314	22,740
IOWA	490	9,800	500	15,000	237	5,925	435	21,750
KANSAS	61	1,525	381	11,430	222	4,662	326	15,000
KENTUCKY	265	5,300	301	7,525	138	1,380	204	10,700
LOUISIANA	290	7,250	432	12,225	125	1,480	278	12,422
MAINE	135	2,700	140	3,920	122	1,220	62	3,100
MARYLAND	147	4,380	146	4,590	118	2,385	137	10,351
MASSACHUSETTS	369	14,672	374	14,663	347	6,826	320	24,337
MICHIGAN	653	28,079	706	38,830	537	10,740	642	51,360
MINNESOTA	410	13,252	501	19,883	256	4,290	398	30,072
MISSISSIPPI	216	4,500	290	4,380			269	12,105
MISSOURI	357	9,705	554	19,609	239	4,480	324	21,193
MONTANA			182	8,600	51	800	84	5,600
NEBRASKA	34	1,023	366	9,113	129	1,244	255	12,180
NEVADA	40	1,300	54	2,850	31	350	42	3,600
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,200	83	2,600	40	410	35	1,800
NEW JERSEY	420	18,900	422	18,990	387	11,610	374	37,400
NEW MEXICO	78	2,262	123	3,936	57	1,653	88	4,774
NEW YORK	751	21,260	766	21,960	576	11,270	576	37,500
NORTH CAROLINA	330	8,977	343	10,493	125	1,997	324	21,262
NORTH DAKOTA	19	295	144	4,967	142	3,891	45	3,143
OHIO	768	21,595	799	27,946	654	6,898	730	47,450
OKLAHOMA	377	9,425	493	13,804	96	1,152	325	11,700
OREGON	200	9,000	245	8,820	180	3,600	190	12,350
PENNSYLVANIA	643	14,137	649	19,476	418	8,352	571	45,640
RHODE ISLAND	44	1,135	44	864	38	710	40	1,850
SOUTH CAROLINA	222	7,100	223	9,500	125	2,500	213	13,500
SOUTH DAKOTA			210	6,417	122	1,083	81	3,841
TENNESSEE	323	7,752	360	10,080	152	1,064	305	19,970
TEXAS	719	28,616	1,136	73,840	700	5,000	1,020	119,340
UTAH	84	1,818	93	2,428	75	897	83	5,535
VERMONT	40	1,141	34	1,128	25	320	19	1,110
VIRGINIA	271	10,250	284	11,625	175	2,700	277	24,350
WASHINGTON	287	8,759	327	11,425	219	4,129	276	18,337
WEST VIRGINIA	150	4,115	171	5,130	75	1,588	149	6,017
WISCONSIN	375	10,177	423	15,166	294	3,763	405	26,137
WYOMING			74	2,220	22	200	63	2,200

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA					45	375	255	715
ALASKA					20	330	6	100
ARIZONA					38	735	93	1,525
ARKANSAS					23	90	217	868
CALIFORNIA	19	471	586	20,763	530	14,536	760	15,634
COLORADO	12	360	47	1,175	79	2,370	87	1,570
CONNECTICUT			153	6,279	87	2,037	136	2,037
DELAWARE			20	883	10	254	21	315
D.C.			10	220	10	300	14	140
FLORIDA			145	4,780	194	2,970	280	2,500
GEORGIA			140	4,000	100	2,500	180	2,000
HAWAII			36	1,149	34	543	44	690
IDAHO							33	1,198
ILLINOIS			147	3,234	197	5,910	311	4,665
INDIANA					161	4,218	276	4,888
IOWA					56	1,680	112	1,120
KANSAS					28	560	128	1,920
KENTUCKY			32	650	52	1,090	154	1,060
LOUISIANA			8	180	31	312	130	648
MAINE			110	2,750	29	435	59	708
MARYLAND			127	4,584	21	510	127	1,476
MASSACHUSETTS	53	1,068	285	11,775	93	2,065	276	4,054
MICHIGAN	90	1,710			235	8,225	439	9,658
MINNESOTA	68	800	52	3,204	127	3,201	179	3,788
MISSISSIPPI							82	1,230
MISSOURI			62	2,604	60	1,733	177	3,072
MONTANA					13	260	26	260
NEBRASKA					30	511	42	560
NEVADA	3	50	11	235	16	250	26	314
NEW HAMPSHIRE	30	572	74	2,520			33	353
NEW JERSEY	23	460	337	20,220	111	4,440	86	1,729
NEW MEXICO					19	475	46	506
NEW YORK			576	20,240	273	6,710	505	8,100
NORTH CAROLINA			47	1,275	29	335	237	3,154
NORTH DAKOTA					10	276	20	327
OHIO			154	5,236	164	3,608	453	7,330
OKLAHOMA					52	520	115	1,150
OREGON			85	1,700	75	1,500	95	760
PENNSYLVANIA			247	4,932	230	5,060	328	4,914
RHODE ISLAND			37	925	14	263	36	550
SOUTH CAROLINA			50	850	6	200	160	1,700
SOUTH DAKOTA						16	233	
TENNESSEE							196	3,528
TEXAS					216	7,380	1,109	41,892
UTAH					56	648	78	878
VERMONT	11	221	40	1,029			19	232
VIRGINIA			70	1,670	35	710	200	2,000
WASHINGTON			92	2,950	85	2,274	217	4,079
WEST VIRGINIA			3	61	3	72	75	912
WISCONSIN					98	2,467	158	3,245
WYOMING	8	240			25	780	10	100

STATE	Football-8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			230	1,000				
ALASKA							16	370
ARIZONA	18	324	78	762	17	273		
ARKANSAS			101	255				
CALIFORNIA	51	1,280	555	6,963	80	1,578		
COLORADO	19	532	92	1,100	39	1,000	15	300
CONNECTICUT			143	1,673	14	236	49	1,153
DELAWARE			22	256	1	9		
D.C.			5	50	5	100		
FLORIDA			242	2,052	12	101		
GEORGIA			170	3,500	13	500		
HAWAII			36	339	4	37		
IDAHO	14	372	44	681				
ILLINOIS			378	3,780	75	1,500		
INDIANA			345	4,489	32	637		
IOWA			369	7,380				
KANSAS			190	2,850	21	420		
KENTUCKY			187	1,320	15	300		
LOUISIANA			92	467	11	66		
MAINE			70	350	12	192	16	336
MARYLAND			104	861	44	653		
MASSACHUSETTS			298	3,649	67	921	245	8,779
MICHIGAN			483	8,694	24	552	102	2,244
MINNESOTA			306	5,204	40	762	149	5,051
MISSISSIPPI			52	127				
MISSOURI	6	224	207	2,804	14	216		
MONTANA	60	1,500	59	1,100	30	450		
NEBRASKA	101	2,323	151	1,817	22	321		
NEVADA	8	175	29	450				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			30	350			20	604
NEW JERSEY			303	3,030	48	2,880	35	875
NEW MEXICO			44	528	15	300		
NEW YORK	28	588	482	6,015	67	1,495	84	1,850
NORTH CAROLINA			225	2,365				
NORTH DAKOTA			75	905			15	539
OHIO			643	7,073	44	530	44	1,213
OKLAHOMA	37	814	130	1,170				
OREGON	36	540	125	1,000	36	720		
PENNSYLVANIA			453	6,795	54	1,080		
RHODE ISLAND			35	315			30	890
SOUTH CAROLINA			175	1,300				
SOUTH DAKOTA			47	469				
TENNESSEE			211	2,321				
TEXAS			723	10,360				
UTAH			70	628				
VERMONT			20	170	6	95	17	415
VIRGINIA			190	1,600	55	540		
WASHINGTON	20	441	179	2,344	27	552		
WEST VIRGINIA			86	1,032	3	74		
WISCONSIN			309	3,925	34	616	28	555
WYOMING								

STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	90	2,600	315	3,000	82	675
ALASKA			46	900	50	1,000
ARIZONA			141	5,114	121	3,827
ARKANSAS			302	4,530		
CALIFORNIA			866	47,306	645	21,390
COLORADO			246	9,840	193	7,350
CONNECTICUT	49	1,715	154	6,589	82	2,565
DELAWARE	20	355	31	1,288	30	1,169
D.C.	10	300	15	450	5	150
FLORIDA			319	10,089	209	6,077
GEORGIA			360	12,000	225	7,000
HAWAII			49	1,964	36	1,193
ILLINOIS			123	3,808	82	3,040
INDIANA			625	26,875	427	11,529
IOWA			383	13,955	317	10,534
KANSAS			488	24,400	319	12,760
KENTUCKY			381	19,050	167	5,010
LOUISIANA			215	4,953	65	1,085
MAINE	32	408	351	7,723	43	430
MARYLAND	95	3,215	108	2,268	43	645
MASSACHUSETTS	253	10,569	130	5,905	126	3,931
MICHIGAN			240	11,236	116	2,852
MINNESOTA			657	28,908	461	18,440
MISSISSIPPI			455	16,465	356	12,290
MISSOURI	103	2,200	247	5,000		
MONTANA			434	16,393	175	6,419
NEBRASKA			182	7,500	88	2,000
NEVADA			359	8,452	201	4,957
NEW HAMPSHIRE	20	404	54	2,100	30	1,000
NEW JERSEY	194	9,700	50	2,202	18	450
NEW MEXICO			369	22,140	358	14,320
NEW YORK	222	7,110	120	3,360	44	1,056
NORTH CAROLINA	28	483	574	21,995	548	17,490
NORTH DAKOTA			290	10,849	208	5,672
OHIO			118	2,908	36	1,175
OKLAHOMA			761	29,803	580	20,507
OREGON			330	3,960	123	2,460
PENNSYLVANIA			230	11,500	168	8,400
RHODE ISLAND	20	830	440	13,194	528	21,138
SOUTH CAROLINA	10	250	42	1,375	24	951
SOUTH DAKOTA			210	9,250	120	1,800
TENNESSEE			207	5,140	101	1,774
TEXAS			208	7,072	105	2,940
UTAH			1,103	66,180		
VERMONT	3	55	89	2,724	83	2,470
VIRGINIA	155	3,600	35	655	10	244
WASHINGTON			278	9,950	181	6,850
WEST VIRGINIA			300	10,106	240	8,800
WISCONSIN			128	5,134	90	1,845
WYOMING			392	13,159	371	10,444
			73	1,850	53	1,600

STATE	Schools	Particip.	Sport
ALABAMA	38	680	Decathlon
ALASKA	24	240	Skiing - Cross Country
	12	200	Rifflery
ARIZONA	11	134	Rifflery
ARKANSAS	25	47	Decathlon
CALIFORNIA	9	182	Crew
	19	154	Fencing
	118	2,688	Volleyball
	308	9,061	Water Polo
	56	6,736	Badminton*
COLORADO	30	30	Pentathlon
DELAWARE	1	32	Crew
	1	25	Lacrosse
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	15	300	Softball - Slow Pitch
FLORIDA	36	148	Decathlon
	27	456	Water Polo
	64	1,290	Weightlifting
GEORGIA	95	1,800	Softball - Slow Pitch
	60	1,100	Volleyball
	25	185	Rifflery
HAWAII	31	442	Bowling
	3	177	Canoeing
	15	294	Judo
	32	559	Volleyball
	6	130	Water Polo
	11	183	Rifflery
IOWA	158	790	Bowling
KENTUCKY	7	60	Fencing
	12	170	Rifflery
MAINE	42	756	Skiing - Cross Country
MARYLAND	53	2,482	Lacrosse
	26	520	Volleyball
MASSACHUSETTS	9	329	Crew
	9	165	Fencing
	9	231	Field Hockey
	36	1,638	Lacrosse
	9	303	Softball - Fast Pitch
	13	182	Volleyball
	13	151	Rifflery
MINNESOTA	101	2,502	Football - 9 Man
	68	776	Skiing - Cross Country
MISSOURI	32	508	Softball - Fast Pitch
	14	380	Water Polo
NEW HAMPSHIRE	1	25	Lacrosse
	30	572	Skiing - Cross Country
NEW JERSEY	35	700	Fencing
	35	875	Lacrosse
	7	140	Volleyball
NEW YORK	31	380	Archery
	17	170	Badminton
	366	3,830	Bowling
	14	320	Fencing
	54	890	Rifflery
NEW YORK	168	6,770	Lacrosse
	69	1,410	Skiing - Cross Country
	115	1,955	Volleyball
NORTH DAKOTA	3	56	Curling
	42	1,255	Football - 9 Man
	10	276	Softball - Slow Pitch
OKLAHOMA	198	1,980	Volleyball
PENNSYLVANIA	124	2,480	Volleyball
SOUTH CAROLINA	15	225	Bowling
SOUTH DAKOTA	111	2,215	Football - 9 Man
TENNESSEE	45	57	Decathlon
TEXAS	60	1,800	Football - 6 Man
VERMONT	2	50	Lacrosse
	10	158	Skiing - Cross Country
	3	30	Rifflery
VIRGINIA	6	150	Lacrosse
WISCONSIN	40	1,208	Volleyball
WYOMING	8	240	Skiing - Cross Country

* Co-educational

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	300	9,000	45	265			95	260
ALASKA	69	1,400	35	460				
ARIZONA	140	2,645	68	147			19	171
ARKANSAS	390	5,070					25	75
CALIFORNIA	947	21,403	573	6,736	126	3,368	22	153
COLORADO	251	8,785	93	1,400				
CONNECTICUT	178	3,895	63	1,024	89	2,877		
DELAWARE	35	816	3	19	28	998		
D.C.	15	347	15	300				
FLORIDA	325	6,607	204	1,975			98	428
GEORGIA	375	16,000	125	2,500				
HAWAII	52	859	41	543			13	41
IDAHO	121	3,459	40	363				
ILLINOIS	644	19,320	200	3,000	34	680	128	1,280
INDIANA	393	9,589	28	302			117	1,188
IOWA								
KANSAS	376	11,280	88	1,320			63	945
KENTUCKY	293	5,975	87	1,035			121	954
LOUISIANA	365	9,125	44	816			17	47
MAINE	139	3,892	112	1,120	104	2,288	11	55
MARYLAND	146	3,717	96	1,130	100	2,893	24	41
MASSACHUSETTS	334	11,214	280	2,692	263	9,438	62	134
MICHIGAN	696	20,184	221	3,315			171	1,881
MINNESOTA	494	16,994	216	1,747			185	1,873
MISSISSIPPI	277	5,186					32	81
MISSOURI	516	14,352	64	533	38	3,109	74	744
MONTANA	181	8,600	51	800			59	1,100
NEBRASKA	354	7,111	13	110			50	535
NEVADA	50	1,240	28	204			22	250
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,490	40	407	61	1,303	5	35
NEW JERSEY	412	12,360	190	2,850	227	9,080	42	420
NEW MEXICO	121	3,146	28	560			23	115
NEW YORK	701	15,725	188	2,500	487	10,265	23	260
NORTH CAROLINA	341	6,759					11	82
NORTH DAKOTA	142	3,891	9	277			25	193
OHIO	802	15,584	235	2,448	45	816	36	341
OKLAHOMA	493	14,790	55	475			30	180
OREGON	245	5,880	170	2,550			96	480
PENNSYLVANIA	555	16,650	226	4,518	234	9,360	133	1,330
RHODE ISLAND	45	956	25	487	17	443		
SOUTH CAROLINA	223	8,000	10	120	2	50	6	45
SOUTH DAKOTA	205	5,928	108	917			49	481
TENNESSEE	358	10,024	150	1,050			87	174
TEXAS	1,022	66,430	405	1,900			475	6,223
UTAH	89	1,436						
VERMONT	28	919	27	233	39	1,026	2	12
VIRGINIA	284	5,700			65	1,685		
WASHINGTON	329	8,766	203	2,264			118	646
WEST VIRGINIA	167	3,674					3	23
WISCONSIN	415	11,042	220	1,509			90	591
WYOMING	74	1,480	12	84			8	66

Co-educational

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	53	285						
ALASKA	16	220						
ARIZONA	36	607						
ARKANSAS	60	360					97	2,540
CALIFORNIA	354	8,229	17	311	110	2,882	872	21,640
COLORADO	108	2,700	12	360	38	950		
CONNECTICUT	61	1,192					166	3,870
DELAWARE	3	37					24	530
D.C.	10	200						
FLORIDA	41	508			8	176		
GEORGIA	75	2,300						
HAWAII	3	29			15	334	42	900
IDAHO	28	413						
ILLINOIS	121	3,025					417	10,420
INDIANA	152	3,103					20	450
IOWA								
KANSAS	32	640					22	440
KENTUCKY	18	435						
LOUISIANA	20	140					190	3,800
MAINE	48	864	33	594			133	2,660
MARYLAND	70	1,076			4	80	132	3,070
MASSACHUSETTS	151	2,594	49	650	120	2,550	329	10,350
MICHIGAN	134	3,484	82	1,640			575	14,375
MINNESOTA	181	4,686	73	730			182	5,110
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	48	996			29	682	257	4,654
MONTANA	30	350						
NEBRASKA	25	333						
NEVADA			3	20			24	600
NEW HAMPSHIRE	10	111	30	404	18	324	82	2,132
NEW JERSEY	124	3,720			49	1,470	360	10,800
NEW MEXICO	17	340					28	504
NEW YORK	222	4,560			271	8,750	614	14,500
NORTH CAROLINA	7	73						
NORTH DAKOTA								
OHIO	192	2,764			36	605	467	4,207
OKLAHOMA							182	3,270
OREGON	70	1,400			62	1,240	80	1,440
PENNSYLVANIA	159	3,180			22	440	504	10,080
RHODE ISLAND	36	532					35	735
SOUTH CAROLINA	15	350					135	3,000
SOUTH DAKOTA	41	615						
TENNESSEE							108	2,502
TEXAS	400	12,324						
UTAH	75	1,179						
VERMONT	11	172	9	172	5	97	21	954
VIRGINIA	120	1,800			40	1,150	180	3,570
WASHINGTON	106	2,311			66	1,745		
WEST VIRGINIA							23	460
WISCONSIN	165	3,346					187	4,910
WYOMING	12	190	8	160				

STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			45	365	165	380	75	600
ALASKA			20	260	6	80		
ARIZONA			45	1,016	99	1,883		
KANSAS			23	95	205	1,025		
ALIFORNIA			478	13,732	757	14,625		
OLORADO			77	2,310	95	1,710		
CONNECTICUT			59	2,029	108	2,192		
ELAWARE			8	214	21	336		
D.C.	15	225	10	150	14	70	10	300
FLORIDA	339	6,340	193	3,006	274	2,310		
GEORGIA	105	2,000	105	3,200	175	2,200		
HAWAII			38	608	47	750		
IDAHO					*	*		
ILINOIS			218	4,360	301	3,010		
INDIANA	20	454	144	3,490	249	4,217		
OWA								
KANSAS			24	480	125	1,875		
KENTUCKY			47	847	146	1,035		
LOUISIANA			30	305	120	485		
MAINE			33	495	46	552	26	494
MARYLAND			21	510	98	902	80	1,639
MASSACHUSETTS			89	2,256	376	3,474	205	5,741
ICHIGAN			222	6,660	380	8,360		
MINNESOTA			128	3,438	187	3,796		
ISSISSIPPI					82	1,200		
ISSOURI			54	586	153	2,517	48	500
ONTANA			13	260	26	260		
EBRASKA			28	565	42	725		
EVADA			16	240	23	290		
EW HAMPSHIRE					33	302	10	200
EW JERSEY			86	1,720	266	3,990	91	3,640
EW MEXICO			18	342	39	390		
EW YORK			202	5,075	351	5,790	106	2,320
ORTH CAROLINA	311	6,376	30	297	187	2,386	2	41
ORTH DAKOTA	11	208	11	331	19	385		
OHIO			137	2,725	338	4,780		
OKLAHOMA			40	400	120	1,320		
OREGON			74	1,480	94	658		
PENNSYLVANIA			230	5,060	324	4,860		
HOE ISLAND					23	403		
ORTH CAROLINA			10	250	110	1,500	5	100
ORTH DAKOTA					16	221		
ENNESSEE					193	3,474		
EXAS			210	6,250	1,109	40,742		
UTAH			56	578	79	729		
VERMONT					15	161	2	24
IRGINIA			28	210	180	2,330	50	624
ASHINGTON	158	3,706	86	2,046	222	4,053		
EST VIRGINIA					72	864		
ISCONSIN			107	2,492	159	3,120		
WYOMING			23	700	8	56		

Co-educational

STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	200	1,500	225	5,000
ALASKA	40	650	36	650
ARIZONA	134	3,357	151	3,522
ARKANSAS	285	5,130	105	945
CALIFORNIA	804	21,055	895	21,899
COLORADO	241	9,640	245	6,125
CONNECTICUT	113	4,992	91	1,899
DELAWARE	23	725	21	483
D.C.	15	450	15	325
FLORIDA	295	6,017	27	365
GEORGIA	325	9,500	75	1,875
HAWAII	50	1,312	53	957
IDAHO	122	3,071	111	3,083
ILLINOIS	653	21,549	730	21,900
INDIANA	380	11,190	394	9,989
IOWA				
KANSAS	380	19,000	338	10,140
KENTUCKY	201	4,650		
LOUISIANA	215	2,580	145	1,740
MAINE	101	1,717		
MARYLAND	119	3,767	131	2,862
MASSACHUSETTS	214	8,415	120	3,008
MICHIGAN	633	26,586	576	14,400
MINNESOTA	464	15,533	484	16,227
MISSISSIPPI	232	3,480		
MISSOURI	405	12,305	336	8,888
MONTANA	182	7,500		
NEBRASKA	362	6,426	366	9,875
NEVADA	53	1,200	51	1,100
NEW HAMPSHIRE	40	1,203	18	200
NEW JERSEY	278	13,900	80	1,600
NEW MEXICO	119	3,332	114	3,420
NEW YORK	448	13,440	663	14,490
NORTH CAROLINA	210	5,574	202	3,517
NORTH DAKOTA	124	2,697		
OHIO	721	19,449	748	11,968
OKLAHOMA	315	3,780	210	2,520
OREGON	230	5,750	225	3,375
PENNSYLVANIA	345	10,296	379	7,578
RHODE ISLAND	24	951	35	684
SOUTH CAROLINA	175	4,500	142	1,250
SOUTH DAKOTA	207	4,916	44	660
TENNESSEE	196	6,076	149	2831
TEXAS	1,019	69,960	766	36,768
UTAH	89	1,787	87	1,392
VERMONT	33	585		
VIRGINIA	262	7,850	84	1,312
WASHINGTON	301	7,871	309	7,849
WEST VIRGINIA	108	3,789	57	803
WISCONSIN	394	11,580	419	11,142
WYOMING	73	1,460	73	1,200

STATE	Schools	Particip.	Sport
ALABAMA			Drill Team
ALASKA	12	200	Rifery
	10	100	Skiing - Cross Country
	24	180	Archery
ARIZONA	17	212	Badminton
	35	599	Drill Team
ARKANSAS	71	1,420	Badminton
CALIFORNIA	275	6,067	Fencing
	8	30	Pentathlon
COLORADO	30	30	Badminton
CONNECTICUT	16	238	Lacrosse
DELAWARE	7	235	Crew
	1	23	
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			
FLORIDA	21	87	Pentathlon
	27	365	Water Polo
GEORGIA			
HAWAII	29	342	Bowling
	2	10	Canoeing
	1	2	Judo
	9	86	Rifery
IDAHO	74	2,116	Drill Team
ILLINOIS	25	250	Archery
	90	1,080	Badminton
	130	1,560	Bowling
INDIANA			
IOWA			
KANSAS			
KENTUCKY	4	50	Fencing
	12	68	Rifery
LOUISIANA			
MAINE	33	594	Skiing - Cross Country
MARYLAND	13	312	Badminton
	15	575	Drill Team
	26	1,050	Lacrosse
MASSACHUSETTS	4	53	Badminton
	4	22	Fencing
	22	708	Lacrosse
	4	389	Crew
	9	89	Ice Hockey
	9	18	Rifery
MICHIGAN			
MINNESOTA	73	700	Skiing - Cross Country
MISSISSIPPI			
MISSOURI			
MONTANA			
NEBRASKA			
NEVADA			
NEW HAMPSHIRE	30	404	Skiing - Cross Country
NEW JERSEY	118	1,180	Bowling
	24	240	Fencing
	20	500	Lacrosse
NEW MEXICO	45	810	Drill Team

STATE	Schools	Particip.	Sport
NEW YORK	35	465	Archery
	75	1,190	Badminton
	146	1,845	Bowling
	7	130	Fencing
	16	715	Lacrosse
	3	45	Riflery
	33	515	Skiing - Cross Country
NORTH CAROLINA			
NORTH DAKOTA			
OHIO			
OKLAHOMA			
OREGON			
PENNSYLVANIA	62	2,496	Lacrosse
RHODE ISLAND			
SOUTH CAROLINA	15	200	Bowling
SOUTH DAKOTA			
TENNESSEE	22	29	Pentathlon
TEXAS	360	40,000	Drill Team
UTAH			
VERMONT	1	2	Riflery
	3	49	Baseball
VIRGINIA			
WASHINGTON			
WEST VIRGINIA			
WISCONSIN			
WYOMING	8	160	Skiing - Cross Country

NOTE: Due to a more sophisticated information gathering system, the figures noted on the 1979 National Federation Sports Participation Survey are generally lower than surveys of the last four years. The main factors resulting in this decrease include the listing of United States schools only and the listing of senior high school participation only. Previous survey figures included some Canadian high school participation and some U.S. junior high school participation.

It can be safely assumed though, that any increase in a particular sport is a real increase. Unfortunately, the percentage of increase cannot be reliably measured.

In short, no true comparisons can be made to any previous survey with regard to growth and/or decline of a particular sport or overall participation.

1980 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Compiled By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1979-80 School Year
(See Note on Page 94.)

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	40	464	89	1,345
BADMINTON	75	6,952	489	10,252
BASEBALL	13,371	415,860	1	42
BASKETBALL	17,175	569,228	16,040	409,894
BOWLING	791	7,168	512	5,995
CANOEING	9	233	3	44
CREW	25	511	6	163
CROSS COUNTRY	9,654	163,094	6,095	82,124
CURLING	4	77		
DECATHLON	145	936	1	4
DRILL TEAMS	5	167	255	8,902
ESKIMO GAMES	14	280	14	170
FENCING	75	1,050	33	564
FIELD HOCKEY	37	1,050	1,726	52,879
FOOTBALL—11-person	13,660	937,677	2	85
9-man	292	7,613		
8-man	470	11,367		
6-man	58	1,102		
GOLF	9,825	117,273	3,237	32,903
GYMNASTICS	1,097	19,844	3,394	62,142
ICE HOCKEY	838	24,442	1	22
JUDO	13	234		
LACROSSE	268	8,444	150	6,031
PENTATHLON	30	30	73	146
RIFLERY	190	2,135	59	295
SKIING (Downhill)	298	5,011	296	3,926
(Combined)	117	2,298	128	2,800
(Cross Country)	166	1,935	167	1,553
SOCCER	3,879	133,649	1,052	26,716
SOFT TENNIS	9	91	10	99
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	39	728	6,590	159,329
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	27	516	1,199	25,372
SWIMMING & DIVING	3,828	84,204	3,197	68,585
TABLE TENNIS	80	446		
TENNIS	9,192	131,290	8,443	124,171
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,193	33,134	742	15,184
TRACK & FIELD (Outdoor)	14,853	524,890	13,319	382,584
VOLLEYBALL	759	12,659	10,464	265,120
WATER POLO	363	10,168	28	390
WEIGHT LIFTING	147	6,253	21	385
WRESTLING	8,751	273,326	3	48

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football-11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	350	7,325	420	9,695	55	665	390	28,025
ALASKA			110	2,100	70	850	15	1,010
ARIZONA	146	6,153	152	6,803	108	2,185	134	12,854
ARKANSAS	166	2,490	397	7,146	88	616	203	7,511
CALIFORNIA	940	35,110	970	35,242	754	19,837	847	84,416
COLORADO	88	5,828	256	10,240	124	2,480	195	11,700
CONNECTICUT	183	6,778	183	5,517	170	3,024	130	9,643
DELAWARE	37	1,224	38	1,222	31	513	34	2,348
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	14	350	15	375	15	300	15	1,100
FLORIDA	376	9,354	344	12,235	252	3,325	341	27,945
GEORGIA	335	8,381	369	11,008	187	2,202	333	26,511
HAWAII	82	1,495	103	1,520	67	622	82	3,495
IDAHO	50	1,285	125	3,725	44	536	104	5,893
ILLINOIS	564	22,560	799	38,352	424	6,784	601	49,972
INDIANA	423	12,750	457	15,000	426	6,450	385	24,150
IOWA	487	9,740	496	14,880	235	4,700	435	21,750
KANSAS	60	1,500	377	11,310	212	4,452	319	15,950
KENTUCKY	265	5,300	301	7,525	138	1,380	204	10,200
LOUISIANA	290	7,250	430	12,040	98	1,176	278	12,438
MAINE	134	2,680	141	3,948	122	1,220	62	3,100
MARYLAND	148	4,570	148	4,329	119	2,295	138	11,216
MASSACHUSETTS	321	13,214	327	13,279	279	5,353	268	21,004
MICHIGAN	641	25,640	702	21,060	533	10,660	641	44,870
MINNESOTA	411	10,862	510	13,754	262	3,790	402	21,793
MISSISSIPPI	216	4,500	290	4,380			269	12,105
MISSOURI	371	9,918	551	18,822	216	4,192	324	23,342
MONTANA			180	8,550	61	950	84	5,600
NEBRASKA	31	955	366	9,181	124	1,319	272	12,099
NEVADA	40	1,200	55	2,824	32	385	50	3,000
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,500	83	2,600	50	1,200	33	1,800
NEW JERSEY	381	17,438	388	14,892	363	7,038	342	38,091
NEW MEXICO	78	2,194	123	3,825	57	1,049	88	5,516
NEW YORK	752	22,560	768	22,056	571	3,286	579	32,596
NORTH CAROLINA	337	8,930	343	10,800	144	2,368	324	22,839
NORTH DAKOTA	35	542	254	5,700	40	465	79	3,611
OHIO	762	21,419	800	27,991	645	6,897	730	47,385
OKLAHOMA	379	9,475	493	15,747	91	1,092	324	11,664
OREGON	200	9,000	250	9,000	190	2,850	190	12,360
PENNSYLVANIA	643	14,137	649	19,476	418	8,352	571	45,648
RHODE ISLAND	44	1,216	40	805	37	750	40	1,860
SOUTH CAROLINA	222	7,500	223	9,200	128	2,800	213	13,100
SOUTH DAKOTA			207	5,871	112	1,083	76	4,404
TENNESSEE	323	7,752	360	10,080	152	1,064	305	19,978
TEXAS	736	37,918	1,138	55,241	514	17,172	954	77,037
UTAH	87	2,096	96	2,759	73	1,148	77	6,342
VERMONT	58	1,761	60	1,871	40	486	20	1,420
VIRGINIA	275	8,250	286	11,440	179	2,685	275	22,000
WASHINGTON	292	9,308	337	11,400	220	4,232	269	18,082
WEST VIRGINIA	140	3,275	167	4,846	64	803	148	8,477
WISCONSIN	375	10,177	423	15,166	294	3,763	405	26,137
WYOMING			75	2,400	26	250	63	2,300

STATE

ALABAMA
ALASKA
ARIZONA
ARKANSAS
CALIFORNIA
COLORADO
CONNECTICUT
DELAWARE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
FLORIDA
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HAWAII
IDAHO
ILLINOIS
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IOWA
KANSAS
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MASSACHUSETTS
MICHIGAN
MINNESOTA
MISSISSIPPI
MISSOURI
MONTANA
NEBRASKA
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NEW HAMPSHIRE
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WEST VIRGINIA
WISCONSIN
WYOMING

*Coeducational

STATE	Football-8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			230	1,000				
ALASKA							15	480
ARIZONA	18	355	80	815	19	292		
ARKANSAS			101	255				
CALIFORNIA	51	1,280	555	6,963	80	1,578		
COLORADO	28	784	93	1,116	43	1,075	14	210
CONNECTICUT			155	1,705			49	1,241
DELAWARE			22	214	2	21	1	18
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			5	50	5	100		
FLORIDA			242	2,052	12	101		
GEORGIA			236	1,901	18	203		
HAWAII			40	301	5	39		
IDAHO	14	347	50	* 578				
ILLINOIS			395	4,740	75	1,500		
INDIANA			366	4,300	28	550		
IOWA			364	7,280				
KANSAS	57	1,140	190	2,850	21	420		
KENTUCKY			187	1,320	15	300		
LOUISIANA			84	504	4	24		
MAINE			70	350	4	64	15	315
MARYLAND			103	780	40	476		
MASSACHUSETTS			227	2,899	51	946	229	8,290
MICHIGAN			494	3,458	23	230	104	2,080
MINNESOTA			309	4,029	34	665	149	5,075
MISSISSIPPI			52	127				
MISSOURI	5	115	192	2,588	13	171		
MONTANA	57	1,425	59	1,100	22	330		
NEBRASKA	100	3,239	157	1,914	23	271		
NEVADA	8	160	30	480				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			30	350	5	50	22	660
NEW JERSEY			275	3,176	40	728	25	878
NEW MEXICO			44	505	15	116		
NEW YORK	31	618	519	6,207	271	5,980	84	1,452
NORTH CAROLINA			227	2,473				
NORTH DAKOTA			71	759			14	518
OHIO			644	7,084	43	495	41	1,183
OKLAHOMA	40	880	128	1,152				
OREGON	38	570	130	1,040	35	525		
PENNSYLVANIA			453	6,795	54	1,080		
RHODE ISLAND			37	323			30	950
SOUTH CAROLINA			175	1,450	1	25		
SOUTH DAKOTA			52	537				
TENNESSEE			211	2,321				
TEXAS			865	17,280				
UTAH			58	675	6	40		
VERMONT			28	308	8	107	18	537
VIRGINIA			192	1,920	19	190		
WASHINGTON	23	454	185	2,299	20	428		
WEST VIRGINIA			81	825	3	58		
WISCONSIN			309	3,925	34	616	28	555
WYOMING			23	200	6	50		

*Coeducational

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		STATE
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	
ALABAMA					45	375	255	715	ALABA
ALASKA					21	400	6	130	ALASK
ARIZONA					40	822	96	1,682	ARIZON
ARKANSAS					23	90	217	868	ARKAN
CALIFORNIA	19	471	586	20,763	530	14,536	760	15,634	CALIFC
COLORADO	10	120	45	1,125	83	2,490	88	1,584	COLOR
CONNECTICUT			159	6,919	87	2,165	152	2,095	CONNE
DELAWARE	2	23	26	1,243	12	269	24	346	DELAWE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			10	220	10	300	14	140	DISTRI
FLORIDA			145	4,780	194	2,970	280	2,500	FLORID
GEORGIA			131	4,474	57	619	333	3,022	GEORG
HAWAII			45	886	48	334	53	505	HAWAII
IDAHO							41	1,061*	IDAHO
ILLINOIS			169	6,760	199	5,970	311	4,665	ILLINO
INDIANA					165	3,950	292	4,500	INDIAN
IOWA					55	1,650	119	1,190	IOWA
KANSAS					31	775	129	1,935	KANSA
KENTUCKY			32	650	52	1,090	154	1,060	KENTU
LOUISIANA			8	180	27	275	138	828	LOUISI
MAINE	38	684	103	2,575	29	435	64	768	MAINE
MARYLAND			135	4,888	36	625	130	1,716	MARYL
MASSACHUSETTS	45	923	245	10,784	98	2,246	245	3,368	MASSA
MICHIGAN	89	979	71	1,278	234	4,914	391	8,602	MICHII
MINNESOTA	54	934	52	3,829	126	2,771	181	3,261	MINNE
MISSISSIPPI							82	1,230	MISSIS
MISSOURI			61	2,439	65	1,762	190	3,257	MISSO
MONTANA					13	260	28	280	MONTA
NEBRASKA					32	552	42	633	NEBRA
NEVADA	8	120			16	250	26	496	NEVAD
NEW HAMPSHIRE			62	2,000			35	350	NEW H
NEW JERSEY	19	414	315	17,483	105	2,247	301	4,639	NEW J
NEW MEXICO					19	289	46	503	NEW M
NEW YORK			569	16,639	257	5,871	506	6,721	NEW Y
NORTH CAROLINA			62	1,716	33	418	243	3,124	NORTH
NORTH DAKOTA					10	226	21	279	NORTH
OHIO			154	5,260	175	3,850	469	7,588	OHIO
OKLAHOMA					51	510	108	1,080	OKLAH
OREGON			85	1,700	75	1,500	95	760	OREGO
PENNSYLVANIA			247	4,932	230	5,060	328	4,914	PENNS
RHODE ISLAND			39	1,032	15	280	35	535	RHODE
SOUTH CAROLINA			60	1,250	8	220	160	1,750	SOUTH
SOUTH DAKOTA							18	267	SOUTH
TENNESSEE							196	3,528	TENNE
TEXAS					229	4,122	1,042	15,958	TEXAS
UTAH			29	809	40	777	70	827	UTAH
VERMONT	6	243	52	1,792	1	13	14	195	VERMO
VIRGINIA			75	1,875	39	780	216	2,160	VIRGIN
WASHINGTON			102	3,249	87	2,247	206	3,950	WASH
WEST VIRGINIA			5	119	3	32	72	726	WEST
WISCONSIN					98	2,467	158	3,245	WISCC
WYOMING	8	100			25	400	12	120	WYOM

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STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	90	2,600	315	3,000			82	675
ALASKA			40	1,100			65	1,390
ARIZONA			143	5,778			106	5,216
ARKANSAS			302	4,530				
CALIFORNIA			866	47,306	118	2,688	645	21,390
COLORADO			246	9,840			198	7,524
CONNECTICUT	73	2,525	168	6,695			81	2,443
DELAWARE	7	212	31	1,346			34	1,227
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	10	300	15	450			5	150
FLORIDA			319	10,089			209	6,077
GEORGIA			329	9,093	23	559	163	4,651
HAWAII			87	1,926	44	520	56	1,042
IDAHO			123	2,872			82	2,202
ILLINOIS			689	30,316			423	10,152
INDIANA			447	15,300			362	11,050
IOWA			485	19,400			320	12,800
KANSAS			377	18,850			165	4,950
KENTUCKY			215	4,953			65	1,085
LOUISIANA			352	7,735			43	516
MAINE	34	434	110	2,310			45	675
MARYLAND	82	2,125	134	4,822	9	180	126	3,892
MASSACHUSETTS	179	7,166	215	9,689		58	171	3,293
MICHIGAN			660	29,040			455	18,200
MINNESOTA			462	12,414			359	9,078
MISSISSIPPI			247	5,000				
MISSOURI			409	15,711	5	109	173	6,168
MONTANA			180	7,500			85	2,125
NEBRASKA			267	8,278			201	4,554
NEVADA			53	2,160			33	1,200
NEW HAMPSHIRE	20	400	45	2,000			15	450
NEW JERSEY	180	5,956	343	16,905			321	14,132
NEW MEXICO			120	4,087			44	1,419
NEW YORK	278	6,067	637	19,888	201	2,814	551	18,180
NORTH CAROLINA	65	607	288	10,622			212	6,205
NORTH DAKOTA			203	3,035			66	1,497
OHIO			762	29,803			584	20,647
OKLAHOMA			330	7,256	190	1,900	125	2,500
OREGON			231	11,550			170	4,250
PENNSYLVANIA			440	13,194	124	2,480	528	21,138
RHODE ISLAND	20	890	42	1,420			30	975
SOUTH CAROLINA	8	220	210	8,500			135	2,100
SOUTH DAKOTA			207	5,019			102	2,624
TENNESSEE			208	7,072			105	2,940
TEXAS			1,122	45,141				
UTAH			89	3,003	4	85	79	2,858
VERMONT	6	107	24	831	1	58	20	449
VIRGINIA	141	3,525	273	9,555			183	4,575
WASHINGTON			309	9,833			220	8,510
WEST VIRGINIA			119	3,514			85	2,208
WISCONSIN			392	13,159	40	1,208	371	10,444
WYOMING			73	2,000			53	1,500

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants	SPORT
ARCHERY	New York	39	431	
	Vermont	1	33	
BADMINTON	California	56	* 6,736	
	Massachusetts	1	14	
BOWLING	New York	17	170	SKIING
	Vermont	1	32	SKIING
	Delaware	1	30	
	Georgia	3	31	
	Hawaii	43	371	
	Iowa	160	800	
	Massachusetts	10	89	
	Michigan	5	50	SOFT 1
	New Jersey	182	2,289	SOFTB
	New York	366	3,215	
	South Carolina	15	235	
	Vermont	1	20	SOFTB
	West Virginia	5	38	
	Hawaii	9	233	
CANOEING CREW	California	9	182	TABLE
	Delaware	1	46	WATER
	Massachusetts	4	101	
	Michigan	3	42	
	New York	6	94	
	West Virginia	2	46	
	North Dakota	4	77	
	Alabama	38	680	
	Arkansas	25	47	WEIGH-
	Florida	36	148	
CURLING DECATHLON	Tennessee	45	57	
	Vermont	1	4	
	Utah	5	167	
	Alaska	14	280	
	California	19	154	
	Kentucky	7	60	
	Massachusetts	3	67	
	New Jersey	21	506	
	New York	25	263	
	Delaware	1	45	
FIELD HOCKEY	Massachusetts	0	7	
	Missouri	36	998	
	Minnesota	106	3,180	
	North Dakota	77	1,780	
	South Dakota	109	2,653	
	Texas	58	1,102	
	Hawaii	13	234	
	Delaware	2	52	
	Maryland	55	2,401	
	Massachusetts	32	1,551	
JUDO	Michigan	2	40	
	New Hampshire	1	25	
	New Jersey	27	1,385	
	New York	145	2,890	
	Virginia	4	100	
	Colorado	30	30	
	Alaska	12	180	
	Georgia	53	509	
	Hawaii	12	134	

* Coeducational

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
	Kentucky	12	70
	Massachusetts	12	168
	New York	87	1,053
	Vermont	2	21
SKIING (Combined)	New Hampshire	32	550
	New York	85	1,748
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	30	475
	Maine	41	246
	Minnesota	68	844
	Vermont	19	270
	Wyoming	8	100
SOFT TENNIS	Hawaii	9	91
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Massachusetts		5
	Missouri	38	687
	West Virginia	1	36
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	District of Columbia	15	300
	Georgia	6	138
	North Dakota	6	78
TABLE TENNIS	New York	80	446
WATER POLO	California	308	9,061
	Florida	27	456
	Hawaii	9	71
	Michigan	4	80
	Missouri	14	381
	Utah	1	19
WEIGHT LIFTING	Delaware	2	60
	Florida	64	1,290
	Georgia	81	4,903

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	300	9,000	45	265			95	260
ALASKA	104	1,710	65	600				
ARIZONA	149	4,501	79	158			22	190
ARKANSAS	390	5,070					25	75
CALIFORNIA	947	21,403	573	6,736	126	3,368	22	153
COLORADO	253	8,855	106	1,590				
CONNECTICUT	183	4,336	131	1,722	89	2,864		
DELAWARE	38	972	12	96	28	1,094	1	5
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	15	347	15	300				
FLORIDA	325	6,607	204	1,975			98	428
GEORGIA	364	9,115	141	1,202			25	47
HAWAII	86	1,111	62	462			4	5
IDAHO	121	2,698	40	329			50	* 578
ILLINOIS	735	26,460	225	2,025	29	580	140	1,120
INDIANA	471	11,100	46	500			133	1,400
IOWA								
KANSAS	373	11,190	139	2,085			65	975
KENTUCKY	293	5,975	87	1,035			121	954
LOUISIANA	371	9,275	53	954			18	54
MAINE	144	4,032	122	1,220	104	2,288	12	60
MARYLAND	147	3,238	108	1,298	98	2,380	36	103
MASSACHUSETTS	311	9,897	229	2,591	219	8,106	58	194
MICHIGAN	701	20,329	294	4,410	18	360	178	890
MINNESOTA	506	11,844	238	1,998			218	1,804
MISSISSIPPI	277	5,186					52	81
MISSOURI	514	13,938	83	893			73	713
MONTANA	180	8,550	32	950			50	1,050
NEBRASKA	362	7,209	31	182			49	455
NEVADA	50	1,100	16	190			24	266
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,600	40	900	55	1,200		
NEW JERSEY	374	10,258	229	3,483	216	8,465	50	142
NEW MEXICO	121	2,632	28	563			23	225
NEW YORK	696	14,530	381	4,953	333	8,251	110	476
NORTH CAROLINA	343	6,792					14	87
NORTH DAKOTA	252	4,499	21	139			19	157
OHIO	801	1,500	326	3,395	39	707	41	381
OKLAHOMA	493	14,760	53	477			70	630
OREGON	250	6,250	175	2,625			100	600
PENNSYLVANIA	555	16,650	226	4,518	234	9,360	133	1,330
RHODE ISLAND	46	935	29	451	18	487		
SOUTH CAROLINA	223	7,600	10	125	2	50	6	45
SOUTH DAKOTA	207	5,053	96	608			44	382
TENNESSEE	358	10,024	150	1,050			87	174
TEXAS	1,117	47,373	493	16,609			734	14,870
UTAH	86	1,918	46	407			8	13
VERMONT	57	1,478	37	331	53	1,634	14	38
VIRGINIA	286	5,720	102	1,530	65	1,685		
WASHINGTON	335	8,938	205	2,443			120	852
WEST VIRGINIA	158	2,694	38	122			4	27
WISCONSIN	415	11,042	220	1,509			90	591
WYOMING	74	1,600	14	120			1	23

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STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	53	285						
ALASKA	15	260						
ARIZONA	33	649						
ARKANSAS	60	360					105	3,095
CALIFORNIA	354	8,229	17	311	110	2,882	872	21,645
COLORADO	107	2,675	10	120	43	1,075		
CONNECTICUT	71	1,183			35	1,069	166	4,555
DELAWARE	4	38	1	15	2	52	31	786
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	10	200						
FLORIDA	41	508			8	176		
GEORGIA	48	941			47	258		
HAWAII	7	51			21	371	47	766
IDAHO	18	265						
ILLINOIS	123	3,075			20	400	417	12,510
INDIANA	176	3,750						
IOWA								
KANSAS	29	590					24	480
KENTUCKY	18	435						
LOUISIANA	17	119			6	62	250	5,000
MAINE	48	864	33	684			134	2,680
MARYLAND	64	1,075			17	389	137	3,245
MASSACHUSETTS	126	2,446	43	730	89	3,319	305	9,406
MICHIGAN	140	1,400	88	968	8	144	586	14,650
MINNESOTA	177	3,422	54	535			223	6,564
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI	43	871			28	671	267	5,302
MONTANA	17	210						
NEBRASKA	26	346						
NEVADA			8	75			26	520
NEW HAMPSHIRE					20	400	83	2,000
NEW JERSEY	122	2,212	19	* 247	70	2,448	350	12,247
NEW MEXICO	17	272					28	640
NEW YORK	378	7,182			266	7,448	607	13,134
NORTH CAROLINA	11	78						
NORTH DAKOTA	29	260						
OHIO	193	2,732			53	890	497	9,841
OKLAHOMA							190	3,420
OREGON	75	1,500			50	1,000	90	1,800
PENNSYLVANIA	159	3,180			22	440	504	10,080
RHODE ISLAND	36	502						
SOUTH CAROLINA	15	350						
SOUTH DAKOTA	40	892					145	3,300
TENNESSEE								
TEXAS							108	2,592
UTAH	61	1,252			4	21	11	188
VERMONT	19	286	15	141	17	360		
VIRGINIA	117	1,170			40	1,000	180	3,575
WASHINGTON	106	2,453			76	1,841		
WEST VIRGINIA	3	28					20	389
WISCONSIN	165	3,346					187	4,919
WYOMING	23	200	8	100				

* Coeducational

STATE	Softball		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			45	365	165	380	75	600
ALASKA			21	275	6	140		
ARIZONA			43	1,118	98	2,026		
ARKANSAS			23	95	205	1,025		
CALIFORNIA			478	13,732	757	14,625		
COLORADO			82	2,310	92	1,656		
CONNECTICUT			59	2,305	143	2,163		
DELAWARE			13	302	28	393	2	67
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	15	225	10	150	14	70	10	300
FLORIDA	339	6,340	193	3,006	274	2,310		
GEORGIA	155	2,882	49	632	320	2,884		
HAWAII			54	431	57	574		
IDAHO					41	*1,061		
ILLINOIS			189	5,670	301	4,515		
INDIANA	63	1,500			282	4,750		
IOWA								
KANSAS			25	625	126	1,890		
KENTUCKY			47	847	146	1,035		
LOUISIANA			26	262	130	795		
MAINE			31	465	58	696	28	532
MARYLAND			30	753	101	1,187	82	1,795
MASSACHUSETTS			113	2,619	245	3,800	161	4,062
MICHIGAN			217	3,906	336	7,392		
MINNESOTA			126	3,050	193	3,600		
MISSISSIPPI					82	1,200		
MISSOURI			60	1,492	182	3,076		
MONTANA			13	260	28	280		
NEBRASKA			29	581	43	757		
NEVADA			16	250	24	250		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					33	330	15	300
NEW JERSEY			91	2,428	273	4,507	90	2,824
NEW MEXICO			18	353	39	583		
NEW YORK					457	6,855	152	2,128
NORTH CAROLINA	331	6,895	33	434	202	2,635	26	102
NORTH DAKOTA	8	97	12	260	20	443		
OHIO			167	1,885	295	4,779		
OKLAHOMA			39	390	116	1,276		
OREGON			74	1,480	96	768		
PENNSYLVANIA			230	5,060	324	4,860		
RHODE ISLAND	40	850			25	467		
SOUTH CAROLINA			10	250	120	1,800		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	224		
TENNESSEE					193	3,474		
TEXAS			229	4,122	1,038	15,872		
UTAH	4	66	39	557	67	729		
VERMONT	59	1,740	1	21	15	253	5	74
VIRGINIA			40	800	183	1,830	96	2,400
WASHINGTON	185	4,777	88	2,133	213	3,999		
WEST VIRGINIA			2	19	70	717		
WISCONSIN			107	2,492	159	3,120		
WYOMING			25	400	12	120		

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STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.				
ALABAMA	200	1,500	225	5,000				
ALASKA	38	900	70	1,190				
ARIZONA	132	3,536	152	3,948				
ARKANSAS	285	5,130	105	945				
CALIFORNIA	804	21,055	895	21,899				
COLORADO	243	9,720	251	6,275				
CONNECTICUT	113	5,317	104	2,508				
DELAWARE	28	796	24	571				
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	15	450	15	325				
FLORIDA	295	6,017	27	365				
GEORGIA	303	6,161	65	1,274				
HAWAII	82	1,030	63	814				
IDAHO	122	2,266	113	2,524				
ILLINOIS	654	23,544	734	26,424				
INDIANA	460	13,300	477	11,400				
IOWA								
KANSAS	376	18,800	341	10,230				
KENTUCKY	201	4,650						
LOUISIANA	322	3,225	177	2,024				
MAINE	105	1,785						
MARYLAND	131	3,126	129	2,692				
MASSACHUSETTS	204	7,649	122	2,755				
MICHIGAN	632	26,544	608	15,200				
MINNESOTA	474	10,818	504	14,190				
MISSISSIPPI	232	3,480						
MISSOURI	377	11,501	352	8,880				
MONTANA	180	7,200						
NEBRASKA	368	6,274	---	10,368				
NEVADA	51	1,300	50	650				
NEW HAMPSHIRE	40	1,200	17	120				
NEW JERSEY	285	12,981	82	1,767				
NEW MEXICO	119	2,718	114	2,577				
NEW YORK	421	12,672	645	11,780				
NORTH CAROLINA	224	5,808	212	3,729				
NORTH DAKOTA	206	2,645	31	561				
OHIO	730	19,691	750	11,995				
OKLAHOMA	315	5,700	205	2,460				
OREGON	232	5,800	230	3,450				
PENNSYLVANIA	345	10,296	379	7,578				
RHODE ISLAND	29	1,062	35	756				
SOUTH CAROLINA	180	4,800	148	1,300				
SOUTH DAKOTA	206	4,525	48	1,057				
TENNESSEE	196	6,076	149	2,831				
TEXAS	1,116	44,870	765	35,795				
UTAH	89	1,987	90	1,717				
VERMONT	24	649	1	49				
VIRGINIA	255	8,925	84	1,312				
WASHINGTON	306	7,474	327	8,189				
WEST VIRGINIA	107	2,351	57	944				
WISCONSIN	394	11,580	419	11,142				
WYOMING	73	1,700	73	1,500				

State	Schools	Participants
Arizona	17	224
Illinois	25	250
New York	46	856
Vermont	1	15
Arizona	33	706
California	275	6,067
Illinois	90	1,080
Maryland	11	228
Massachusetts	1	7
New York	78	2,129
Vermont	1	35
Delaware	1	30
Massachusetts		9
South Carolina		3
Georgia	3	21
Hawaii	33	272
Illinois	120	1,200
Massachusetts	7	95
Michigan	16	160
New Jersey	111	1,452
New York	201	2,535
South Carolina	15	220
Vermont	1	10
West Virginia	5	30
Hawaii	3	44
Delaware	1	29
Massachusetts	3	96
West Virginia	2	38
Vermont	1	4
Alaska	10	120
Arkansas	71	1,420
Idaho	73	2,205
Maryland	14	460
Utah	87	4,697
Alaska	14	170
California	8	30
Kentucky	4	50
Massachusetts	3	30
New Jersey	18	454
Utah	2	85
Massachusetts	1	22
Delaware	3	194
Maryland	27	812
Massachusetts	15	612
Michigan	4	80
New Jersey	21	965
New York	18	872
Pennsylvania	62	2,496
Colorado	30	30
Florida	21	87
Tennessee	22	29
Alaska	9	85
Georgia	19	42
Hawaii	8	50
Kentucky	12	68
Massachusetts	9	41
Vermont	2	9

SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
SKIING (Combined)	New Hampshire	32	400
	New York	96	2,400
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	30	245
	Maine	38	198
	Minnesota	72	786
	Vermont	19	224
	Wyoming	8	100
	Hawaii	10	99
SOFT TENNIS			
WATER POLO	Florida	27	365
	Utah	1	25
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	21	385
WRESTLING	Georgia	1	10
	Massachusetts		2
	Utah	2	36

NOTE: Due to a more sophisticated information gathering system, figures beginning with the 1979 National Federation Sports Participation Survey are generally lower than surveys of the previous four years. The main factors resulting in this decrease include the listing of United States schools only and the listing of senior high school participation only. Previous survey figures included some Canadian high school participation and some U.S. junior high school participation. No true comparisons can be made between the 1980 survey and surveys prior to 1979.

1981 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1980-81 School Year
(See Note at End of Survey)

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	89	220	32	501
BADMINTON	39	444	554	9,608
BASEBALL	14,027	422,310		
BASKETBALL	18,041	553,702	16,595	423,568
BOWLING	730	6,761	565	6,272
CANOEING	8	219	6	128
CREW	17	430	4	120
CROSS COUNTRY	9,952	172,270	6,938	90,224
CURLING	3	64		
DECATHLON	162	378		
DRILL TEAM			345	9,786
FENCING	47	708	36	504
FIELD HOCKEY			1,997	55,656
FOOTBALL—11-man	14,179	937,901		
9-man	306	6,738		
8-man	515	12,625		
6-man	61	1,159		
GOLF	9,602	118,390	3,048	32,828
GYMNASTICS	845	13,293	2,990	64,815
ICE HOCKEY	856	25,925	10	56
JUDO	13	252	1	3
LACROSSE	416	13,501	177	4,942
PENTATHLON			119	266
RIFLERY	244	2,991	133	795
RUGBY	2	42		
SKIING (Downhill)	413	6,895	370	5,136
(Cross Country)	207	2,575	207	2,434
SOCCER	4,555	149,376	1,671	41,119
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	26	479	7,374	181,908
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	29	548	1,211	24,443
SWIMMING & DIVING	3,757	90,941	3,583	86,853
TABLE TENNIS	4	46	2	23
TENNIS	9,214	130,046	8,459	119,889
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,123	33,275	754	15,464
TRACK & FIELD (Outdoor)	14,618	507,791	12,365	377,995
VOLLEYBALL	671	11,732	11,952	297,786
WATER POLO	885	26,869	30	282
WEIGHT LIFTING	177	7,199	21	385
WRESTLING	8,512	245,029		

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	350	7,325	420	9,695	55	665	390	28,025
ALASKA			103	1,954	68	787	23	986
ARKANSAS	159	2,862	398	7,960	67	670	209	7,106
ARIZONA	148	5,904	155	5,715	92	1,816	128	12,175
CALIFORNIA	946	40,284	968	40,038	771	17,977	894	100,841
COLORADO	189	5,859	257	10,280	128	2,560	193	11,580
CONNECTICUT	183	6,778	183	5,517	170	3,024	130	9,643
DELAWARE	38	1,343	38	1,169	30	523	35	2,382
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	14	350	15	375	15	300	15	1,100
FLORIDA	388	9,767	417	12,046	276	3,244	349	28,095
GEORGIA	335	8,381	369	11,008	187	2,202	333	26,511
HAWAII	48	1,497	49	1,465	38	652	43	3,899
IDAHO	49	1,330	120	3,493	34	527	101	5,775
ILLINOIS	643	25,720	797	38,256	420	6,720	588	38,220
INDIANA	397	12,750	400	14,250	392	6,400	324	22,450
IOWA	486	9,720	493	14,790	238	4,760	435	21,750
KANSAS	62	1,550	374	11,200	213	4,473	305	15,250
KENTUCKY	274	4,932	302	3,624	221	2,210	202	7,070
LOUISIANA	284	7,100	412	11,516	127	1,440	278	12,510
MAINE	136	2,992	141	3,525	121	1,210	64	2,460
MARYLAND	148	3,552	149	4,023	119	1,785	138	11,040
MASSACHUSETTS	325	12,772	331	12,652	282	5,178	269	20,948
MICHIGAN	634	19,650	704	23,230	510	8,670	637	43,726
MINNESOTA	406	11,012	509	13,720	265	3,681	384	22,539
MISSISSIPPI	236	3,768	287	4,900	50	150	260	10,914
MISSOURI	378	10,021	550	18,628	226	4,271	322	23,261
MONTANA			181	4,883	68	751	76	4,188
NEBRASKA	39	1,646	366	9,474	131	1,468	241	11,351
NEVADA	41	1,280	55	3,140	33	480	43	3,800
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,600	85	2,600	55	1,300	34	1,900
NEW JERSEY	383	17,503	384	13,844	324	6,792	343	28,146
NEW MEXICO	73	2,120	123	4,000	55	1,650	88	4,312
NEW YORK	1,297	24,095	1,716	25,825	805	12,376	1,275	42,775
NORTH CAROLINA	334	9,064	341	10,283	152	2,266	325	22,650
NORTH DAKOTA	39	607	247	5,472	43	503	74	3,432
OHIO	765	21,764	796	20,185	656	10,635	727	43,756
OKLAHOMA	383	9,575	492	14,790	95	1,140	279	10,044
OREGON	201	9,045	249	8,055	191	2,865	190	12,350
PENNSYLVANIA	585	18,135	652	19,560	430	7,740	572	41,756
RHODE ISLAND	44	1,333	44	1,014	38	896	40	1,926
SOUTH CAROLINA	204	4,385	220	6,994	51	652	213	17,100
SOUTH DAKOTA			206	5,470	104	1,019	75	4,236
TENNESSEE	323	7,752	358	10,024	142	994	305	19,978
TEXAS	744	38,330	1,140	55,338	564	18,842	959	77,441
UTAH	84	2,152	96	2,842	71	1,171	79	6,428
VERMONT	62	1,916	64	1,866	44	550	22	1,595
VIRGINIA	274	8,220	284	8,520	185	2,775	271	21,680
WASHINGTON	291	8,525	339	11,574	224	4,082	285	18,977
WEST VIRGINIA	143	3,243	167	5,749	61	860	149	8,320
WISCONSIN	377	9,886	422	14,803	292	4,343	405	30,170
WYOMING			73	2,368	23	225	60	2,228

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			230	1,000				
ALASKA							13	477
ARKANSAS			98	400	3	30		
ARIZONA	22	460	77	787	18	304		
CALIFORNIA	96	1,688	514	6,152	52	634		
COLORADO	25	700	93	1,116	45	1,125	15	300
CONNECTICUT			155	1,705			49	1,241
DELAWARE			19	201	2	18		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			5	50	5	100		
FLORIDA			257	2,059	8	69		
GEORGIA			236	1,901	18	203		
HAWAII			37	315	4	23		
IDAHO	15	345	48	*607				
ILLINOIS			393	4,716	73	1,460		
INDIANA			360	4,550	26	500		
IOWA			362	7,500				
KANSAS	66	1,320	179	2,685	20	400		
KENTUCKY			207	1,449	19	228		
LOUISIANA			84	560	5	22		
MAINE			59	*401			17	340
MARYLAND			111	888	46	446		
MASSACHUSETTS			219	2,776	73	809	232	8,535
MICHIGAN			557	6,648	18	330	98	2,860
MINNESOTA			300	4,175	34	544	153	5,215
MISSISSIPPI			50	337				
MISSOURI	4	20	197	2,572	4	55		
MONTANA	55	1,247	44	512	20	233		
NEBRASKA	120	4,600	155	1,989	24	327		
NEVADA	8	205	31	504	2	30		
NEW HAMPSHIRE				300	5	45	20	600
NEW JERSEY			245	2,849	31	502	28	824
NEW MEXICO			44	528	9	180		
NEW YORK			504	6,295	76	1,565	89	1,940
NORTH CAROLINA			225	2,462				
NORTH DAKOTA			67	789			14	456
OHIO			654	7,607	54	732	37	775
OKLAHOMA	45	990	130	1,170				
OREGON	37	555	134	1,072	32	480		
PENNSYLVANIA			407	4,884	38	684	11	330
RHODE ISLAND			37	388			30	870
SOUTH CAROLINA			121	1,089				
SOUTH DAKOTA			48	520				
TENNESSEE			188	2,068				
TEXAS			870	17,380				
UTAH			60	710				
VERMONT			30	274	4	52	21	561
VIRGINIA			192	1,920	18	180		
WASHINGTON	22	495	177	2,234	15	333		
WEST VIRGINIA			86	855	3	36		
WISCONSIN			286	4,253	30	522	29	601
WYOMING			20	188	11	92		

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STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA					34	290	255	715
ALASKA					13	350	6	85
ARKANSAS			3	90	21	126	122	854
ARIZONA							100	1,628
CALIFORNIA	20	408	583	19,824	525	22,219	749	16,729
COLORADO	9	270	59	1,475	81	2,430	89	1,602
CONNECTICUT			159	6,919	87	2,165	152	2,095
DELAWARE			28	1,130	11	219	26	381
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			10	220	10	300	14	140
FLORIDA			218	6,118	192	2,698	282	2,489
GEORGIA			131	4,474	57	619	333	3,022
HAWAII			36	866	31	355	43	582
IDAHO							37	*1,006
ILLINOIS			175	7,000	188	5,640	299	4,485
INDIANA					167	4,200	285	4,750
IOWA					55	1,650	115	1,150
KANSAS			16	640	32	800	122	1,830
KENTUCKY			43	516	35	540	189	2,835
LOUISIANA			12	134	33	335	138	828
MAINE	39	351	101	2,242	30	450	62	496
MARYLAND			128	4,709	31	512	128	1,629
MASSACHUSETTS	42	991	253	10,805	100	2,074	224	3,084
MICHIGAN	76	1,280	84	2,900	232	5,100	483	6,900
MINNESOTA	54	1,028	58	3,967	123	2,558	177	3,301
MISSISSIPPI			40	378			94	773
MISSOURI			72	2,777	64	1,676	178	2,715
MONTANA					15	168	30	420
NEBRASKA					31	646	44	674
NEVADA	4	78	15	340	16	300	28	412
NEW HAMPSHIRE	44	600					33	333
NEW JERSEY	14		313	16,255	91	2,020	298	3,525
NEW MEXICO					18	475	43	473
NEW YORK	79	1,305	1,081	26,400	317	7,090	579	8,475
NORTH CAROLINA			71	2,000	37	482	244	3,114
NORTH DAKOTA					11	172	20	283
OHIO			182	6,566	185	3,892	454	6,719
OKLAHOMA					50	500	115	1,150
OREGON			87	1,740	75	1,500	96	768
PENNSYLVANIA			213	7,455	204	4,692	348	5,220
RHODE ISLAND			40	1,423	15	350	35	540
SOUTH CAROLINA			53	1,575	15	104	112	1,209
SOUTH DAKOTA							18	246
TENNESSEE							197	3,546
TEXAS					237	4,266	1,042	15,958
UTAH					39	775	72	913
VERMONT	25	494	57	1,918			20	238
VIRGINIA			116	2,900	41	820	219	2,190
WASHINGTON			111	3,448	95	2,344	217	3,588
WEST VIRGINIA			7	172	4	53	77	754
WISCONSIN					102	2,578	160	3,079
WYOMING	7	90			25	408	11	115

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STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	90	2,600	315	3,000			80	355
ALASKA			48	1,104	16	121	59	1,262
ARKANSAS			294	4,410			2	30
ARIZONA			150	5,526			127	4,632
CALIFORNIA			878	48,909	115	3,175	612	25,405
COLORADO			246	9,840			201	7,638
CONNECTICUT	73	2,525	168	6,695			81	2,443
DELAWARE	7	245	28	1,184			35	1,048
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	10	300	15	450			5	150
FLORIDA			334	9,538			200	3,891
GEORGIA			329	9,093	23	559	163	4,651
HAWAII			44	1,800	30	530	36	946
IDAHO			119	2,910			77	1,989
ILLINOIS			690	30,360			416	9,984
INDIANA			394	13,750			315	10,350
IOWA			483	19,320			323	12,920
KANSAS			374	18,700			167	5,010
KENTUCKY			233	4,660			68	1,224
LOUISIANA			352	7,040			42	560
MAINE	38	760	117	2,095			41	984
MARYLAND	78	1,912	131	4,519	9	91	128	3,750
MASSACHUSETTS	184	7,027	205	8,747	12	160	122	3,351
MICHIGAN			641	22,650				
MINNESOTA			452	12,235			351	8,538
MISSISSIPPI								
MISSOURI			423	15,575	4	75	176	6,483
MONTANA			181	3,769			85	2,014
NEBRASKA			364	8,644			199	4,409
NEVADA			55	2,480			31	1,200
NEW HAMPSHIRE	40	800	63	2,400			18	360
NEW JERSEY	168	5,432	347	16,490	6		323	11,796
NEW MEXICO			114	3,420			44	1,056
NEW YORK	259	7,490	682	22,695	146	2,550	981	18,760
NORTH CAROLINA	41	567	289	10,650			212	6,194
NORTH DAKOTA			201	2,885			66	1,428
OHIO			757	25,995			582	18,815
OKLAHOMA			335	6,700	170	1,700	126	2,520
OREGON			231	11,550			169	4,225
PENNSYLVANIA			514	20,560	102	1,734	504	16,128
RHODE ISLAND	20	838	42	1,882			30	1,017
SOUTH CAROLINA			186	6,242			76	2,232
SOUTH DAKOTA			205	4,778			101	2,552
TENNESSEE			198	6,138			104	2,912
TEXAS			1,122	45,141				
UTAH			93	2,997			82	2,961
VERMONT	9	129	28	1,000			18	419
VIRGINIA	106	2,650	270	9,450			188	4,700
WASHINGTON			311	9,660			239	8,069
WEST VIRGINIA			115	3,345			85	2,268
WISCONSIN			379	12,770	38	1,037	368	9,870
WYOMING			73	2,040			54	1,530

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	New York	89	220
BADMINTON	California	14	* 84
	New York	24	330
	Vermont	1	30
BOWLING	Georgia	3	31
	Hawaii	32	370
	Iowa	100	500
	Massachusetts	3	38
	New Jersey	160	2,108
	New York	355	3,961
	Pennsylvania	64	640
	South Carolina	9	85
	Vermont	1	12
	West Virginia	3	16
CANOEING	Hawaii	8	219
CREW	California	9	178
	Delaware	1	45
	Massachusetts	2	69
	New York	3	95
	West Virginia	2	43
CURLING	North Dakota	3	64
DECATHLON	Arkansas	50	100
	Alabama	19	48
	Florida	37	140
	New Hampshire	20	40
	Tennessee	36	50
FENCING	California	7	44
	Kentucky	6	42
	Massachusetts	3	70
	New Jersey	16	322
	New York	15	230
FOOTBALL (9-man)	Minnesota	119	2,800
	North Dakota	77	1,753
	South Dakota	110	2,185
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Texas	61	1,159
JUDO	Hawaii	13	252
LACROSSE	Delaware	2	42
	Maryland	54	2,349
	Massachusetts	30	1,522
	New Hampshire	1	20
	New Jersey	21	1,233
	New York	305	8,260
	Virginia	3	75
RIFLERY	Alaska	10	157
	California	7	49
	Georgia	53	509
	Hawaii	9	109

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
	Kentucky	13	* 104
	Massachusetts	11	133
	New York	72	1,105
	Pennsylvania	67	804
	Vermont	2	21
RUGBY	Maryland	2	42
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	36	430
	California	8	72
	Maine	41	369
	Minnesota	70	903
	Nevada	1	9
	New Hampshire	44	600
	New Jersey		192
	Wyoming	7	90
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Massachusetts		26
	Missouri	26	453
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	District of Columbia	15	300
	Georgia	6	138
	Mississippi	2	22
	North Dakota	6	88
TABLE TENNIS	Maryland	2	22
	Nevada	2	24
WATER POLO	California	302	9,175
	Florida	21	252
	Hawaii	3	49
	Michigan	531	16,590
	Missouri	16	499
	Nevada	2	24
	Pennsylvania	10	280
WEIGHT LIFTING	Arkansas	15	600
	Florida	78	1,652
	Georgia	81	4,903
	South Carolina	3	44

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	300	9,000	45	265			95	260
ALASKA	97	1,575	63	515				
ARKANSAS	327	4,578	30	240			24	60
ARIZONA	149	3,396	107	835			29	139
CALIFORNIA	949	25,931	690	10,503	106	2,996	19	91
COLORADO	254	8,890	108	1,620				
CONNECTICUT	183	4,336	131	1,722	89	2,864		
DELAWARE	38	886	12	145	32	1,100		
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	15	347	15	300				
FLORIDA	384	6,921	240	2,166			100	423
GEORGIA	364	9,115	141	1,202			25	47
HAWAII	51	1,184	35	508			12	25
IDAHO	121	2,841	31	310			48	*607
ILLINOIS	694	24,984	258	2,322	26	754	121	968
INDIANA	398	10,200	61	650			122	1,300
IOWA								
KANSAS	370	11,100	122	1,830			53	795
KENTUCKY	297	3,564	150	1,500			159	1,113
LOUISIANA	366	8,052	52	624			18	92
MAINE	142	3,550	95	950	104	2,662	59	*401
MARYLAND	147	3,381	110	1,210	109	3,161	32	77
MASSACHUSETTS	313	9,865	241	2,803	220	8,087	46	142
MICHIGAN	701	23,130	332	4,470	9	275	175	1,780
MINNESOTA	505	11,590	254	2,097			226	1,837
MISSISSIPPI	283	4,286	15	25			10	10
MISSOURI	515	13,948	124	1,266	36	941	61	617
MONTANA	180	4,291	50	221			45	260
NEBRASKA	362	7,892	70	325			54	481
NEVADA	51	1,450	30	300			24	300
NEW HAMPSHIRE	84	2,500	48	1,000	63	1,200		
NEW JERSEY	372	9,831	222	3,419	205	7,791	27	109
NEW MEXICO	120	3,128	45	900			28	224
NEW YORK	1,311	19,315	362	4,535	575	10,955	59	630
NORTH CAROLINA	340	6,799	68	482			7	69
NORTH DAKOTA	245	4,399	27	164			26	127
OHIO	801	16,887	461	4,011	34	830	16	139
OKLAHOMA	492	14,268	55	495			72	648
OREGON	249	6,225	176	2,640			102	612
PENNSYLVANIA	657	17,082	333	4,662	249	7,968	170	1,870
RHODE ISLAND	46	946	29	497	18	493		
SOUTH CAROLINA	219	5,182	27	160	1	1		
SOUTH DAKOTA	206	4,754	88	553			41	383
TENNESSEE	358	10,024	120	840			45	90
TEXAS	1,137	48,221	543	18,293			744	15,072
UTAH	85	1,554	49	404				
VERMONT	63	1,508	44	418	54	1,706	15	42
VIRGINIA	284	6,070	126	1,075	67	1,872		
WASHINGTON	320	8,851	210	2,550			98	658
WEST VIRGINIA	163	2,844	41	181			8	18
WISCONSIN	414	11,292	236	1,884			92	713
WYOMING	73	1,605	16	137				

* Coeducational

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	15	125						
ALASKA	13	189						
ARKANSAS	60	1,800						
ARIZONA	31	605					117	3,034
CALIFORNIA	309	14,376	18	259	139	3,133	898	25,979
COLORADO	105	2,625	9	270	51	1,275		
CONNECTICUT	71	1,183			35	1,069	166	4,555
DELAWARE	4	65					32	830
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	10	200						
FLORIDA	27	321			86	1,702		
GEORGIA	48	941			47	258		
HAWAII	6	64			24	468	48	812
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	120	3,000					484	14,520
INDIANA	156	3,300					64	1,700
IOWA								
KANSAS	28	560					24	480
KENTUCKY	22	264						
LOUISIANA	13	52			6	82	244	4,880
MAINE	42	630	32	288	18	270	136	2,992
MARYLAND	70	947			45	1,140	107	4,466
MASSACHUSETTS	97	2,372	41	747	120	3,579	308	9,699
MICHIGAN	123	2,250	72	950	36	915	595	14,390
MINNESOTA	174	3,722	54	615	21	884	243	7,223
MISSISSIPPI					20	25		
MISSOURI	37	775			35	885	289	5,641
MONTANA	25	293						
NEBRASKA	24	395						
NEVADA	2	30	4	75			25	780
NEW HAMPSHIRE			44	600			80	2,000
NEW JERSEY	117	2,030	6		91	3,476	359	12,585
NEW MEXICO	18	360					31	558
NEW YORK	268	4,905	58	845	571	13,890	1,004	18,135
NORTH CAROLINA	9	82			14	332		
NORTH DAKOTA	27	213						
OHIO	168	2,622			64	1,639	525	11,786
OKLAHOMA							190	3,420
OREGON	74	1,480			54	1,080	96	1,920
PENNSYLVANIA	119	2,261			38	988	498	12,450
RHODE ISLAND	33	531						
SOUTH CAROLINA	5	45					145	2,492
SOUTH DAKOTA	36	810						
TENNESSEE							185	3,525
TEXAS								
UTAH	56	1,100					7	128
VERMONT	16	224	25	397	27	563	60	1,677
VIRGINIA	120	1,641			48	1,345	187	3,585
WASHINGTON	104	2,023			81	2,121		
WEST VIRGINIA	3	24						
WISCONSIN	162	3,176					227	5,666
WYOMING	23	204	7	90				

* Coeducational

STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			34	275	165	380	75	600
ALASKA			14	276	8	54		
ARKANSAS	25	375	21	105	121	605		
ARIZONA					105	1,861		
CALIFORNIA			465	20,251	758	13,814		
COLORADO			81	2,430	96	1,728		
CONNECTICUT			59	2,305	143	2,163		
DELAWARE			13	296	27	400	5	105
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	10	225	10	150	14	70	10	300
FLORIDA	356	6,649	190	2,691	277	2,340		
GEORGIA	155	2,882	49	632	320	2,884		
HAWAII			35	420	47	604		
IDAHO					37	*1,006		
ILLINOIS			217	6,510	297	4,455		
INDIANA			160	3,900	268	4,700		
IOWA								
KANSAS			28	700	121	1,815		
KENTUCKY			34	525	194	1,552		
LOUISIANA			27	280	130	780		
MAINE			30	450	62	372	25	475
MARYLAND			31	634	99	1,308	75	777
MASSACHUSETTS			110	2,493	230	3,525	164	4,149
MICHIGAN			219	4,690	321	4,500		
MINNESOTA			131	3,022	192	3,446		
MISSISSIPPI	46	972			89	696		
MISSOURI			56	1,382	154	2,415		
MONTANA			15	191	30	399		
NEBRASKA			30	655	43	868		
NEVADA			16	240	25	290		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					33	333	16	650
NEW JERSEY			78	2,019	268	4,234	101	2,571
NEW MEXICO			18	342	43	430		
NEW YORK			282	6,765	498	7,680	190	4,300
NORTH CAROLINA	330	6,758	40	460	209	2,577	14	97
NORTH DAKOTA	6	86	12	235	22	363		
OHIO			194	3,790	356	4,844		
OKLAHOMA			40	400	120	1,320		
OREGON			75	1,500	97	776		
PENNSYLVANIA			210	4,620	337	5,055		
RHODE ISLAND	42	937			28	546		
SOUTH CAROLINA			7	19	89	904		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	237		
TENNESSEE					191	3,438		
TEXAS			237	4,266	1,038	15,872		
UTAH	5	78	39	578	64	733		
VERMONT					21	339	8	85
VIRGINIA			42	908	185	2,078	71	1,355
WASHINGTON	198	4,887	96	2,204	227	3,904		
WEST VIRGINIA	33	594	4	34	75	746		
WISCONSIN			110	2,820	160	3,219		
WYOMING			24	390	11	122		

* Coeducational

STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.				
ALABAMA	200	1,500	225	5,000				
ALASKA	44	814	68	1,122				
ARKANSAS	277	3,324	98	1,960				
ARIZONA	145	3,527	162	3,947				
CALIFORNIA	882	31,061	916	24,357				
COLORADO	242	9,680	251	6,275				
CONNECTICUT	113	5,317	104	2,508				
DELAWARE	23	676	28	632				
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	15	450	15	325				
FLORIDA	315	6,488	364	6,509				
GEORGIA	303	6,161	65	1,274				
HAWAII	44	1,150	51	1,016				
IDAHO	117	2,111	110	2,614				
ILLINOIS	659	23,724	742	26,712				
INDIANA	381	11,300	398	10,200				
IOWA								
KANSAS	372	18,600	347	10,410				
KENTUCKY	240	4,800	64	768				
LOUISIANA	322	6,440	177	2,024				
MAINE	117	1,480						
MARYLAND	122	2,721	131	2,740				
MASSACHUSETTS	195	7,117	133	2,893				
MICHIGAN	630	18,090	603	15,270				
MINNESOTA	458	10,314	499	14,419				
MISSISSIPPI			31	300				
MISSOURI	400	11,734	360	9,360				
MONTANA	180	2,740						
NEBRASKA	364	6,391	367	10,274				
NEVADA	55	1,620	52	1,300				
NEW HAMPSHIRE	63	2,200	25	250				
NEW JERSEY	291	11,508	81	1,943				
NEW MEXICO	113	3,390	115	3,450				
NEW YORK	554	15,620	1,276	19,585				
NORTH CAROLINA	230	5,887	211	3,573				
NORTH DAKOTA	204	2,425	36	783				
OHIO	733	19,849	757	17,756				
OKLAHOMA	320	5,760	203	2,436				
OREGON	232	5,800	234	3,510				
PENNSYLVANIA	462	13,860	360	9,000				
RHODE ISLAND	28	898	35	700				
SOUTH CAROLINA	170	3,581	149	2,046				
SOUTH DAKOTA	205	4,233	42	900				
TENNESSEE	195	6,045	183	3,477				
TEXAS	1,116	44,870	795	37,198				
UTAH	89	1,759	96	1,863				
VERMONT	28	791						
VIRGINIA	251	6,963	111	1,863				
WASHINGTON	309	7,247	330	8,173				
WEST VIRGINIA	107	2,384	62	1,036				
WISCONSIN	380	10,945	418	12,540				
WYOMING	70	1,650	72	1,495				

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	13	176
	New York	18	285
	Vermont	1	40
BADMINTON	Arizona	34	531
	California	271	5,230
	California	56	*1,093
	Illinois	93	1,116
	Maryland	11	228
	New York	88	1,380
	Vermont	1	30
	Georgia	3	21
BOWLING	Hawaii	27	295
	Illinois	106	1,060
	Massachusetts	4	28
	Michigan	14	168
	New Jersey	115	1,335
	New York	228	2,710
	Pennsylvania	56	560
	South Carolina	8	72
	Vermont	1	5
	West Virginia	3	18
	Hawaii	6	128
	Delaware	1	24
	Massachusetts	1	72
CANOEING CREW	West Virginia	2	24
	California	49	4,900
DRILL TEAM	Delaware	2	16
	Kansas	200	2,500
	Maryland	15	586
	Utah	79	1,784
	California	7	15
FENCING	Kentucky	6	42
	Massachusetts	1	33
	New Jersey	18	359
	New York	4	55
	Hawaii	1	3
JUDO	Massachusetts	10	56
ICE HOCKEY	Delaware	5	158
LACROSSE	Maryland	34	379
	Massachusetts	17	676
	New Jersey	23	1,134
	New York	45	905
	Pennsylvania	53	1,690
	Arkansas	41	82
	Florida	82	109
PENTATHLON	New Hampshire	20	35
	Tennessee	26	40
	Alaska	9	53
RIFLERY	California	7	19
	Georgia	19	42
	Hawaii	8	45
	Kentucky	13	*104
	Massachusetts	9	40
	New York	5	55
	Pennsylvania	61	427
	Vermont	2	10
Co-Educational			

SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	37	292
	California	8	83
	Maine	32	288
	Minnesota	78	952
	Nevada	1	6
	New Hampshire	44	600
	New Jersey		123
	Wyoming	7	90
TABLE TENNIS	Maryland	2	23
WATER POLO	California	10	48
	Florida	18	195
WEIGHT LIFTING	Hawaii	2	39
	Georgia	21	385

NOTE: Due to a more sophisticated information gathering system, figures beginning with the 1979 National Federation Sports Participation Survey are generally lower than surveys of the previous four years. The main factors resulting in this decrease include the listing of United States schools only and the listing of senior high school participation only. Previous survey figures included some Canadian high school participation and some U.S. junior high school participation. No true comparisons can be made between the 1979 survey and surveys subsequent thereto.

1982 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Compiled By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1981-82 School Year
(See Note at End of Survey)

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	19	244		
BADMINTON*	189	2,980	30	468
BASEBALL*	14,001	415,353	483	8,862
BASKETBALL	17,922	538,670		
BOWLING	654	8,181	17,089	415,381
CANOEING	8	182	620	7,412
CREW	10	354	9	180
CROSS COUNTRY	9,979	169,891	13	295
CURLING	3	45	7,475	90,265
DECATHLON	154	426		
DRILL TEAM**	208	3,459		
FENCING	43	718	405	7,919
FIELD HOCKEY			32	445
FOOTBALL—11-man*	13,926	904,808	1,923	53,137
9-man	327	8,170		
8-man	525	13,437		
6-man	65	1,251		
GOLF**	9,251	110,431	3,335	35,063
GYMNASTICS	670	11,537	2,682	47,310
ICE HOCKEY	849	24,526	10	38
JUDO	17	298	2	4
LACROSSE	419	13,733	178	5,980
PENTATHLON			72	180
RIFLERY**	231	3,142	111	762
SKIING (Downhill)	413	6,999	363	4,737
(Cross Country)	209	2,541	204	2,221
SOCCER**	4,839	161,167	2,032	51,869
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	21	354	7,569	183,176
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	13	189	1,313	26,662
SQUASH	1	24	1	24
SWIMMING & DIVING	3,744	79,615	3,621	78,765
TENNIS**	8,802	129,478	8,478	124,289
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,388	39,541	985	24,180
TRACK & FIELD (Outdoor)	14,405	477,650	13,925	357,414
VOLLEYBALL	494	10,416	12,164	282,651
WATER POLO	369	8,931	33	879
WEIGHT LIFTING	132	4,233	8	103
WRESTLING*	8,869	256,107		

*Figures include some participation by girls on boys teams and vice versa. See boys and girls participation figures, pages 79-90, for breakdown.

**Co-educational — includes some co-educational teams. See boys and girls participation figures, pages 79-90, for breakdown.

**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
SUMMARY
1981-82 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY**

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools	Participants
1. Basketball	17,922
2. Football*	14,843
3. Track & Field (outdoor)	14,405
4. Baseball**	14,001
5. Cross Country	9,979
6. Golf	9,251
7. Wrestling***	8,869
8. Tennis	8,802
9. Soccer	4,839
10. Swimming & Diving	3,744

*Includes three girls at two schools participating on boys teams.

**Includes 579 girls at six schools participating on boys teams.

***Includes one girl at one school participating on boys team.

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools	Participants
1. Basketball	17,089
2. Track & Field (outdoor)	13,925
3. Volleyball	12,164
4. Tennis	8,478
5. Softball (fast pitch)	7,569
6. Cross Country	7,475
7. Swimming & Diving	3,621
8. Golf	3,335
9. Gymnastics	2,682
10. Field Hockey	1,923

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	330	6,650	417	9,591	47	282	389	16,135
ALASKA			64	1,503	51	629	14	925
ARIZONA	141	5,773	154	5,357	102	2,035	125	12,201
ARKANSAS	174	3,480	389	8,558	43	301	210	7,890
CALIFORNIA	683	33,452	938	42,061	745	19,839	810	77,437
COLORADO	188	5,828	257	10,280	129	2,580	194	11,640
CONNECTICUT	183	6,048	183	5,024	163	2,683	129	9,521
DELAWARE	34	1,347	34	1,223	20	513	26	2,205
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	13	286	15	450	9	180	14	690
FLORIDA	391	9,858	413	11,908	280	3,213	361	26,948
GEORGIA	315	8,614	338	11,164	173	2,378	308	26,765
HAWAII	51	1,550	54	1,582	45	736	46	3,650
IDAHO	52	1,358	125	3,599	91	638	96	5,544
ILLINOIS	628	22,438	735	29,242	415	8,773	544	47,802
INDIANA	396	12,600	399	13,900	382	6,100	317	22,000
IOWA	486	12,546	492	15,238	243	2,900	432	24,516
KANSAS	62	1,874	375	9,883	210	2,145	286	14,165
KENTUCKY	258	4,857	295	3,527	220	2,200	200	6,090
LOUISIANA	284	7,100	412	11,516	127	1,440	278	12,510
MAINE	134	2,680	138	4,140	122	1,220	62	3,100
MARYLAND	152	4,711	151	4,247	131	2,508	143	11,007
MASSACHUSETTS	322	11,835	332	10,698	277	4,845	267	18,373
MICHIGAN	594	20,815	716	25,802	505	8,100	638	48,419
MINNESOTA	404	10,577	507	13,686	256	3,792	370	21,562
MISSISSIPPI	287	4,816	287	5,576	35	380	260	11,719
MISSOURI	373	9,997	548	18,344	223	4,346	319	23,522
MONTANA			180	4,916	71	792	76	4,169
NEBRASKA	31	1,020	367	9,499	130	1,081	210	10,334
NEVADA	37	1,123	55	1,652	28	532	45	3,648
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,500	84	3,000	55	1,300	34	1,900
NEW JERSEY	356	16,302	359	13,026	333	6,274	327	27,290
NEW MEXICO	75	2,176	126	3,573	60	1,018	88	5,019
NEW YORK	1,297	24,095	1,716	25,825	805	12,376	1,275	42,775
NORTH CAROLINA	330	9,203	334	10,154	152	2,375	322	22,388
NORTH DAKOTA	39	640	242	5,139	41	459	62	3,071
OHIO	767	22,595	800	23,022	652	12,655	728	39,524
OKLAHOMA	397	8,381	491	9,102	93	974	275	12,725
OREGON	207	9,315	252	9,072	190	2,850	202	13,130
PENNSYLVANIA	585	18,233	652	19,687	430	7,738	572	41,288
RHODE ISLAND	40	1,281	43	1,136	37	850	39	1,882
SOUTH CAROLINA	199	4,552	217	7,030	54	712	210	17,016
SOUTH DAKOTA			205	5,395	108	1,044	71	3,873
TENNESSEE	307	7,368	350	9,800	133	931	300	19,651
TEXAS	747	38,385	1,140	55,350	571	19,550	950	77,505
UTAH	85	2,250	98	3,231	69	1,191	74	4,683
VERMONT	62	1,776	65	1,903	43	568	20	1,431
VIRGINIA	276	8,280	285	8,550	193	2,895	271	21,680
WASHINGTON	283	8,240	340	10,820	223	3,943	279	18,939
WEST VIRGINIA	148	3,142	167	5,163	52	764	148	8,145
WISCONSIN	378	11,751	423	17,597	284	4,682	405	32,347
WYOMING			74	2,500	23	250	61	1,432

STATE	Football B-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			120	615				
ALASKA					2	12	14	413
ARIZONA	22	458	77	785	8	232		
ARKANSAS			107	475				
CALIFORNIA	48	1,177	493	5,858	122	2801		
COLORADO	25	700	91	1,092	39	975	15	225
CONNECTICUT			171	2,060			52	1,544
DELAWARE			16	183	2	30		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA			255	1,983	1	3		
GEORGIA			123	1,890	11	156		
HAWAII			40	316	2	12		
IDAHO	10	224	**45	**605				
ILLINOIS			288	581	64	1,952	6	135
INDIANA			355	4,600	20	450		
IOWA			356	5,042				
KANSAS	84	1,680	186	2,037	11	164		
KENTUCKY			198	1,379	17	222		
LOUISIANA			207	1,449	19	228		
MAINE			70	350			17	340
MARYLAND			94	1,062	31	287		
MASSACHUSETTS			264	2,702	40	500	217	7,247
MICHIGAN			445	5,800	11	173	97	2,091
MINNESOTA			294	4,095	27	494	154	5,300
MISSISSIPPI			59	408				
MISSOURI	4	100	184	2,374	4	25		
MONTANA	54	1,320	46	551	19	227		
NEBRASKA	143	5,481	155	2,000	24	320		
NEVADA	5	86	27	328	2	18		
NEW HAMPSHIRE			33	342	5	45	20	600
NEW JERSEY			255	2,886	34	471	30	838
NEW MEXICO			45	456	12	69		
NEW YORK			504	6,295	76	1,565	89	1,940
NORTH CAROLINA			224	2,426				
NORTH DAKOTA			68	797			14	453
OHIO			610	7,289	42	158	38	838
OKLAHOMA	48	960	134	1,103				
OREGON	42	630	119	952				
PENNSYLVANIA			407	4,878	38	652	11	375
RHODE ISLAND			31	350			27	871
SOUTH CAROLINA			118	1,139				
SOUTH DAKOTA			51	515				
TENNESSEE			200	2,220				
TEXAS			870	17,395				
UTAH			62	744				
VERMONT			28	242	4	38	19	472
VIRGINIA			193	1,930	21	210		
WASHINGTON	26	520	153	1,785	8	166		
WEST VIRGINIA			88	886	2	16		
WISCONSIN			278	4,956	23	580	29	844
WYOMING			22	110	8	33		

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			60	600	27	285	150	633
ALASKA			5	217	21	272	5	79
ARIZONA			31	716	38	825	89	1,534
ARKANSAS			7	165	17	150	114	1,126
CALIFORNIA	20	688	643	24,680	524	17,973	730	18,967
COLORADO	9	270	60	1,500	80	2,400	89	1,602
CONNECTICUT			163	6,803	89	2,391	154	1,990
DELAWARE			27	1,067	12	241	23	325
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			5	125	7	210	10	150
FLORIDA			237	6,807	189	2,783	276	2,421
GEORGIA			112	4,222	52	595	297	3,027
HAWAII			38	847	31	355	44	522
IDAHO							**38	**1,079
ILLINOIS			171	8,758	140	5,051	229	4,920
INDIANA					173	4,150	278	4,600
IOWA					55	1,242	110	1,596
KANSAS			17	680	34	549	124	1,733
KENTUCKY			**46	**576	33	534	185	2,810
LOUISIANA			12	134	33	335	138	828
MAINE	41	492	102	2,244	29	435	59	708
MARYLAND			149	5,891	32	661	140	1,919
MASSACHUSETTS	40	769	248	10,193	92	1,637	216	2,930
MICHIGAN	71	1,034	81	2,504	232	5,536	363	6,572
MINNESOTA	56	1,044	62	3,964	122	2,377	170	3,217
MISSISSIPPI			**24	**493			109	816
MISSOURI			82	3,248			170	2,714
MONTANA					15	192	30	410
NEBRASKA					32	600	43	552
NEVADA	11	208	18	620	16	140	21	268
NEW HAMPSHIRE	44	602	76	3,111			33	350
NEW JERSEY	12	225	316	15,062	113	2,110	285	4,376
NEW MEXICO					22	300	45	487
NEW YORK	79	1,305	1,081	26,400	317	7,090	579	8,475
NORTH CAROLINA			75	2,027	43	481	245	3,096
NORTH DAKOTA					11	175	21	282
OHIO			204	6,775	182	3,819	462	6,842
OKLAHOMA					47	609	103	1,008
OREGON			71	2,130	79	1,185	114	912
PENNSYLVANIA			213	7,700	204	4,707	348	5,306
RHODE ISLAND			40	1,389	15	342	33	472
SOUTH CAROLINA			57	1,947	5	29	113	1,311
SOUTH DAKOTA							18	230
TENNESSEE							199	3,562
TEXAS					237	4,451	1,042	16,014
UTAH			19	610	36	750	65	922
VERMONT	22	328	56	1,816			18	209
VIRGINIA			134	3,350	41	820	222	2,220
WASHINGTON			100	3,572	93	2,188	205	3,270
WEST VIRGINIA			6	138	3	33	71	708
WISCONSIN					100	2,876	160	3,577
WYOMING	7	140			25	225	12	200

STATE	Track & Field		Track & Field		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	74	665	265	3,975			70	1,050
ALASKA			24	631			50	1,070
ARIZONA			141	5,012			121	4,654
ARKANSAS	30	210	240	2,880			3	30
CALIFORNIA			814	47,094	427	11,354	604	19,849
COLORADO	249	9,960					199	7,562
CONNECTICUT	78	2,830	162	6,241			83	1,609
DELAWARE	6	171	26	896			27	917
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			12	650			5	125
FLORIDA			341	5,467			204	5,818
GEORGIA			312	9,414			172	4,646
HAWAII			48	1,839	33	540	39	1,046
IDAHO			124	3,096			88	2,175
ILLINOIS	3	135	599	24,777			373	16,302
INDIANA			388	13,350			315	10,050
IOWA			477	13,805			319	9,297
KANSAS			374	8,977			170	4,368
KENTUCKY			242	4,723			67	1,215
LOUISIANA			352	7,040			42	560
MAINE	39	408	115	3,450			42	756
MARYLAND	81	2,180	138	4,539			133	3,950
MASSACHUSETTS	139	4,360	258	10,618	1	10	116	2,854
MICHIGAN			651	24,737			429	12,893
MINNESOTA			442	11,779			347	8,405
MISSISSIPPI			235	4,237			3	55
MISSOURI			413	15,134	1	20	167	6,290
MONTANA			181	3,802			83	1,702
NEBRASKA			364	8,656			196	4,342
NEVADA			51	1,462			31	1,147
NEW HAMPSHIRE	25	525	63	2,400			20	400
NEW JERSEY	174	5,231	335	14,878			302	11,127
NEW MEXICO			123	3,315			43	1,206
NEW YORK	259	7,490	682	22,695	146	2,550	981	18,760
NORTH CAROLINA	31	380	281	10,178			206	6,022
NORTH DAKOTA			194	2,794			65	1,439
OHIO			768	30,366			575	18,310
OKLAHOMA			323	4,988	63	569	137	3,187
OREGON			240	12,000			172	4,300
PENNSYLVANIA			514	21,200	102	1,805	504	16,206
RHODE ISLAND	19	850	40	1,875			32	978
SOUTH CAROLINA			174	6,357			78	2,542
SOUTH DAKOTA			205	4,910			100	2,393
TENNESSEE			198	6,138			92	2,583
TEXAS			1,124	45,456				
UTAH			91	3,270			77	2,877
VERMONT	7	75	27	898			18	366
VIRGINIA	102	2,550	270	9,450			188	4,700
WASHINGTON			303	9,260			231	8,136
WEST VIRGINIA			122	3,348			82	2,030
WISCONSIN			368	15,286	35	1,197	366	11,929
WYOMING	72	1,500					55	950

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Illinois	1	24
	New York	18	220
BADMINTON	California	*137	*2,721
	New York	24	330
BOWLING	Georgia	1	10
	Hawaii	34	400
	Illinois	9	158
	Iowa	--	692
	Michigan	7	108
	Nevada	12	150
	New Jersey	164	1,975
	New York	355	3,961
	Pennsylvania	64	655
	South Carolina	8	72
CANOEING	Hawaii	8	182
CREW	Delaware	1	55
	Massachusetts	1	33
	Michigan	3	119
	New York	3	95
	West Virginia	2	43
CURLING	North Dakota	3	45
DECATHLON	Alabama	20	45
	Arkansas	47	131
	Florida	40	169
	New Hampshire	25	50
	Tennessee	22	31
DRILL TEAM	Kansas	**207	**3,448
	Nevada	1	10
FENCING	Illinois	1	25
	Kentucky	6	42
	Massachusetts	2	68
	New Jersey	19	353
	New York	15	230
FOOTBALL (9-man)	Minnesota	126	3,163
	North Dakota	89	2,172
	South Dakota	112	2,835
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Texas	65	1,251
JUDO	Hawaii	17	298
LACROSSE	Delaware	1	28
	Maryland	57	2,493
	Massachusetts	27	1,388
	Michigan	4	185
	New Hampshire	1	25
	New Jersey	21	1,279
	New York	305	8,260
	Virginia	3	75
RIFLERY	Alaska	7	157
	Arkansas	12	84
	Georgia	39	520
	Hawaii	2	153
	Illinois	2	78
	Kentucky	**11	**99
	Massachusetts	9	110
	Michigan	1	4
	New York	72	1,105
	Pennsylvania	67	800
	Vermont	2	32

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	20	293
	Maine	42	252
	Minnesota	71	971
	Nevada	1	5
	New Hampshire	44	502
	Vermont	24	278
	Wyoming	7	140
	Missouri	21	354
	Georgia	8	123
	Mississippi	2	3
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	North Dakota	3	63
	Delaware	1	24
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	California	311	7,546
	Florida	17	246
SQUASH	Hawaii	4	68
	Illinois	8	287
	Michigan	6	121
	Missouri	12	349
	Nevada	1	12
	Pennsylvania	10	302
	Florida	89	1,971
	Georgia	30	1,899
	North Carolina	7	265
	South Carolina	6	98
WATER POLO			

* Co-Educational

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball Schools	Particip.	Cross Country Schools	Particip.	Field Hockey Schools	Particip.	Golf Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	315	7,245	29	174			62	325
ALASKA	63	1,191	45	413				
ARIZONA	380	3,626	84	972			20	114
ARKANSAS	380	5,700	17	119			19	40
CALIFORNIA	879	20,351	694	8,564	91	2,414	125	173
COLORADO	254	10,180	114	2,280				
CONNECTICUT	183	3,419	102	1,532	81	2,991		
DELAWARE	28	845	7	179	18	1,150		
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	15	450	7	70				
FLORIDA	384	6,769	248	2,246			92	430
GEORGIA	327	9,006	135	1,408			26	58
HAWAII	54	1,222	42	572			9	14
IDAHO	123	2,587	36	327				
ILLINOIS	683	18,479	208	2,621	16	403	117	681
INDIANA	396	9,900	158	1500			127	1,300
IOWA	491	14,146	185	1,571			338	3,261
KANSAS	371	7,548	125	1,014			54	433
KENTUCKY	293	3,480	145	1,425			150	1,048
LOUISIANA	366	8,052	52	624			18	92
MAINE	139	4,170	122	1,220	96	1,920	13	65
MARYLAND	152	3,689	118	1,466	113	3,228	13	39
MASSACHUSETTS	311	9,004	233	2,599	208	6,652	53	119
MICHIGAN	689	18,967	364	3,027	12	443	186	1,418
MINNESOTA	500	11,242	249	2,184			217	1,766
MISSISSIPPI	282	4,716	26	158			7	9
MISSOURI	518	14,354	137	1,556	30	956	65	559
MONTANA	180	4,381	53	234			44	266
NEBRASKA	365	7,957	79	367			52	476
NEVADA	49	1,027	26	233			22	169
NEW HAMPSHIRE	84	2,500	48	1,000	60	1,100		
NEW JERSEY	336	8,950	265	3,058	204	7,576	44	94
NEW MEXICO	122	2,523	55	487			32	115
NEW YORK	1,311	19,315	362	4,535	575	10,955	59	630
NORTH CAROLINA	333	6,550	87	528			7	53
NORTH DAKOTA	239	4,205	31	193			25	139
OHIO	795	17,279	500	3,652	33	969	17	117
OKLAHOMA	491	9,024	93	583			73	266
OREGON	249	6,225	174	2,610			85	518
PENNSYLVANIA	657	17,103	333	4,750	249	8,022	170	1,893
RHODE ISLAND	49	1,000	29	470	18	500		
SOUTH CAROLINA	217	4,940	30	220	1	55		
SOUTH DAKOTA	206	4,806	87	544			44	407
TENNESSEE	354	9,912	121	847			49	98
TEXAS	1,137	48,253	551	18,465			744	15,410
UTAH	92	2,028	54	538			49	947
VERMONT	53	1,472	40	363	48	1,479	11	33
VIRGINIA	286	8,262	142	1,267	68	2,256		
WASHINGTON	339	8,804	204	2,539			83	624
WEST VIRGINIA	163	2,699	38	170			6	18
WISCONSIN	415	13,292	251	2,392			84	743
WYOMING	74	2,500	15	210				

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	30	325			6	186		
ALASKA	16	245					113	3303
ARIZONA	21	424						
ARKANSAS	36	432						
CALIFORNIA	240	4,902	16	220	321	6,283	856	22,001
COLORADO	100	2,500	9	270	54	1,350		
CONNECTICUT	69	899			51	1,921	149	4,327
DELAWARE	1	15					30	777
DIST. OF COLUMBIA							12	216
FLORIDA	21	187			91	1,773		
GEORGIA	40	719			57	991		
HAWAII	4	30			31	592	48	829
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	97	2,177			16	510	515	12,382
INDIANA	152	3,000					37	850
IOWA							483	7,888
KANSAS	28	330					27	830
KENTUCKY	21	262			**46	**576		
LOUISIANA	19	108			6	82	36	5,124
MAINE	33	594	30	384	29	638	134	2,010
MARYLAND	58	853			42	955		
MASSACHUSETTS	111	2,024	34	487	134	4,193	310	9,482
MICHIGAN	120	1,953	66	696	45	967	592	15,551
MINNESOTA	158	3,134	54	597	39	1,547	249	7,257
MISSISSIPPI					**24	**493		
MISSOURI	20	372			37	865	270	5,358
MONTANA	26	301						
NEBRASKA	24	260						
NEVADA	1	10	11	146	2	3	31	809
NEW HAMPSHIRE			43	592	20	505	80	2,000
NEW JERSEY	112	1,845	11	123	127	4,110	345	11,665
NEW MEXICO	17	145					39	766
NEW YORK	268	4,905	58	845	571	13,890	1,004	18,125
NORTH CAROLINA	9	79			17	371		
NORTH DAKOTA	26	198						
OHIO	167	2,378			63	1,718	510	11,954
OKLAHOMA							202	3,124
OREGON	68	1,020			55	1,375	126	3,780
PENNSYLVANIA	119	2,255			38	1,028	498	12,502
RHODE ISLAND	31	520						
SOUTH CAROLINA	1	6					145	2,701
SOUTH DAKOTA	34	713						
TENNESSEE							181	3,449
TEXAS								
UTAH								
VERMONT	15	186	20	223	36	763	61	1,540
VIRGINIA	119	1,508			54	1,577	192	3,979
WASHINGTON	85	1,614			90	2,495		
WEST VIRGINIA	2	16					231	7,708
WISCONSIN	155	3,655						
WYOMING	11	120	7	140				

STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	50	668	26	275	122	722	46	322
ALASKA			19	305	5	60		
ARIZONA			44	1,051	85	1,780		
ARKANSAS	15	225	16	125	106	848		
CALIFORNIA			522	12,533	720	12,776	241	9,640
COLORADO			81	2,430	98	1,764		
CONNECTICUT			82	2,452	129	2,572		
DELAWARE			13	267	23	331	5	127
DIST. OF COLUMBIA			7	150	10	80		
FLORIDA	365	6,749	162	2,667	273	2,316		
GEORGIA	165	3,470	47	563	294	2,993		
HAWAII			34	404	48	605		
IDAHO					**38	**1,079		
ILLINOIS			167	4,361	293	5,079	1	40
INDIANA	36	850	165	3,800	265	4,600		
IOWA			58	1,154	114	2,456		
KANSAS			32	715	118	1,638		
KENTUCKY			31	496	195	1,560		
LOUISIANA			27	280	130	780		
MAINE			30	450	50	600	25	300
MARYLAND			32	867	139	1,836	80	1,843
MASSACHUSETTS			97	2,158	225	3,398	123	2,393
MICHIGAN			227	5,225	348	5,615		
MINNESOTA			129	3,034	188	3,405		
MISSISSIPPI	63	1,155			105	759		
MISSOURI			50	1,377	147	2,298		
MONTANA			15	161	30	400		
NEBRASKA			32	575	43	840		
NEVADA			17	133	22	271		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					33	341	16	650
NEW JERSEY			111	1,997	271	3,977	151	2,724
NEW MEXICO			22	320	44	498		
NEW YORK			282	6,765	498	7,680	190	4,300
NORTH CAROLINA	328	6,605	38	465	210	2,534	15	132
NORTH DAKOTA	3	61	12	216	21	365		
OHIO			196	2,941	367	4,976		
OKLAHOMA			43	506	105	1,283		
OREGON			76	1,140	119	952		
PENNSYLVANIA			210	4,635	337	5,101		
RHODE ISLAND	46	1,000			30	570		
SOUTH CAROLINA					90	923		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	233		
TENNESSEE					193	3,474		
TEXAS			237	4,314	1,039	15,922		
UTAH			36	572	59	738		
VERMONT					19	340	6	43
VIRGINIA			41	905	199	2,367	86	1,666
WASHINGTON	199	5,114	95	2,142	214	3,460		
WEST VIRGINIA	43	765	3	26	70	720		
WISCONSIN			111	3,131	162	3,670		
WYOMING			25	500	12	40		

STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	175	2,100	298	3,576
ALASKA	20	557	45	898
ARIZONA	138	3,319	153	4,233
ARKANSAS	230	2,330	90	1,080
CALIFORNIA	792	19,916	804	21,143
COLORADO			251	5,275
CONNECTICUT	119	4,774	112	2,314
DELAWARE	21	733	22	503
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	10	200	12	180
FLORIDA	320	6,018	362	6,818
GEORGIA	288	5,525	25	442
HAWAII	48	1,089	52	1,022
IDAHO	124	2,290	110	2,617
ILLINOIS	701	20,317	731	17,632
INDIANA	383	10,800	396	10,000
IOWA	489	10,555	334	1,908
KANSAS	373	6,635	354	7,969
KENTUCKY	241	4,810	66	792
LOUISIANA	322	5,440	177	2,024
MAINE	95	2,850		
MARYLAND	139	3,290	129	2,928
MASSACHUSETTS	252	8,650	125	2,832
MICHIGAN	644	18,595	547	14,824
MINNESOTA	452	9,882	498	14,412
MISSISSIPPI	202	2,829	23	386
MISSOURI	397	11,361	362	9,489
MONTANA	181	2,706		
NEBRASKA	364	6,405	364	8,866
NEVADA	49	960	39	858
NEW HAMPSHIRE	63	2,200	25	250
NEW JERSEY	309	9,849	82	1,888
NEW MEXICO	117	2,472	111	2,548
NEW YORK	554	15,620	1,276	19,585
NORTH CAROLINA	226	5,538	209	3,576
NORTH DAKOTA	204	2,560	35	697
OHIO	748	22,260	761	17,243
OKLAHOMA	331	4,028	173	1,836
OREGON	241	7,230	245	4,900
PENNSYLVANIA	462	13,977	360	9,057
RHODE ISLAND	27	890	34	700
SOUTH CAROLINA	159	3,815	144	1,956
SOUTH DAKOTA	205	4,199	44	1,219
TENNESSEE	184	5,704	187	3,553
TEXAS	1,117	44,910	795	37,225
UTAH	89	2,255	88	1,805
VERMONT	27	727		
VIRGINIA	263	7,091	114	1,992
WASHINGTON	302	7,045	328	8,001
WEST VIRGINIA	110	2,250	65	1,049
WISCONSIN	389	13,277	420	15,055
WYOMING	72	1,450	70	1,500

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	11	159
	Illinois	1	24
	New York	18	285
BADMINTON	Arizona	34	581
	California	124	1,808
	California	**165	**2,650
	Illinois	91	2,180
	Maryland	9	192
BASEBALL	New York	88	1,380
	California	1	554
	Georgia	*2	*5
	Nevada	*2	*3
	Vermont	*1	*17
BOWLING	Hawaii	30	324
	Illinois	125	1,871
	Iowa	--	466
	Michigan	18	228
	Nevada	13	148
	New Jersey	148	1,073
	New York	228	2,710
	Pennsylvania	56	572
	Vermont	2	20
	Hawaii	9	180
CANOEING CREW	Delaware	1	26
	Hawaii	9	180
DRILL TEAM	Massachusetts	1	63
	West Virginia	2	26
	Alaska	5	77
	Arkansas	75	1,500
	Kansas	**207	**3,449
FENCING	Nevada	39	668
	Utah	79	1,725
	Kentucky	6	42
	Massachusetts	1	28
	New Jersey	21	320
FOOTBALL (11-man)	New York	4	55
	California	*1	*1
	Vermont	*1	*2
	Alaska	3	11
	Massachusetts	5	24
ICE HOCKEY	Vermont	2	3
	Hawaii	2	4
JUDO	Delaware	5	193
	Maryland	34	1,427
	Massachusetts	17	122
	Michigan	1	30
	New Jersey	23	1,021
LACROSSE	New York	45	905
	Pennsylvania	53	1,782
	Florida	31	122
	New Hampshire	20	35
	Tennessee	21	23
PENTATHLON	Alaska	7	43
	Georgia	12	39
	Hawaii	7	60
	Kentucky	**11	**99
	Massachusetts	7	28
RIFLERY			

SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
RIFLERY (Cont.)	New York	5	55
	Pennsylvania	61	428
	Vermont	1	10
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	22	217
	Maine	32	192
	Minnesota	75	842
	Nevada	1	2
	New Hampshire	43	592
	Vermont	24	236
	Wyoming	7	140
SQUASH	Delaware	1	24
WATER POLO	California	17	651
	Florida	14	202
	Illinois	1	11
	Nevada	1	15
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	8	103
WRESTLING	California	**1	**1

NOTE: Due to a more sophisticated information gathering system, figures beginning with the 1979 National Federation Sports Participation Survey are generally lower than surveys of the previous four years. The main factors resulting in this decrease include the listing of United States schools only and the listing of senior high school participation only. Previous survey figures included some Canadian high school participation and some U.S. junior high school participation. No true comparisons can be made between the 1979 survey and surveys prior thereto.

1983 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1982-83 School Year

(See Note at End of Survey)

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	12	131	24	257
BADMINTON	*151	2,820	*469	8,588
BASEBALL	13,380	409,970		**590
BASKETBALL	16,930	514,791	16,417	401,511
BOWLING	565	7,677	530	6,798
CANOEING	14	179	8	143
CREW	5	204	2	31
CROSS COUNTRY	9,581	165,114	7,722	93,788
DECATHLON	97	260	2	2
DRILL TEAM	*219	1,938	*367	5,291
FENCING	38	700	37	517
FIELD HOCKEY			1,590	51,076
FOOTBALL—11-man	13,174	901,150		
9-man	317	7,746		
8-man	519	13,468		
6-man	76	1,416		
GOLF	*9,062	115,187	*3,250	35,281
GYMNASTICS	550	9,325	2,497	45,736
HEPTATHLON			30	109
ICE HOCKEY	823	23,970		**49
JUDO	17	234	1	7
LACROSSE	272	15,777	161	6,365
PENTATHLON			41	60
RIFLERY	*205	2,740	*112	645
SKIING (Downhill)	378	6,706	372	4,635
(Cross Country)	196	2,468	200	1,978
SOCCER	4,454	162,504	2,030	**57,921
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)			7,528	188,801
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)			1,506	30,714
SWIMMING & DIVING	3,650	76,657	3,497	76,261
TENNIS	*8,691	126,458	*8,271	120,869
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,156	33,724	764	15,993
TRACK & FIELD (Outdoor)	14,414	475,229	13,957	355,652
Volleyball	459	8,991	11,479	269,049
WATER POLO	368	8,675	52	1,137
WEIGHT LIFTING	154	4,768	8	103
WRESTLING	8,272	254,581		**8

*includes some co-educational teams

**includes girls playing on boys' teams

**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
SUMMARY
1982-83 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY**

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,930	1. Football*	923,780
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,414	2. Basketball	514,791
3. Football	14,086	3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	475,229
4. Baseball	13,380	4. Baseball	409,970
5. Cross Country	9,581	5. Wrestling***	254,581
6. Golf	9,062	6. Cross Country	165,114
7. Tennis	8,691	7. Soccer	162,504
8. Wrestling	8,272	8. Tennis	126,458
9. Soccer	4,454	9. Golf	115,187
10. Swimming & Diving	3,650	10. Swimming & Diving	76,657

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,417	1. Basketball	401,511
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,957	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	355,652
3. Volleyball	11,479	3. Volleyball	269,049
4. Tennis	8,271	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	188,801
5. Cross Country	7,722	5. Tennis	120,869
6. Softball (Fast Pitch)	7,528	6. Cross Country	93,788
7. Swimming & Diving	3,497	7. Swimming & Diving	76,261
8. Golf	3,250	8. Soccer	57,921
9. Gymnastics	2,497	9. Field Hockey	51,076
10. Soccer	2,030	10. Gymnastics	45,736

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972

1983
BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	340	6,406	389	8,456	74	649	361	16,225
ALASKA			89	1,786	72	772	15	1,052
ARIZONA	133	5,434	146	5,027	99	1,562	125	11,297
ARKANSAS	189	3,686	399	8,690	62	310	210	9,601
CALIFORNIA	1,003	34,528	1,027	36,490	850	17,170	**843	80,060
COLORADO	192	5,952	260	10,400	128	2,560	193	11,580
CONNECTICUT	180	5,958	180	4,752	164	2,713	127	7,656
DELAWARE	39	1,292	40	1,267	30	493	37	2,485
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	13	350	15	480	9	225	14	725
FLORIDA	398	10,622	432	12,215	282	3,404	356	31,918
GEORGIA	315	8,614	338	11,164	173	2,378	308	26,765
HAWAII	51	1,474	53	1,521	48	732	45	3,378
IDAHO	47	1,305	125	3,641	51	687	108	6,005
ILLINOIS	614	21,050	731	26,661	401	8,266	535	45,834
INDIANA	391	12,450	396	13,855	384	5,940	318	23,000
IOWA	486	12,546	492	15,238	243	2,900	432	24,516
KANSAS	64	2,113	370	1,067	194	2,361	286	14,148
KENTUCKY	272	5,440	284	5,680	158	2,290	201	7,005
LOUISIANA	284	7,100	412	11,516	127	1,440	278	12,510
MAINE	132	2,508	136	4,760	125	1,125	61	2,440
MARYLAND	153	4,605	153	4,599	124	2,062	144	11,170
MASSACHUSETTS	319	11,135	328	11,254	270	4,785	260	18,099
MICHIGAN	638	22,357	706	25,442	488	7,828	635	48,191
MINNESOTA	375	9,953	496	12,855	228	3,645	364	20,660
MISSISSIPPI	219	4,645	272	5,191	39	396	**245	10,940
MISSOURI	369	9,742	556	17,767	221	4,307	327	22,909
MONTANA			182	4,685	72	926	76	4,557
NEBRASKA	30	1,081	367	9,376	139	1,495	201	8,663
NEVADA	43	1,194	61	1,840	31	600	49	3,700
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,500	83	2,600	50	1,200	33	1,800
NEW JERSEY	383	16,237	388	13,139	321	6,346	349	27,044
NEW MEXICO	75	2,043	126	3,602	60	1,055	88	4,967
NEW YORK	740	25,203	754	23,619	543	10,368	571	41,523
NORTH CAROLINA	329	9,182	336	9,764	162	2,640	320	22,508
NORTH DAKOTA	40	636	237	4,986	41	406	58	2,863
OHIO	756	21,145	804	18,829	624	8,853	727	38,418
OKLAHOMA	399	8,398	489	10,269	95	1,116	278	14,089
OREGON	205	9,225	251	9,036	185	2,775	194	12,610
PENNSYLVANIA	572	17,900	644	19,150	427	7,695	560	41,020
RHODE ISLAND	44	1,298	44	1,132	36	754	40	1,890
SOUTH CAROLINA	195	4,615	209	6,316	58	832	204	16,957
SOUTH DAKOTA			204	5,284	103	1,045	71	3,814
TENNESSEE	307	7,368	350	9,800	133	931	303	19,848
TEXAS	747	38,385	1,140	55,350	571	19,550	959	77,505
UTAH	86	2,191	99	3,049	69	1,153	82	6,394
VERMONT	44	1,313	48	1,378	31	427	18	1,306
VIRGINIA	276	8,280	286	8,550	193	2,895	271	21,680
WASHINGTON	281	8,078	341	10,779	225	4,915	281	19,008
WEST VIRGINIA	149	3,140	167	4,919	58	864	149	8,577
WISCONSIN	380	9,293	422	13,715	287	5,023	402	28,140
WYOMING			73	1,850	23	250	62	2,100

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			101	756				
ALASKA					1	5	15	447
ARIZONA	20	560	76	957	11	90		
ARKANSAS			94	565	5	20		
CALIFORNIA	**62	1,278	485	5,993	43	1,054		
COLORADO	28	784	96	1,152	36	900	14	196
CONNECTICUT			170	2,045			47	1,120
DELAWARE			23	255	1	10	1	20
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA			264	2,169				
GEORGIA			123	1,890	11	156		
HAWAII			41	280	2	9		
IDAHO	10	285	**45	662				
ILLINOIS			356	6,166	57	1,707	4	200
INDIANA			352	4,300	15	245		
IOWA			356	5,042				
KANSAS	83	1,615	182	2,730	11	146		
KENTUCKY			180	1,635	10	200		
LOUISIANA			207	1,449	19	228		
MAINE			70	450			17	340
MARYLAND			105	918	24	282		
MASSACHUSETTS			208	2,697	31	491	208	7,325
MICHIGAN			444	5,787	5	79	94	2,027
MINNESOTA			274	3,922	20	638	148	4,898
MISSISSIPPI			58	408				
MISSOURI	5	105	185	2,488	8	130		
MONTANA	54	2,008	46	511	16	181		
NEBRASKA	144	4,786	152	1,997	21	181		
NEVADA	6	100	29	305				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			30	350	5	50	22	650
NEW JERSEY			242	3,080	29	402	30	943
NEW MEXICO			45	464	12	90		
NEW YORK			455	5,502	48	790	80	2,055
NORTH CAROLINA			226	2,566				
NORTH DAKOTA			69	843			13	340
OHIO			597	7,009	32	161	39	830
OKLAHOMA	46	910	136	1,224				
OREGON	34	510	112	896				
PENNSYLVANIA			384	4,230	26	408	14	405
RHODE ISLAND			33	372			27	788
SOUTH CAROLINA			118	1,183				
SOUTH DAKOTA			46	529				
TENNESSEE			200	2,220				
TEXAS			870	17,395				
UTAH			59	793				
VERMONT			20	206			15	326
VIRGINIA			193	1,930	21	210		
WASHINGTON	27	527	150	1,786	12	222		
WEST VIRGINIA			90	925				
WISCONSIN			265	3,975	14	210	35	1,050
WYOMING			20	200	4	30		

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			30	917	19	165	116	1,014
ALASKA			5	246	21	309	6	122
ARIZONA			28	940	38	919	88	1,482
ARKANSAS			7	165	17	255	118	945
CALIFORNIA	21	582	633	22,766	509	11,882	735	14,488
COLORADO	8	96	66	1,650	84	2,520	93	1,674
CONNECTICUT			161	5,924	81	1,860	137	1,650
DELAWARE			30	1,273	16	303	26	355
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			5	125	7	250	11	165
FLORIDA			262	7,563	204	2,970	287	2,568
GEORGIA			112	4,222	52	595	297	3,027
HAWAII			35	789	30	364	46	511
IDaho							*39	569
ILLINOIS			166	9,245	149	4,421	279	5,614
INDIANA					169	4,100	277	4,600
IOWA					55	1,242	110	1,596
KANSAS			13	472	28	240	125	1,669
KENTUCKY			**53	1,305	25	305	173	1,720
LOUISIANA			12	134	33	335	138	828
MAINE	35	420	101	3,030	30	450	61	671
MARYLAND			145	5,477	31	724	138	1,774
MASSACHUSETTS	39	791	256	10,373	86	1,600	215	2,850
MICHIGAN	76	1,107	114	3,525	230	5,489	342	6,192
MINNESOTA	42	843	66	3,712	110	2,355	155	3,049
MISSISSIPPI			**25	578			104	800
MISSOURI			81	3,240	52	1,361	154	2,658
MONTANA					15	188	31	453
NEBRASKA					32	600	43	532
NEVADA	12	200	20	650	20	150	22	200
NEW HAMPSHIRE	32	550	62	2,000			35	350
NEW JERSEY	15	197	340	15,167	118	2,129	301	4,381
NEW MEXICO			25	664	23	333	45	492
NEW YORK	74	1,521	558	24,080	264	6,338	518	8,170
NORTH CAROLINA			84	2,392	38	585	242	3,190
NORTH DAKOTA					9	183	22	281
OHIO			213	6,754	192	2,978	441	6,527
OKLAHOMA					45	576	108	1,104
OREGON			70	2,100	68	1,020	115	920
PENNSYLVANIA			238	7,955	201	4,560	338	5,005
RHODE ISLAND			41	1,389	15	373	33	503
SOUTH CAROLINA			58	1,978			116	1,349
SOUTH DAKOTA							19	298
TENNESSEE							199	3,582
TEXAS					237	4,451	1,042	16,014
UTAH			40	1,136	38	875	72	927
VERMONT	17	249	42	1,338			13	151
VIRGINIA			134	3,350	41	820	222	2,220
WASHINGTON			115	3,699	94	2,251	201	3,147
WEST VIRGINIA			8	181	2	23	71	741
WISCONSIN					97	2,910	161	3,220
WYOMING	7	150			25	300	11	110

STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling		SPORT
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	
ALABAMA	72	881	208	3,598	11	135	48	1,014	ARCHER
ALASKA			38	698	18	142	58	837	BADMINTON
ARIZONA	137	5,802					122	4,564	BOWLING
ARKANSAS	30	210	276	5,522			650	20,777	
CALIFORNIA			965	41,401	113	3,725	202	7,676	
COLORADO			250	10,000			84	2,466	
CONNECTICUT	54	2,036	167	6,391			34	961	
DELAWARE	6	167	31	1,202	1	25	5	125	
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	12	501	12	682			206	5,791	
FLORIDA			347	9,785			172	4,646	
GEORGIA			312	9,414			39	1,095	
HAWAII			51	1,867	36	520	81	2,303	
IDAHO			123	3,237			378	15,904	
ILLINOIS	1	41	598	22,579			312	10,100	CANOE
INDIANA			386	13,000			319	9,297	CREW
IOWA			477	13,805			164	4,691	
KANSAS			375	9,679			58	1,102	
KENTUCKY			213	3,723			42	560	CURLING
LOUISIANA			352	7,040			44	792	DECAT
MAINE	35	630	111	3,441			133	3,928	
MARYLAND	95	2,270	137	4,819			114	3,160	
MASSACHUSETTS	135	4,465	248	10,430			424	12,743	
MICHIGAN			653	24,813			329	8,129	DRILL
MINNESOTA			419	11,467			1	11	
MISSISSIPPI			206	3,825	2	35	164	6,376	
MISSOURI			419	14,792	6	92			
MONTANA			182	3,335			196	4,242	FENCING
NEBRASKA			364	8,322			37	1,040	
NEVADA			58	1,500			15	450	
NEW HAMPSHIRE	20	400	45	2,000			322	11,452	FIELD
NEW JERSEY	163	5,476	343	13,820			44	1,416	FOOTBALL
NEW MEXICO			123	3,214			516	17,561	
NEW YORK	230	6,915	589	22,882	81	1,599	207	6,045	
NORTH CAROLINA	41	553	284	11,002			64	1,406	FOOTBALL
NORTH DAKOTA			201	3,071			567	18,954	
OHIO			751	25,635			138	2,836	
OKLAHOMA			328	5,078	56	504	170	4,250	
OREGON			240	12,000			491	15,980	JUDO
PENNSYLVANIA			503	20,000	90	1,534	30	1,000	LACROSSE
RHODE ISLAND	18	771	39	1,830			77	2,363	
SOUTH CAROLINA	2	9	181	6,335			97	2,326	
SOUTH DAKOTA			204	4,926			92	2,583	NEW
TENNESSEE			198	6,138					
TEXAS			1,124	45,456			88	3,054	
UTAH			97	3,047			11	238	
VERMONT	3	47	26	897			188	4,700	RIFLE
VIRGINIA	102	2,550	270	9,450			233	7,409	
WASHINGTON			315	9,988			86	2,088	
WEST VIRGINIA			114	3,198	34	680	366	12,810	
WISCONSIN			388	13,580			54	1,350	
WYOMING	73	1,315							

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Alaska	1	7
	New York	11	124
BADMINTON	California	*137	*2,721
	New York	14	99
BOWLING	Alabama	1	15
	Georgia	1	10
	Hawaii	31	329
	Illinois	1	10
	Iowa	--	692
	Michigan	4	62
	Nevada	12	250
	New Jersey	152	2,002
	New York	291	3,540
	Pennsylvania	56	590
	South Carolina	9	82
	Vermont	1	20
	Hawaii	14	179
CANOEING CREW	Delaware	1	60
	Michigan	3	119
	West Virginia	1	25
CURLING DECATHLON	Alabama	16	58
	Arkansas	25	47
	Florida	34	129
	Tennessee	22	26
DRILL TEAM	Alaska	3	8
	District of Columbia	5	240
	Kansas	**211	1,690
FENCING	Illinois	2	24
	Kentucky	5	40
	New Jersey	17	370
	New York	14	266
FIELD HOCKEY			
FOOTBALL (9-man)	Minnesota	113	2,740
	North Dakota	92	2,171
	South Dakota	112	2,835
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Montana	5	75
	Nebraska	6	90
	Texas	65	1,251
	Hawaii	17	234
JUDO	Delaware	2	40
	Maryland	57	2,733
	Massachusetts	25	1,559
LACROSSE	New Hampshire	1	
		25	
	New Jersey	23	1,493
	New York	161	9,852
RIFLERY	Virginia	3	75
	Alaska	13	195
	Georgia	39	520
	Hawaii	8	122
	Illinois	1	28
	Kentucky	**17	104
	Massachusetts	6	85
	Michigan	1	4
	New York	67	954
	Pennsylvania	53	728

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	35	402
	Maine	42	252
	Minnesota	61	920
	New Hampshire	32	550
	Vermont	19	194
	Wyoming	7	150
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Missouri	25	400
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Alabama	4	73
	Georgia	8	123
	Mississippi	6	99
SQUASH			
WATER POLO	California	311	7,546
	Florida	18	254
	Hawaii	5	84
	Illinois	6	149
	Michigan	6	121
	Missouri	14	378
	Nevada	1	12
	Utah	7	131
	Florida	95	2,189
	Georgia	30	1,899
WEIGHT LIFTING	North Carolina	12	286
	South Carolina	8	137
	Utah	9	257

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes some girls playing on boys' teams

STATE

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MASSACHUSETTS
MICHIGAN
MINNESOTA
MISSISSIPPI
MISSOURI
MONTANA
NEBRASKA
NEVADA
NEW HAMPSHIRE
NEW JERSEY
NEW MEXICO
NEW YORK
NORTH CAROLINA
NORTH DAKOTA
OHIO
OKLAHOMA
OREGON
PENNSYLVANIA
RHODE ISLAND
SOUTH CAROLINA
SOUTH DAKOTA
TENNESSEE
TEXAS
UTAH
VERMONT
VIRGINIA
WASHINGTON
WEST VIRGINIA
WISCONSIN
WYOMING

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	309	3,709	37	346			16	68
ALASKA	89	1,469	50	521				
ARIZONA	146	3,582	82	945			24	112
ARKANSAS	395	5,900	33	165			12	22
CALIFORNIA	1,011	22,362	819	8,753	93	2,482	48	288
COLORADO	258	9,030	117	1,755				
CONNECTICUT	160	3,729	130	1,546	79	2,691		
DELAWARE	37	860	16	191	35	1,119		
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	17	465	7	105				
FLORIDA	394	6,905	259	2,337			101	481
GEORGIA	327	9,006	135	1,408			26	58
HAWAII	51	1,074	46	628			13	50
IDAHO	124	2,722	42	403				15
ILLINOIS	634	16,255	229	2,948	13	361	122	816
INDIANA	395	10,000	185	1800			130	1,300
IOWA	491	14,146	185	1,571			338	3,261
KANSAS	366	7,678	180	1,032			37	332
KENTUCKY	276	5,520	142	1,709			121	1,070
LOUISIANA	366	8,052	52	624			18	92
MAINE	137	4,110	125	1,000	85	1,870	13	65
MARYLAND	153	3,783	114	1,300	108	3,282	45	52
MASSACHUSETTS	310	9,145	216	2,395	204	7,118	41	73
MICHIGAN	698	19,214	374	3,110	10	370	161	1,228
MINNESOTA	490	10,705	223	2,273			223	1,867
MISSISSIPPI	264	4,336	20	154			6	15
MISSOURI	528	13,603	143	1,640	30	921	56	510
MONTANA	182	4,059	53	595			44	527
NEBRASKA	365	7,973	100	500			52	391
NEVADA	58	1,110	28	250			22	150
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,600	40	900	55	1,200		
NEW JERSEY	375	8,589	234	3,439	208	7,695	47	103
NEW MEXICO	122	2,711	55	588			32	119
NEW YORK	711	17,557	401	5,316	265	9,158	82	567
NORTH CAROLINA	335	6,314	105	800			6	50
NORTH DAKOTA	234	4,048	32	200			22	151
OHIO	790	16,343	472	3,727	29	818	22	261
OKLAHOMA	489	10,210	91	708			75	675
OREGON	247	6,175	182	2,730			68	408
PENNSYLVANIA	640	16,888	364	5,000	255	8,010	174	1,930
RHODE ISLAND	47	858	29	492	19	555		
SOUTH CAROLINA	209	4,693	34	269	1	49		
SOUTH DAKOTA	205	4,636	97	612			39	441
TENNESSEE	352	9,912	121	847			49	98
TEXAS	1,137	48,253	551	18,465			744	15,410
UTAH	90	1,803	54	527			49	947
VERMONT	46	1,083	27	273	33	1,121	9	16
VIRGINIA	286	6,262	142	1,267	68	2,256		
WASHINGTON	338	8,424	219	2,497			72	389
WEST VIRGINIA	161	2,700	44	217			12	23
WISCONSIN	416	9,360	266	2,660			79	790
WYOMING	73	1,600	20	250				

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	18	180			9	169		
ALASKA	14	217			5	205		
ARIZONA	25	348					104	3,087
ARKANSAS	30	450						
CALIFORNIA	227	4,991	20	234	251	6,395	919	22,840
COLORADO	104	2,600	7	84	59	1,475		
CONNECTICUT	60	1,539			67	1,674	148	4,320
DELAWARE	5	63					33	816
DIST. OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA	14	133			108	2,266		
GEORGIA	40	719			57	991		
HAWAII	3	25			35	619	49	805
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	99	2,171			25	853	476	11,907
INDIANA	147	2,700					82	1,900
IOWA							483	7,888
KANSAS	28	323					28	852
KENTUCKY	18	360			8	**170		
LOUISIANA	19	108			6	82	41	5,204
MAINE	42	756	35	420	43	946	132	2,376
MARYLAND	46	709			44	1,086	144	3,813
MASSACHUSETTS	102	1,722	36	562	128	4,305	306	9,360
MICHIGAN	106	1,726	71	749	58	1,566	592	15,551
MINNESOTA	157	2,887	42	494	49	1,876	253	7,134
MISSISSIPPI					8	**30		
MISSOURI	18	360			43	1,169	278	5,719
MONTANA	20	304						
NEBRASKA	24	212						
NEVADA			12	150			35	810
NEW HAMPSHIRE			32	400	20	400	83	2,000
NEW JERSEY	123	1,580	15	126	143	4,535	365	11,686
NEW MEXICO	17	163			14	376	39	767
NEW YORK	199	3,718	67	982	464	16,722	725	20,643
NORTH CAROLINA	4	59			21	500		
NORTH DAKOTA	26	202	13	226				
OHIO	145	2,069			80	2,190	527	11,862
OKLAHOMA							210	3,150
OREGON	58	870			60	1,500	113	3,390
PENNSYLVANIA	100	1,990			47	1,128	513	12,750
RHODE ISLAND	28	387						
SOUTH CAROLINA					4	74	144	2,660
SOUTH DAKOTA	35	683						
TENNESSEE							181	3,449
TEXAS								
UTAH	34	614			7	35		
VERMONT	10	138	15	133	21	468	45	1,259
VIRGINIA	119	1,508			54	1,577	192	3,929
WASHINGTON	73	1,612			92	2,539		
WEST VIRGINIA	48	874						
WISCONSIN	148	4,440					240	6,000
WYOMING	12	100	7	75				

STATE	Softball		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Indoor	Particip.
ALABAMA	114	1,789	13	130	106	866	52	503
ALASKA			21	314	6	116		
ARIZONA			44	1,083	85	1,565		
ARKANSAS	15	225	17	255	111	885		
CALIFORNIA			443	12,715	726	13,170		
COLORADO			87	2,610	101	1,818		
CONNECTICUT			65	1,608	117	2,452	25	596
DELAWARE	2	48	16	379	25	367	6	128
DIST. OF COLUMBIA			7	150	11	110	7	140
FLORIDA	372	7,326	202	2,865	285	2,462		
GEORGIA	165	3,470	47	563	294	2,993		
HAWAII			34	409	50	623		
IDAHO					*39	568		
ILLINOIS			147	3,654	274	5,522	1	34
INDIANA			163	3,500	264	4,500		
IOWA			58	1,154	114	2,456		
KANSAS			33	796	113	1,654		
KENTUCKY	87	1,914	25	285	177	1,529		
LOUISIANA			27	280	130	780		
MAINE			30	450	60	540	35	420
MARYLAND			31	614	133	1,603	95	1,889
MASSACHUSETTS			91	1,916	219	3,238	114	2,516
MICHIGAN			203	4,673	300	4,841		
MINNESOTA			120	3,040	170	3,292		
MISSISSIPPI	68	1,214			99	698		
MISSOURI			49	1,359	133	2,244		
MONTANA			15	169	31	434		
NEBRASKA			32	610	43	850		
NEVADA			20	150	22	200		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					33	330	15	300
NEW JERSEY			91	2,135	292	3,897	105	3,039
NEW MEXICO			22	332	44	487		
NEW YORK			248	6,320	435	6,909	193	4,522
NORTH CAROLINA	326	6,950	40	569	208	2,638	27	221
NORTH DAKOTA					21	381		
OHIO			193	2,998	355	4,961		
OKLAHOMA	108	1,620	41	492	107	1,260		
OREGON			67	1,005	115	920		
PENNSYLVANIA			206	4,500	333	4,990		
RHODE ISLAND	47	1,021			31	526		
SOUTH CAROLINA					92	943		
SOUTH DAKOTA					17	237		
TENNESSEE					193	3,474		
TEXAS			237	4,314	1,039	15,922		
UTAH			40	593	56	606		
VERMONT					14	294	3	19
VIRGINIA			41	905	199	2,367	86	1,666
WASHINGTON	202	5,137	94	2,194	210	3,346		
WEST VIRGINIA			2	23	68	730		
WISCONSIN			110	3,850	160	3,200		
WYOMING			25	300	11	75		

STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	163	1,928	230	3,171
ALASKA	36	567	68	1,166
ARIZONA	138	3,161	146	4,223
ARKANSAS	271	2,710	79	950
CALIFORNIA	949	21,067	920	22,138
COLORADO	246	9,840	253	6,325
CONNECTICUT	143	4,290	113	2,384
DELAWARE	23	782	21	513
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	10	200	12	180
FLORIDA	328	6,386	363	6,783
GEORGIA	288	6,525	26	442
HAWAII	49	1,031	55	1,037
IDAHO	123	2,389	120	2,848
ILLINOIS	565	15,155	638	17,385
INDIANA	378	10,700	395	9,800
IOWA	489	10,555	334	1,908
KANSAS	373	8,036	357	8,266
KENTUCKY	192	3,140	60	720
LOUISIANA	322	6,440	177	2,024
MAINE	111	2,442		
MARYLAND	139	3,397	137	3,022
MASSACHUSETTS	238	8,324	123	2,704
MICHIGAN	621	17,928	606	16,423
MINNESOTA	425	9,242	488	13,215
MISSISSIPPI	183	2,574	22	294
MISSOURI	406	11,168	370	9,428
MONTANA	182	2,868		
NEBRASKA	364	6,200	364	8,900
NEVADA	52	1,000	56	950
NEW HAMPSHIRE	40	1,200	18	200
NEW JERSEY	310	9,710	89	2,005
NEW MEXICO	117	1,857	111	2,661
NEW YORK	539	17,748	650	16,414
NORTH CAROLINA	226	5,934	220	3,795
NORTH DAKOTA	210	2,721	36	789
OHIO	723	20,333	748	8,423
OKLAHOMA	330	3,960	176	2,112
OREGON	241	7,230	248	4,960
PENNSYLVANIA	452	13,500	347	8,740
RHODE ISLAND	28	869	34	763
SOUTH CAROLINA	167	3,815	143	2,067
SOUTH DAKOTA	202	4,136	47	1,203
TENNESSEE	184	5,704	187	3,553
TEXAS	1,117	44,910	795	37,225
UTAH	97	2,097	95	1,811
VERMONT	27	683		
VIRGINIA	263	7,091	114	1,992
WASHINGTON	307	7,162	333	7,956
WEST VIRGINIA	108	2,277	64	1,101
WISCONSIN	389	11,070	420	12,600
WYOMING	73	1,000	71	1,450

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Alaska	1	8
	Arizona	11	112
	Illinois	1	20
	New York	11	117
BADMINTON	Arizona	34	541
	California	*289	4,458
	Illinois	77	2,475
	Maryland	8	180
	Massachusetts		**13
	New York	61	934
	Alabama	1	**9
BASEBALL	California		**554
	Georgia	2	*5
	Mississippi	1	**4
	Nevada		**4
	West Virginia	1	**1
	Alabama	1	4
	Hawaii	30	309
BOWLING	Illinois	100	1,540
	Iowa	--	466
	Michigan	18	228
	Nevada	14	170
	New Jersey	112	1,212
	New York	190	2,254
	Pennsylvania	57	550
	South Carolina	8	65
	Hawaii	8	143
	Delaware	1	21
	West Virginia	1	10
	Alabama	2	2
DECATHLON DRILL TEAM	Alaska	4	120
	District of Columbia	5	125
	Kansas	*211	
	Maryland	13	660
	Massachusetts	1,690	
	Nevada	42	700
	Utah	92	1,996
	Kentucky	7	56
	New Jersey	21	309
	New York	9	152
	California		
	Mississippi	2	**7
FOOTBALL (11-man)	California		
	Mississippi	2	**7
	California		
	Florida	30	109
FOOTBALL (8-man)	Alaska		**1
	Massachusetts	10	48
HEPTATHLON	Hawaii	1	7
	Delaware	5	187
ICE HOCKEY	Maryland	35	1,579
	Massachusetts	18	734
	Michigan	1	30
	New Jersey	25	1,006
	New York	28	1,244
	Pennsylvania	49	1,585
	Alabama	3	6
	Arkansas	17	31
	New York		
			(Part of Track Count)
JUDO			
LACROSSE			
PENTATHLON			

SPORT	State	Schools	Participation
PENTATHLON (Cont.)	Tennessee	21	23
RIFLERY	Alaska	10	66
	Georgia	12	39
	Hawaii	7	51
	Kentucky	**17	**15
	Massachusetts	3	17
	New York	16	77
	Pennsylvania	47	380
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	36	232
	Maine	42	252
	Minnesota	65	861
	New Hampshire	32	400
	Vermont	18	143
	Wyoming	7	90
SQUASH			
WATER POLO	California	17	651
	Florida	14	143
	Hawaii	3	14
	Illinois	2	29
	Nevada	1	15
	Pennsylvania	11	225
	Utah	4	60
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	8	103
WRESTLING	California		**6
	Vermont	1	**2

NOTE: Due to a more sophisticated information gathering system, figures beginning with the 1979 National Federation Sports Participation Survey are generally lower than surveys of the previous four years. The main factors resulting in this decrease include the listing of United States schools only and the listing of senior high school participation only. Previous survey figures included some Canadian high school participation and some U.S. junior high school participation. No true comparisons can be made between the 1979 survey and surveys prior thereto.

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams

1984 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Compiled By

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1983-84 School Year

(See Note at End of Survey)

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	11	124	20	244
BADMINTON	*135	2,389	*382	7,361
BASEBALL	13,336	398,608	19	**137
BASKETBALL	16,869	497,277	16,366	390,678
BOWLING	584	6,937	540	6,449
CANOEING	7	144	13	119
CREW	7	209	2	43
CROSS COUNTRY	9,709	152,521	8,176	87,316
CURLING	2	12		
DECATHLON	110	286	19	35
FENCING	42	722	37	495
FIELD HOCKEY			1,509	49,188
FOOTBALL—11-man	13,304	922,753	3	**13
9-man	328	7,680		
8-man	527	12,578		
6-man	95	1,462		
GOLF	*9,074	103,196	*3,344	**24,851
GYMNASTICS	429	7,134	2,278	38,684
HEPTATHLON			26	135
ICE HOCKEY	806	23,137	10	**34
JUDO	12	179	1	5
LACROSSE	291	16,325	162	6,986
PENTATHLON			45	69
RIFLERY	*212	2,494	*102	611
SKIING (Cross Country)	146	1,727	148	1,664
(Downhill)	379	6,882	350	4,629
SOCCER	*4,882	173,423	*2,562	**69,374
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	3	35	7,831	194,270
(Slow Pitch)	20	381	1,672	32,100
SWIMMING & DIVING	*3,771	82,702	3,781	78,491
TENNIS	*8,644	118,539	*8,221	114,177
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,165	29,983	862	17,731
(Outdoor)	14,517	464,956	13,992	351,274
VOLLEYBALL	444	8,616	11,603	269,498
WATER POLO	308	7,634	41	475
WEIGHT LIFTING	150	4,254	7	210
WRESTLING	8,273	248,300		

*Includes some co-educational teams

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**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
SUMMARY
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TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,869	1. Football	944,473
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,517	2. Basketball	497,277
3. Football	14,254	3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	464,956
4. Baseball	13,336	4. Baseball	398,608
5. Cross Country	9,709	5. Wrestling	248,300
6. Golf	9,074	6. Soccer	173,423
7. Tennis	8,644	7. Cross Country	152,521
8. Wrestling	8,273	8. Tennis	118,539
9. Soccer	4,882	9. Golf	103,196
10. Swimming & Diving	3,771	10. Swimming & Diving	82,702

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,366	1. Basketball	390,678
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,992	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	351,274
3. Volleyball	11,603	3. Volleyball	269,498
4. Tennis	8,221	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	194,270
5. Cross Country	8,176	5. Tennis	114,177
6. Softball (Fast Pitch)	7,831	6. Cross Country	87,316
7. Swimming & Diving	3,781	7. Swimming & Diving	78,491
8. Golf	3,344	8. Soccer	69,374
9. Soccer	2,562	9. Field Hockey	49,188
10. Gymnastics	2,278	10. Gymnastics	38,684

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	354	6,686	417	9,016	84	669	389	17,345
ALASKA			73	1,393	55	546	11	841
ARIZONA	146	5,711	154	5,294	102	1,752	125	12,777
ARKANSAS	173	3,420	399	8,690	62	310	214	9,840
CALIFORNIA	900	31,723	948	32,735	733	14,690	807	76,912
COLORADO	189	5,859	259	10,360	134	2,680	191	11,460
CONNECTICUT	181	5,963	174	4,967	160	2,510	127	7,916
DELAWARE	39	1,351	39	1,275	31	507	35	2,409
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	13	350	15	480	9	225	14	725
FLORIDA	403	10,376	434	12,210	293	3,207	363	28,527
GEORGIA	338	8,947	358	11,060	204	2,704	331	25,410
HAWAII	51	1,530	53	1,494	48	784	47	3,604
IDAHO	53	1,493	125	3,584	43	659	108	5,912
ILLINOIS	645	22,773	796	26,178	419	7,957	581	52,534
INDIANA	391	12,228	396	13,722	384	5,732	318	21,664
IOWA	480	11,919	489	14,476	253	2,755	447	23,290
KANSAS	67	2,087	371	9,684	219	2,402	286	12,156
KENTUCKY	261	3,915	284	5,575	269	1,883	197	5,870
LOUISIANA	294	7,360	420	11,636	137	1,520	287	12,825
MAINE	132	2,508	136	4,760	125	1,125	61	2,440
MARYLAND	152	4,808	153	4,564	126	2,155	142	11,040
MASSACHUSETTS	316	12,061	318	11,734	274	5,623	255	19,077
MICHIGAN	635	21,987	702	23,481	489	8,802	634	47,870
MINNESOTA	379	9,772	474	12,396	222	5,936	381	20,018
MISSISSIPPI	218	4,586	260	5,061	40	411	236	11,152
MISSOURI	364	9,708	558	17,439	217	4,056	328	22,140
MONTANA			182	4,690	75	955	85	4,987
NEBRASKA	28	985	367	7,600	135	1,215	208	9,843
NEVADA	44	1,207	59	1,970	31	740	49	3,610
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,475	83	2,600	50	1,225	32	1,776
NEW JERSEY	373	16,530	384	13,219	347	5,816	345	27,215
NEW MEXICO	68	2,186	124	3,548	68	1,174	86	4,833
NEW YORK	740	25,203	754	23,619	543	10,368	571	41,523
NORTH CAROLINA	325	9,165	333	9,983	170	2,813	320	22,648
NORTH DAKOTA	37	628	237	4,945	39	473	56	2,968
OHIO	761	21,556	790	18,088	635	9,222	721	35,741
OKLAHOMA	402	8,040	489	10,758	97	1,164	275	12,925
OREGON	197	8,865	250	9,000	176	2,640	193	12,545
PENNSYLVANIA	571	17,869	640	19,031	422	7,604	561	41,095
RHODE ISLAND	44	1,141	44	1,073	37	600	40	1,869
SOUTH CAROLINA	202	4,482	204	6,471	59	876	200	16,699
SOUTH DAKOTA			202	5,299	123	1,076	70	3,988
TENNESSEE	325	7,800	350	9,800	138	966	303	19,848
TEXAS	734	25,472	1,140	35,090	539	7,298	1,030	103,952
UTAH	83	2,012	100	2,738	70	1,207	82	6,607
VERMONT	48	1,378	49	1,480	33	441	18	1,330
VIRGINIA	276	8,280	285	8,525	193	2,895	271	21,660
WASHINGTON	288	8,471	343	10,721	226	4,141	264	18,634
WEST VIRGINIA	152	3,032	161	4,796	62	842	147	8,368
WISCONSIN	381	12,710	422	17,050	284	4,580	402	30,525
WYOMING			72	1,919	25	590	60	1,880

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			106	786				
ALASKA							12	381
ARIZONA	20	570	76	937	2	29		
ARKANSAS			94	565	5	20		
CALIFORNIA	53	1,258	489	5,947	25	476		
COLORADO	34	850	100	1,200	24	600	9	126
CONNECTICUT			168	2,053			49	1,127
DELAWARE			24	254	2	21		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA			271	2,170	1	1		
GEORGIA			232	2,047	5	52		
HAWAII			43	291	3	23		
IDAHO	11	322	*51	767				
ILLINOIS			382	6,932	64	2,044	5	123
INDIANA			352	4,380				
IOWA			365	4,790				
KANSAS	83	3,030	181	2,693	7	110		
KENTUCKY			156	1,092	14	112		
LOUISIANA			45	180	4	40		
MAINE			50	450			17	340
MARYLAND			98	874	13	162		
MASSACHUSETTS			210	2,791	24	367	196	7,355
MICHIGAN			440	4,520	15	225	95	1,995
MINNESOTA			268	3,783	29	464	157	4,818
MISSISSIPPI			66	479				
MISSOURI	4	83	196	2,594				
MONTANA	51	1,956	46	515	12	160		
NEBRASKA	143	2,215	158	2,143	20	181		
NEVADA	7	105	29	362				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			32	333	5	55	22	688
NEW JERSEY			272	3,155	19	342	33	900
NEW MEXICO			45	568	14	108		
NEW YORK			455	5,501	48	790	80	2,055
NORTH CAROLINA			224	2,561				
NORTH DAKOTA			69	813			13	476
OHIO			612	7,443	27	162	40	808
OKLAHOMA	46	910	140	1,260				
OREGON	41	615	112	896				
PENNSYLVANIA			380	4,186	15	235		
RHODE ISLAND			36	373			28	646
SOUTH CAROLINA			119	1,173				
SOUTH DAKOTA			37	581				
TENNESSEE			182	2,002				
TEXAS			850	6,042				
UTAH			56	781				
VERMONT			25	256			16	329
VIRGINIA			193	1,930	21	210		
WASHINGTON	34	664	179	1,994	6	85		
WEST VIRGINIA			78	772				
WISCONSIN			260	4,745			34	970
WYOMING			22	236	5	40		

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			35	992	26	234	117	1,020
ALASKA			6	258	17	289	6	122
ARIZONA			38	1,168	41	876	84	1,408
ARKANSAS			7	165	17	255	118	945
CALIFORNIA	22	413	647	21,520	501	11,718	696	12,691
COLORADO	8	96	67	1,675	82	2,460	92	1,656
CONNECTICUT			159	6,034	81	1,794	136	1,624
DELAWARE			30	1,332	15	307	30	434
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			5	125	7	250	11	165
FLORIDA			267	7,432	213	2,996	292	2,627
GEORGIA			131	4,069	56	673	316	3,190
HAWAII			39	866	32	324	46	324
IDAHO							*44	623
ILLINOIS			206	10,682	189	6,479	296	6,351
INDIANA					169	4,045	279	4,546
IOWA					58	1,180	113	1,516
KANSAS			24	894	32	662	120	1,823
KENTUCKY			*61	549	64	640	198	1,188
LOUISIANA			30	420	34	360	156	1,010
MAINE					30	450	61	671
MARYLAND	35	420	101	3,030	30	450	61	671
MASSACHUSETTS			142	5,215	35	674	123	1,629
MICHIGAN	46	960	251	10,603	91	1,618	214	2,876
MINNESOTA	73	1,024	134	3,875	227	5,223	348	4,872
MISSISSIPPI	40	995	66	3,761	115	2,434	144	2,944
MISSOURI			26	669			110	947
MONTANA			88	3,435	52	1,419	154	2,598
NEBRASKA					15	195	31	465
NEVADA					33	428		
NEW HAMPSHIRE	12	293	20	790	21	693	23	240
NEW JERSEY	34	566	62	2,222			35	341
NEW MEXICO	15	313	340	15,569	122	2,253	310	4,564
NEW YORK			24	685	21	350	44	512
NORTH CAROLINA	74	1,521	558	24,080	264	6,338	518	8,170
NORTH DAKOTA			99	2,763	46	611	240	3,192
OHIO					10	185	18	298
OKLAHOMA			237	7,699	185	2,836	438	6,707
OREGON					46	588	109	1,114
PENNSYLVANIA			85	2,550	72	1,080	102	816
RHODE ISLAND			253	8,456	196	4,449	336	4,980
SOUTH CAROLINA			41	1,410	13	302	33	477
SOUTH DAKOTA			69	2,049			113	1,252
TENNESSEE							17	306
TEXAS							199	3,582
UTAH			146	3,682	244	7,762	1,024	10,675
VERMONT			50	1,409	40	813	69	872
VIRGINIA	20	281	45	1,449			15	198
WASHINGTON			134	3,350	41	820	222	2,220
WEST VIRGINIA			123	3,829	94	2,226	203	3,294
WISCONSIN			17	312	1	23	71	704
WYOMING			60	2,350	99	2,860	158	3,640
					25	550	12	120

STATE	Track & Field		Track & Field		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	77	931	214	3,698	11	135	48	1,014
ALASKA			30	683			45	929
ARIZONA			139	4,778			96	4,589
ARKANSAS			290	5,840				
CALIFORNIA			812	34,474	126	2,941	575	18,487
COLORADO			262	10,480			200	7,600
CONNECTICUT	67	1,707	169	6,425			76	2,287
DELAWARE	10	242	28	1,177			35	1,220
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	12	501	12	682			5	125
FLORIDA			350	9,277			217	5,956
GEORGIA			333	9,192	2	27	170	5,052
HAWAII			50	1,824	40	624	36	963
IDAHO			123	3,321			78	2,207
ILLINOIS	1	35	669	27,080			401	17,192
INDIANA			386	12,740			312	9,684
IOWA			481	13,115			329	8,832
KANSAS			372	9,524			154	4,528
KENTUCKY			238	3,585			50	600
LOUISIANA	71	650	357	7,652			43	560
MAINE	35	630	111	3,441			44	732
MARYLAND	95	2,197	141	5,426			115	3,241
MASSACHUSETTS	138	4,951	240	10,245			119	3,195
MICHIGAN			652	24,742	17	340	432	12,844
MINNESOTA			420	11,209			341	7,690
MISSISSIPPI			200	3,785	3	4	1	14
MISSOURI			424	14,560			159	6,218
MONTANA			182	3,400			84	2,513
NEBRASKA			367	9,376			197	3,402
NEVADA			58	1,672			37	1,230
NEW HAMPSHIRE	20	380	45	1,987			16	458
NEW JERSEY	189	5,292	344	14,010			322	10,995
NEW MEXICO			118	3,539			46	1,438
NEW YORK	230	6,915	589	22,882	81	1,599	516	17,561
NORTH CAROLINA	41	441	280	10,957			209	6,052
NORTH DAKOTA			199	2,976			65	1,376
OHIO			757	26,961			565	17,654
OKLAHOMA			330	4,950	52	468	141	1,682
OREGON			238	11,900			166	4,158
PENNSYLVANIA	55	1,650	502	19,970	84	1,438	489	15,908
RHODE ISLAND	18	815	38	1,610			30	948
SOUTH CAROLINA			176	6,001			73	2,271
SOUTH DAKOTA			201	4,880			99	2,318
TENNESSEE			200	5,200			105	2,947
TEXAS			1,116	30,588				
UTAH			96	3,482			89	3,174
VERMONT	4	96	27	763			13	281
VIRGINIA	102	2,550	270	5,450			188	4,708
WASHINGTON			320	8,879			237	7,116
WEST VIRGINIA			104	2,648			80	1,558
WISCONSIN			385	15,070	28	1,040	361	11,290
WYOMING			71	1,850			54	1,286

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	New York	11	124
	California	*121	2,290
BADMINTON	New York	14	99
	Alabama	1	15
	Hawaii	34	344
	Illinois	2	42
	Michigan	6	75
	Nevada	12	280
	New Jersey	172	1,957
	New York	291	3,540
	Pennsylvania	55	579
	South Carolina	8	80
BOWLING	Vermont	3	25
	Hawaii	7	144
	Delaware	1	60
	Michigan	5	125
	West Virginia	1	24
CANOEING	North Dakota	2	12
	Alabama	19	64
CREW	Arkansas	29	52
	Florida	40	144
CURLING	Tennessee	22	26
	Illinois	2	77
DECATHLON	Kentucky	5	25
	New Jersey	21	354
FENCING	New York	14	266
	Minnesota	122	2,714
FOOTBALL (9-man)	North Dakota	91	2,212
	South Dakota	115	2,754
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Montana	7	110
	Nebraska	14	168
HOCKEY	Texas	74	1,184
	Hawaii	12	179
LACROSSE	Delaware	1	40
	Maryland	66	2,953
	Massachusetts	28	1,658
	Michigan	7	208
	New Hampshire	1	22
	New Jersey	24	1,517
	New York	161	9,852
	Virginia	3	75
	Alaska	11	203
	Georgia	52	417
RIFLE	Hawaii	9	127
	Kentucky	**17	42
ROCKING (Cross Country)	Massachusetts	5	59
	Michigan	1	4
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	New York	67	954
	Pennsylvania	50	587
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Alaska	27	319
	Maine	42	252
	Minnesota	61	976
	Vermont	16	180
	Massachusetts	3	35
	Alabama	5	93
	Georgia	13	242
	Mississippi	2	46

ORT	State	Schools	Participants
ATER POLO	California	257	6,768
	Florida	18	232
	Hawaii	6	90
	Illinois	7	207
	Michigan	8	158
	Nevada	1	14
EIGHT LIFTING	Pennsylvania	11	165
	Florida	99	2,148
	Georgia	37	1,771
	South Carolina	14	335

*Includes some co-educational teams

*Includes some girls playing on boys' teams

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	323	3,849	45	386			19	88
ALASKA	73	1,172	55	418				
ARIZONA	154	3,779	91	1,030			30	100
ARKANSAS	395	5,900	33	165			12	22
CALIFORNIA	897	20,505	679	8,149	71	1,998	40	123
COLORADO	257	8,995	124	1,860				
CONNECTICUT	175	3,646	141	1,790	49	1,127		
DELAWARE	36	927	25	272	32	1,130	5	9
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	17	465	7	105				
FLORIDA	388	6,810	272	2,361			104	481
GEORGIA	356	9,085	161	1,422			30	89
HAWAII	56	1,256	40	643			16	23
IDAHO	125	2,674	38	355			*51	767
ILLINOIS	700	18,211	291	3,483	13	466	138	949
INDIANA	393	9,639	223	2,226			138	1,291
IOWA	491	14,146	185	1,571			338	3,261
KANSAS	358	7,296	195	1,172			38	340
KENTUCKY	275	5,380	269	1,800			120	840
LOUISIANA	368	8,088	104	620			12	60
MAINE	137	4,110	125	1,000	85	1,870	**30	
MARYLAND	153	3,529	97	993	102	3,235	14	23
MASSACHUSETTS	300	9,346	227	2,594	199	7,435	48	236
MICHIGAN	697	19,182	396	4,867	11	443	149	1,043
MINNESOTA	469	10,459	212	2,189			212	1,810
MISSISSIPPI	257	4,176	30	157			8	15
MISSOURI	531	13,542	166	1,846	22	820	58	547
MONTANA	182	4,075	55	608			44	530
NEBRASKA	364	5,187	128	614			50	397
NEVADA	57	1,340	28	380			22	143
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,600	40	988	52	1,155		
NEW JERSEY	375	8,877	274	3,397	204	7,826	**60	
NEW MEXICO	122	2,866	64	594			35	130
NEW YORK	711	17,557	401	5,316	265	9,158	82	567
NORTH CAROLINA	333	6,325	110	877			6	50
NORTH DAKOTA	236	4,036	30	203			31	189
OHIO	796	16,724	494	4,352	29	815	27	243
OKLAHOMA	489	10,264	92	736			80	720
OREGON	246	6,150	177	2,655			68	408
PENNSYLVANIA	641	16,918	372	5,120	250	7,855	179	1,992
RHODE ISLAND	35	963	34	508	19	569		
SOUTH CAROLINA	204	4,656	42	345	1	55		
SOUTH DAKOTA	201	4,525	116	650			34	445
TENNESSEE	350	9,800	127	889			64	122
TEXAS	1,140	35,090	539	7,190			850	6,042
UTAH	88	1,661	60	589				
VERMONT	50	1,206	28	288	37	1,188	11	23
VIRGINIA	285	6,349	165	1,458	68	2,043		
WASHINGTON	341	8,687	220	2,756			70	340
WEST VIRGINIA	158	2,651	62	269			11	19
WISCONSIN	416	13,200	266	2,755			78	259
WYOMING	72	1,794	21	350			22	25

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	19	185			11	189		
ALASKA	13	202			6	250		
ARIZONA	12	169					116	3,292
ARKANSAS	28	290						
CALIFORNIA	139	2,678	21	304	391	8,544	870	21,758
COLORADO	95	2,375	7	84	62	1,550		
CONNECTICUT	53	822			89	2,281	150	4,410
DELAWARE	3	43					34	850
DIST. OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA	12	112			115	2,207		
GEORGIA	35	515			67	1,052		
HAWAII	4	40			35	644	49	772
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	109	2,431			27	939	502	12,495
INDIANA	138	2,478					99	2,123
IOWA							483	7,888
KANSAS	21	267					31	859
KENTUCKY	21	168			*61	549		
LOUISIANA	14	130			12	168	218	3,924
MAINE	42	756	35	420	43	946	132	2,376
MARYLAND	22	365			43	1,124	143	3,492
MASSACHUSETTS	104	1,629	40	638	166	5,169	305	9,478
MICHIGAN	108	1,960	68	721	73	1,650	617	16,140
MINNESOTA	152	2,512	41	481	55	1,917	254	7,110
MISSISSIPPI					12	43		
MISSOURI	13	232			48	1,328	282	5,668
MONTANA	14	276						
NEBRASKA	23	229						
NEVADA			12	174			37	970
NEW HAMPSHIRE			34	444	22	444	84	2,110
NEW JERSEY	106	1,559	5	195	153	5,128	359	12,871
NEW MEXICO	14	146			16	376	34	874
NEW YORK	199	3,718	67	982	464	16,722	725	20,643
NORTH CAROLINA	8	86						
NORTH DAKOTA	23	170						
OHIO	139	1,741			89	2,511	525	12,143
OKLAHOMA							212	3,180
OREGON	45	690			66	1,650	128	3,840
PENNSYLVANIA	99	1,975			49	1,180	522	12,975
RHODE ISLAND	21	294			7	219		
SOUTH CAROLINA					7	116	148	2,731
SOUTH DAKOTA	34	655						
TENNESSEE							218	4,154
TEXAS					146	3,682		
UTAH	33	604						
VERMONT	11	126	20	186	28	722	49	1,245
VIRGINIA	111	1,389			55	1,666	200	3,976
WASHINGTON	74	1,332			101	2,546		
WEST VIRGINIA					4	**7	54	948
WISCONSIN	141	3,010			39	1,755	251	8,975
WYOMING	25	225						

STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	117	1,819	22	220	107	871	57	553
ALASKA			17	300	6	142		
ARIZONA			47	1,009	95	1,622		
ARKANSAS	60	750	17	255	111	885		
CALIFORNIA			518	12,691	712	12,519		
COLORADO			84	2,520	101	1,818		
CONNECTICUT			65	1,630	117	2,456	41	932
DELAWARE			16	344	29	413	7	153
DIST. OF COLUMBIA			7	150	11	110	7	140
FLORIDA	379	7,162	205	2,913	283	2,479		
GEORGIA	205	3,673	55	638	309	2,673		
HAWAII			37	415	51	604		
IDAHO					*44	623		
ILLINOIS			199	5,473	285	5,949	1	40
INDIANA			178	3,672	270	4,630		
IOWA			58	1,154	114	2,456		
KANSAS			35	795	106	1,707		
KENTUCKY	163	2,445	57	570	193	1,158		
LOUISIANA			31	290	141	912		
MAINE			30	450	60	540	35	420
MARYLAND			35	783	103	1,347	92	1,680
MASSACHUSETTS			95	2,150	222	3,281	119	2,801
MICHIGAN			214	4,257	295	4,130		
MINNESOTA			126	3,157	170	3,258		
MISSISSIPPI	59	1,091			110	822		
MISSOURI			49	1,377	129	2,142		
MONTANA			15	175	31	450		
NEBRASKA			33	520				
NEVADA			21	434	22	240		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					33	321	15	257
NEW JERSEY			112	2,310	295	4,118	146	2,919
NEW MEXICO			19	407	45	515		
NEW YORK			248	6,320	435	6,909	193	4,522
NORTH CAROLINA	325	6,908	44	583	212	2,663	11	241
NORTH DAKOTA			12	238	19	374		
OHIO			209	2,977	339	4,693		
OKLAHOMA	108	1,620	42	504	107	1,241		
OREGON			72	1,080	114	912		
PENNSYLVANIA			205	4,480	327	4,998	46	1,150
RHODE ISLAND	45	997			30	562		
SOUTH CAROLINA					85	930		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	235		
TENNESSEE					193	3,474		
TEXAS			244	3,881	1,024	10,675		
UTAH			40	628	61	732		
VERMONT					16	252		
VIRGINIA			39	893	193	2,554	92	1,923
WASHINGTON	211	5,635	94	2,173	212	3,418		
WEST VIRGINIA			1	20	68	744		
WISCONSIN			109	3,080	158	3,480		
WYOMING			25	575	12	120		

STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	168	1,983	240	3,301
ALASKA	30	532	58	1,023
ARIZONA	131	3,294	150	4,267
ARKANSAS	283	2,830	75	900
CALIFORNIA	797	19,075	898	21,745
COLORADO	247	9,880	255	6,425
CONNECTICUT	144	4,312	111	2,324
DELAWARE	26	829	26	612
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	10	200	12	180
FLORIDA	326	6,174	382	7,156
GEORGIA	302	6,536	27	457
HAWAII	50	1,039	55	1,091
IDAHO	123	2,507	120	2,799
ILLINOIS	647	18,379	749	20,316
INDIANA	380	10,526	395	9,600
IOWA	489	10,555	334	1,908
KANSAS	370	6,549	352	8,331
KENTUCKY	237	2,370	62	744
LOUISIANA	325	6,860	157	1,884
MAINE	111	2,442		
MARYLAND	135	3,424	143	2,985
MASSACHUSETTS	233	8,491	124	2,975
MICHIGAN	642	24,122	607	16,441
MINNESOTA	416	9,219	478	13,237
MISSISSIPPI	192	2,832	23	374
MISSOURI	413	11,059	374	9,350
MONTANA	182	2,905	55	1,400
NEBRASKA	367	6,596	366	8,165
NEVADA	56	1,290	56	963
NEW HAMPSHIRE	40	1,335	21	210
NEW JERSEY	306	9,614	90	1,945
NEW MEXICO	117	2,606	113	2,679
NEW YORK	539	17,748	650	16,414
NORTH CAROLINA	230	5,934	223	3,866
NORTH DAKOTA	206	2,540	35	855
OHIO	733	20,382	750	16,684
OKLAHOMA	331	3,972	180	2,160
OREGON	239	7,170	248	4,960
PENNSYLVANIA	455	13,600	349	8,795
RHODE ISLAND	27	852	35	615
SOUTH CAROLINA	167	3,844	145	2,016
SOUTH DAKOTA	201	4,072	49	1,239
TENNESSEE	198	6,138	175	3,325
TEXAS	1,116	30,588	763	22,182
UTAH	96	2,261	98	1,996
VERMONT	28	635		
VIRGINIA	257	7,139	117	2,309
WASHINGTON	312	6,860	337	8,386
WEST VIRGINIA	104	2,009	49	1,004
WISCONSIN	387	13,315	420	15,230
WYOMING	71	1,850	72	1,675

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	9	127
	New York	11	117
BADMINTON	Arizona	31	579
	California	*201	3,552
	Illinois	82	2,128
	Maryland	7	168
	New York	61	934
BASEBALL	Alabama	1	**9
	California		**4
	Georgia	3	**9
	Massachusetts	6	53
	Mississippi	8	61
	South Carolina	1	**1
	Alabama	1	4
BOWLING	Hawaii	35	316
	Illinois	100	1,540
	Iowa	--	466
	Michigan	9	109
	New Jersey	138	1,140
	New York	190	2,254
	Pennsylvania	56	545
	South Carolina	8	57
	Vermont	3	18
	Hawaii	13	119
CANOEING CREW	Delaware	1	29
	West Virginia	1	14
DECATHLON	Alabama	2	2
	Arkansas	17	33
FENCING	Kentucky	7	35
	New Jersey	21	308
	New York	9	152
FOOTBALL (11-man)	California		**3
	Mississippi	3	**10
HEPTATHLON	Florida	26	135
ICE HOCKEY	Massachusetts	10	**34
JUDO	Hawaii	1	5
LACROSSE	Delaware	4	172
	Maryland	35	1,697
	Massachusetts	18	826
	Michigan	1	30
	New Jersey	24	1,321
	New York	28	1,244
	Pennsylvania	51	1,655
	Virginia	1	41
	Alabama	7	15
	Arkansas	17	31
PENTATHLON	Tennessee	21	23
	Georgia	-10	18
RIFLERY	Hawaii	8	73
	Kentucky	*17	42
	Massachusetts	4	25
	New York	16	77
	Pennsylvania	47	376
	Alaska	25	226
	Maine	42	252
SKIING (Cross Country)	Minnesota	63	1,021
	Vermont	18	165

SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
WATER POLO	California	20	272
	Florida	16	172
	Hawaii	4	14
	Nevada	1	17
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	7	210

NOTE: Due to a more sophisticated information gathering system, figures beginning with the 1979 National Federation Sports Participation Survey are generally lower than surveys of the previous four years. The main factors resulting in this decrease include the listing of United States schools only and the listing of senior high school participation only. Previous survey figures included some Canadian high school participation and some U.S. junior high school participation. No true comparisons can be made between the 1979 survey and surveys prior thereto.

*Co-educational

**Represents girls playing on boys' teams

1985 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1984-85 School Year

(See Note at End of Survey)

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	6	83	16	216
BADMINTON	*128	2,334	*373	7,304
BASEBALL	14,041	391,810	8	**145
BASKETBALL	17,799	493,806	17,047	389,230
BOWLING	614	7,351	530	5,662
CANOEING	7	263	13	144
CREW*	5	125	3	164
CROSS COUNTRY	9,776	155,550	8,458	94,879
DECATHLON	111	275		
EQUESTRIAN	13	130	13	130
FENCING	37	866	22	340
FIELD HOCKEY			1,765	50,313
FOOTBALL—11-man	13,908	984,712	1	**8
9-man	318	7,448		
8-man	530	12,726		
6-man	111	1,789		
GOLF	9,180	107,155	3,352	23,912
GYMNASTICS	397	6,377	2,159	35,440
HEPTATHLON			35	128
ICE HOCKEY	837	23,109	15	**38
JUDO	12	184	2	5
LACROSSE	488	14,901	188	7,021
PENTATHLON			46	77
RIFLERY	199	2,418	86	679
SKIING (Cross Country)	117	1,690	123	1,603
(Downhill)	421	7,037	393	5,152
SOCCER	*5,747	180,281	*3,180	75,944
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	39	553	8,507	208,177
(Slow Pitch)	23	400	1,621	33,195
SWIMMING & DIVING	3,844	78,256	3,829	77,268
TENNIS	8,766	124,467	8,382	117,170
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,241	29,228	897	18,343
(Outdoor)	14,566	455,277	13,923	344,730
VOLLEYBALL	393	7,059	12,460	259,827
WATER POLO	304	7,689	32	424
WEIGHT LIFTING	154	4,337	7	210
WRESTLING	8,722	244,598	2	**6

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

SUMMARY

1984-85 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	17,799	1. Football	1,006,675
2. Football	14,867	2. Basketball	493,806
3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,566	3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	455,277
4. Baseball	14,041	4. Baseball	391,810
5. Cross Country	9,776	5. Wrestling	244,598
6. Golf	9,178	6. Soccer	180,281
7. Tennis	8,766	7. Cross Country	155,550
8. Wrestling	8,722	8. Tennis	124,467
9. Soccer	5,747	9. Golf	107,155
10. Swimming & Diving	3,844	10. Swimming & Diving	78,256

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	17,047	1. Basketball	389,230
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,923	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	344,730
3. Volleyball	12,460	3. Volleyball	259,827
4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	8,507	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	208,177
5. Cross Country	8,458	5. Tennis	117,170
6. Tennis	8,382	6. Cross Country	94,879
7. Swimming & Diving	3,829	7. Swimming & Diving	77,268
8. Golf	3,352	8. Soccer	75,944
9. Soccer	3,180	9. Field Hockey	50,313
10. Gymnastics	2,159	10. Gymnastics	35,440

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football		11-Man	STATE
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.		
ALABAMA	354	6,686	415	8,980	53	425	389	17,345		ALABAMA
ALASKA			74	1,325	62	577	10	635		ALASKA
ARIZONA	140	5,399	144	5,194	97	1,663	125	12,144		ARIZONA
ARKANSAS	195	3,900	388	9,312	68	340	214	10,700		ARKANSAS
CALIFORNIA	900	31,723	948	32,735	733	14,690	807	76,912		CALIFORNIA
COLORADO	199	6,169	261	10,440	137	2,740	190	11,400		COLORADO
CONNECTICUT	177	5,617	174	4,967	161	2,520	127	7,916		CONNECTICUT
DELAWARE	35	1,344	35	1,286	28	447	31	1,946		DELAWARE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	242	11	550	8	200	11	600		DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
FLORIDA	401	10,531	438	12,134	294	3,387	361	24,282		FLORIDA
GEORGIA	338	8,947	358	11,060	204	2,704	331	25,410		GEORGIA
HAWAII	51	1,530	53	1,250	48	1,427	47	3,604		HAWAII
IDAHO	52	1,390	126	3,615	48	684	102	5,847		IDAHO
ILLINOIS	639	23,474	724	26,620	386	7,966	575	50,243		ILLINOIS
INDIANA	382	11,886	385	13,226	372	5,530	307	21,348		INDIANA
IOWA	482	11,919	488	14,476	251	2,755	449	23,290		IOWA
KANSAS	67	2,009	370	10,079	184	2,245	268	12,060		KANSAS
KENTUCKY	261	3,915	284	5,680	269	1,883	198	6,930		KENTUCKY
LOUISIANA	298	7,455	418	11,596	142	1,550	289	7,210		LOUISIANA
MAINE	132	2,732	141	4,230	125	1,250	60	2,520		MAINE
MARYLAND	153	4,857	153	5,122	132	2,713	144	11,130		MARYLAND
MASSACHUSETTS	319	11,860	324	11,389	264	4,635	265	18,971		MASSACHUSETTS
MICHIGAN	636	20,988	701	21,731	510	9,180	630	47,566		MICHIGAN
MINNESOTA	383	9,394	493	12,479	236	3,520	378	20,029		MINNESOTA
MISSISSIPPI	218	5,615	260	5,007	40	448	236	11,482		MISSISSIPPI
MISSOURI	381	10,123	552	16,738	217	4,224	325	22,200		MISSOURI
MONTANA			182	4,690	75	955	85	4,897		MONTANA
NEBRASKA	25	1,012	360	7,051	126	1,231	212	10,111		NEBRASKA
NEVADA	43	1,204	60	2,143	32	870	49	4,103		NEVADA
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,501	83	2,613	50	1,235	32	1,775		NEW HAMPSHIRE
NEW JERSEY	381	15,153	387	12,934	279	6,234	345	24,936		NEW JERSEY
NEW MEXICO	68	2,186	124	3,548	68	1,174	86	4,833		NEW MEXICO
NEW YORK	1,435	24,286	1,770	23,272	725	9,327	1,209	39,239		NEW YORK
NORTH CAROLINA	307	9,360	335	10,306	178	2,576	325	22,366		NORTH CAROLINA
NORTH DAKOTA	37	657	239	4,877	38	389	60	3,003		NORTH DAKOTA
OHIO	766	21,516	791	18,772	645	9,545	718	36,727		OHIO
OKLAHOMA	401	8,076	489	10,832	99	1,188	277	9,972		OKLAHOMA
OREGON	200	9,000	249	8,964	172	2,580	193	12,545		OREGON
PENNSYLVANIA	568	17,779	641	19,047	421	7,590	558	40,995		PENNSYLVANIA
RHODE ISLAND	45	1,154	44	1,095	39	674	40	1,686		RHODE ISLAND
SOUTH CAROLINA	195	4,551	203	6,345	61	853	199	15,392		SOUTH CAROLINA
SOUTH DAKOTA			199	5,278	110	1,129	69	3,900		SOUTH DAKOTA
TENNESSEE	306	7,344	335	9,380	147	1,029	298	19,520		TENNESSEE
TEXAS	738	22,616	1,140	37,758	539	13,027	1,030	189,061		TEXAS
UTAH	86	2,196	103	2,998	74	1,320	83	6,775		UTAH
VERMONT	61	1,715	62	1,861	39	524	18	1,293		VERMONT
VIRGINIA	276	8,280	284	8,495	193	2,895	270	21,600		VIRGINIA
WASHINGTON	287	8,741	344	9,349	231	4,182	276	19,439		WASHINGTON
WEST VIRGINIA	145	3,057	164	4,843	55	715	147	7,335		WEST VIRGINIA
WISCONSIN	384	9,721	421	14,184	286	4,155	399	27,622		WISCONSIN
WYOMING			72	1,950	25	450	61	1,868		WYOMING

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			106	786				
ALASKA								
ARIZONA	20	510	78	850			15	373
ARKANSAS			65	510				
CALIFORNIA	53	1,258	489	5,947	25	476		
COLORADO	33	825	98	1,176	21	525	9	126
CONNECTICUT			147	1,788			49	1,127
DELAWARE			21	211	2	31		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA			281	2,212	1	5		
GEORGIA			232	2,047	5	52		
HAWAII			43	314	3	63		
IDAHO	14	384	*24	376				
ILLINOIS			373	6,923	76	1,776	8	210
INDIANA			337	4,175				
IOWA			361	4,790				
KANSAS	101	3,030	178	2,724	8	109		
KENTUCKY			157	1,099				
LOUISIANA			47	195	4	36		
MAINE			59	413				
MARYLAND			103	890	17	110	26	520
MASSACHUSETTS			214	2,911	21	358	206	7,301
MICHIGAN			443	4,595	13	234	93	2,046
MINNESOTA			285	3,969	16	347	151	4,838
MISSISSIPPI			66	535				
MISSOURI	4	80	199	2,912				
MONTANA	51	1,956	46	515	10	150		
NEBRASKA	132	2,298	148	2,022	18	160		
NEVADA	7	137	29	372				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			32	335				
NEW JERSEY			271	3,165	21	464	22	690
NEW MEXICO			45	568	14	108	37	952
NEW YORK			539	5,993	48	756	86	1,786
NORTH CAROLINA			238	2,739				
NORTH DAKOTA			68	794				
OHIO			620	7,605	37	266	13	432
OKLAHOMA	43	946	152	1,368			38	804
OREGON	35	525	118	944				
PENNSYLVANIA			376	4,146	14	105		
RHODE ISLAND			34	373				
SOUTH CAROLINA			112	1,129			28	675
SOUTH DAKOTA			50	600				
TENNESSEE			182	2,002				
TEXAS			890	9,378				
UTAH			64	820				
VERMONT			32	351	1	4	21	444
VIRGINIA			191	1,910	21	210		
WASHINGTON	37	777	174	2,384	1	32		
WEST VIRGINIA			79	714				
WISCONSIN			259	4,290			35	785
WYOMING			25	290				

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		STATE
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	
ALABAMA			35	992	26	234	117	1,020	ALABAMA
ALASKA			4	191	16	268	5	83	ALASKA
ARIZONA			47	1,426	42	1,426	91	1,380	ARIZONA
ARKANSAS					14	215	114	920	ARKANSAS
CALIFORNIA	22	413	647	21,520	501	11,718	696	12,691	CALIFORNIA
COLORADO	9	108	71	2,130	80	2,400	90	1,620	COLORADO
CONNECTICUT			158	6,034	81	1,794	140	1,802	CONNECTICUT
DELAWARE			28	1,228	13	236	26	387	DELAWARE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			6	150	10	300	11	170	DISTRICT OF
FLORIDA			*276	7,933	213	3,295	303	2,877	FLORIDA
GEORGIA			131	4,069	56	673	316	3,190	GEORGIA
HAWAII			39	728	32	318	46	719	HAWAII
IDAHO							*20	624	IDAHO
ILLINOIS			199	10,355	186	5,641	287	6,300	ILLINOIS
INDIANA					171	3,833	274	4,420	INDIANA
IOWA					63	1,180	118	1,516	IOWA
KANSAS			28	845	31	763	118	1,944	KANSAS
KENTUCKY			*32	788	68	680	198	1,584	KENTUCKY
LOUISIANA			35	482	36	372	162	1,028	LOUISIANA
MAINE	35	420	113	2,486	33	495	64	448	MAINE
MARYLAND			145	5,292	36	549	136	1,529	MARYLAND
MASSACHUSETTS	51	1,096	274	11,094	96	1,901	209	2,939	MASSACHUSETTS
MICHIGAN	77	924	161	4,669	226	5,218	350	4,885	MICHIGAN
MINNESOTA	42	824	69	3,851	120	2,477	160	3,071	MINNESOTA
MISSISSIPPI			26	725			110	868	MISSISSIPPI
MISSOURI			105	4,296	53	1,381	162	2,828	MISSOURI
MONTANA					15	195	31	465	MONTANA
NEBRASKA					31	463	44	589	NEBRASKA
NEVADA	12	321	21	840	21	672	23	243	NEVADA
NEW HAMPSHIRE	34	570	62	2,226			35	345	NEW HAMPSHIRE
NEW JERSEY	9	246	339	14,934	94	2,442	265	4,745	NEW JERSEY
NEW MEXICO			24	685	21	350	44	612	NEW MEXICO
NEW YORK	101	1,576	1,124	23,437	292	5,759	606	8,320	NEW YORK
NORTH CAROLINA			108	3,528	60	825	249	3,358	NORTH CAROLINA
NORTH DAKOTA					10	198	19	249	NORTH DAKOTA
OHIO			275	9,163	213	2,841	442	6,833	OHIO
OKLAHOMA			43	860	46	552	112	1,126	OKLAHOMA
OREGON			91	2,730	77	1,155	106	848	OREGON
PENNSYLVANIA			272	8,855	192	4,380	332	4,920	PENNSYLVANIA
RHODE ISLAND			40	1,245	13	304	33	394	RHODE ISLAND
SOUTH CAROLINA			83	2,428			110	1,330	SOUTH CAROLINA
SOUTH DAKOTA							19	337	SOUTH DAKOTA
TENNESSEE							188	3,384	TENNESSEE
TEXAS			156	6,640	244	3,852	1,024	14,829	TEXAS
UTAH			52	1,542	46	900	75	964	UTAH
VERMONT	22	384	59	2,010			19	263	VERMONT
VIRGINIA			134	3,350	41	820	222	2,220	VIRGINIA
WASHINGTON			144	4,560	97	2,398	206	3,420	WASHINGTON
WEST VIRGINIA			*18	355	2	36	71	704	WEST VIRGINIA
WISCONSIN			73	2,609	101	2,372	155	3,086	WISCONSIN
WYOMING	7	155			25	375	13	140	WYOMING

Pop.	STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
		Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
020	ALABAMA	77	931	214	3,698	11	135	48	1,014
83	ALASKA			28	638			58	1,015
380	ARIZONA			143	4,556			114	4,206
920	ARKANSAS	12	120	284	6,284				
691	CALIFORNIA			812	34,474	126	2,941	575	18,487
620	COLORADO			248	9,920			202	8,080
802	CONNECTICUT	67	1,707	161	5,752			76	2,287
387	DELAWARE	10	209	28	942			32	1,046
170	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	330	11	330			2	55
1,877	FLORIDA			349	9,307			217	5,999
1,190	GEORGIA			333	9,192	2	27	170	5,052
719	HAWAII			50	1,824	40	739	36	969
624	IDAHO			123	3,233			77	2,182
6,300	ILLINOIS			651	27,237			403	18,051
4,420	INDIANA			370	12,185			300	9,353
1,516	IOWA			480	13,115			331	8,832
1,944	KANSAS			368	9,443			170	4,302
1,584	KENTUCKY			245	3,675			48	576
1,028	LOUISIANA	68	612	355	7,641			48	605
448	MAINE	34	612	112	3,472			45	810
1,529	MARYLAND	96	2,607	139	4,982			137	3,838
2,939	MASSACHUSETTS	147	4,417	252	10,444			115	3,314
4,885	MICHIGAN			649	24,612			429	12,784
3,071	MINNESOTA			436	10,860			342	7,570
868	MISSISSIPPI			200	3,774	3	26	2	18
2,828	MISSOURI			419	14,582			157	6,292
465	MONTANA			182	3,400			84	2,513
589	NEBRASKA			361	8,831			201	3,485
243	NEVADA			60	1,682			36	1,211
345	NEW HAMPSHIRE	20	385	45	1,990			16	460
4,745	NEW JERSEY	150	4,139	325	12,456			319	10,363
512	NEW MEXICO			118	3,539			46	1,438
8,320	NEW YORK	260	6,271	689	20,283	124	1,741	929	15,784
3,358	NORTH CAROLINA	42	522	287	11,147			221	6,596
1,249	NORTH DAKOTA			210	2,896			66	1,190
6,833	OHIO	25	790	751	25,879			577	17,994
1,126	OKLAHOMA			332	4,980	8	90	140	1,680
848	OREGON			236	11,800			166	4,150
4,920	PENNSYLVANIA	98	2,510	498	19,900	78	1,350	486	15,815
394	RHODE ISLAND	19	809	37	1,388			30	965
1,330	SOUTH CAROLINA			179	5,389			75	2,089
337	SOUTH DAKOTA			197	4,673			99	2,288
3,384	TENNESSEE			196	6,076			75	1,950
14,829	TEXAS			1,116	32,105				
964	UTAH			100	3,605			86	2,973
263	VERMONT	5	57	31	1,085	1	10	16	325
2,220	VIRGINIA	100	2,200	270	9,450			188	4,700
3,420	WASHINGTON			323	9,760			240	8,043
704	WEST VIRGINIA			105	2,812			82	1,768
3,086	WISCONSIN			386	12,079			356	8,785
140	WYOMING			72	1,900			54	1,296

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	New York	6	83
	California	*121	2,290
BADMINTON	New York	7	44
	Alabama	1	15
BOWLING	Hawaii	34	660
	Illinois	7	182
	Michigan	6	70
	New Jersey	123	2,022
	New York	376	3,706
	Pennsylvania	57	590
	South Carolina	8	83
	Vermont	2	23
	Hawaii	7	263
	Michigan	5	125
CANOEING	Alabama	16	24
	Arkansas	26	52
CREW	Florida	41	154
	Tennessee	28	45
DECATHLON	Michigan	13	130
	Illinois	1	50
EQUESTRIAN	New Jersey	16	455
	New York	20	361
FENCING	Minnesota	104	2,355
	North Dakota	96	2,305
FOOTBALL (9-man)	South Dakota	118	2,788
	Montana	7	110
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Nebraska	19	380
	Texas	85	1,299
JUDO	Hawaii	12	184
	Delaware	2	47
LACROSSE	Maryland	61	2,586
	Massachusetts	29	1,821
RIFLERY	Michigan	7	208
	New Jersey	24	1,962
SKIING (Cross Country)	New York	362	8,206
	Virginia	3	71
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Alaska	8	119
	Georgia	52	417
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Hawaii	9	209
	Illinois	3	94
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Massachusetts	5	49
	Michigan	1	6
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	New York	70	835
	Pennsylvania	50	680
SKIING (Cross Country)	Vermont	1	9
	Alaska	24	288
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Minnesota	64	968
	Vermont	22	264
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Wyoming	7	170
	Missouri	27	403
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Washington	12	150
	Alabama	5	93
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Georgia	13	242
	Mississippi	5	65

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
WATER POLO	California	257	6,768
	Florida	17	251
	Illinois	11	350
	Michigan	8	158
	Nevada	1	14
	Pennsylvania	10	148
WEIGHT LIFTING	Florida	103	2,328
	Georgia	37	1,771
	South Carolina	14	238

* includes some co-educational teams

** includes some girls playing on boys' teams

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	322	3,835	45	386			19	88
ALASKA	74	1,192	60	466				
ARIZONA	155	3,790	94	1,010			29	151
ARKANSAS	388	5,820	32	224			13	22
CALIFORNIA	897	20,505	679	8,149	71	1,998	40	123
COLORADO	258	9,030	130	2,600				
CONNECTICUT	175	3,646	140	1,790	78	2,768		
DELAWARE	36	1,019	29	302	39	1,222		**3
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	10	200	8	120				
FLORIDA	385	6,730	260	2,314			125	591
GEORGIA	356	9,085	161	1,422			30	89
HAWAII	56	1,398	40	784			16	23
IDAHO	125	2,709	43	374			*24	375
ILLINOIS	689	18,465	293	4,095	13	359	141	907
INDIANA	393	9,734	237	2,236			136	1,287
IOWA	485	19,400	232	2,320			332	3,984
KANSAS	367	7,621	173	1,260			39	347
KENTUCKY	275	5,500	269	1,800			118	826
LOUISIANA	372	9,120	134	802			8	18
MAINE	141	3,948	125	1,000	79	1,659		
MARYLAND	153	4,406	120	1,684	110	3,493	42	66
MASSACHUSETTS	308	9,645	235	2,490	197	7,345	39	114
MICHIGAN	695	19,160	446	5,482	11	440	142	994
MINNESOTA	491	10,161	230	2,190			225	1,969
MISSISSIPPI	257	4,225	30	271			4	**6
MISSOURI	525	13,125	162	1,959	22	800	57	528
MONTANA	182	4,075	55	608			44	530
NEBRASKA	360	6,382	120	576			48	354
NEVADA	59	1,430	29	340			21	154
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,600	40	990	52	1,160		
NEW JERSEY	382	8,335	206	3,282	202	7,505		**133
NEW MEXICO	122	2,866	64	594			35	130
NEW YORK	1,384	17,178	534	5,517	483	8,895	72	458
NORTH CAROLINA	334	6,534	115	799				
NORTH DAKOTA	235	3,997	32	219			26	167
OHIO	796	16,794	544	4,539	28	814	20	174
OKLAHOMA	489	10,326	93	752			91	819
OREGON	244	6,100	171	2,565			79	474
PENNSYLVANIA	639	16,880	379	5,205	247	7,765	186	2,062
RHODE ISLAND	45	794	33	423	19	526		
SOUTH CAROLINA	203	4,550	45	381	1	54		
SOUTH DAKOTA	200	4,533	100	621			43	470
TENNESSEE	336	9,408	134	938			56	107
TEXAS	1,140	28,076	521	10,170			825	4,298
UTAH	92	1,801	64	657				
VERMONT	62	1,498	36	344	45	1,496	16	40
VIRGINIA	282	6,440	164	1,497	68	2,014		
WASHINGTON	346	9,349	228	2,940			111	281
WEST VIRGINIA	158	2,638	50	288			*20	26
WISCONSIN	415	11,377	273	2,754			75	639
WYOMING	71	1,800	21	350			5	85

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Fast Pitch	Particip.
ALABAMA	19	185			11	189		
ALASKA	7	133			4	179		
ARIZONA	11	177					123	3,488
ARKANSAS	24	295						
CALIFORNIA	139	2,678	21	304	391	8,544	870	21,758
COLORADO	88	2,200	9	108	65	1,950		
CONNECTICUT	53	822			90	2,281	177	4,510
DELAWARE	4	44				**3	29	872
DIST. OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA	9	70			116	2,479		
GEORGIA	35	515			67	1,052		
HAWAII	4	40			35	610	37	785
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	109	2,541			37	1,569	499	13,584
INDIANA	129	2,214					139	3,078
IOWA	42	630					471	18,840
KANSAS	22	263					34	929
KENTUCKY					*31	787		
LOUISIANA	12	124			15	230	228	4,029
MAINE	27	486	35	420	65	1,430	132	2,376
MARYLAND	27	349			90	1,764	150	3,510
MASSACHUSETTS	97	1,616	42	748	181	5,418	312	9,937
MICHIGAN	100	1,815	77	910	82	1,854	621	16,343
MINNESOTA	150	2,495	41	518	59	2,084	268	6,986
MISSISSIPPI					12	76		
MISSOURI	12	224			62	1,945	279	5,842
MONTANA	12	260						
NEBRASKA	23	203						
NEVADA			12	194			38	949
NEW HAMPSHIRE			34	448	22	450	84	2,125
NEW JERSEY	98	1,310	3	125	174	5,329	370	12,539
NEW MEXICO	14	146			16	376	34	874
NEW YORK	200	3,051	91	1,047	859	17,597	1,236	20,286
NORTH CAROLINA	11	117			4	47		
NORTH DAKOTA	24	167						
OHIO	128	1,691			115	3,038	556	13,421
OKLAHOMA					24	480	215	3,325
OREGON					67	1,675	130	3,900
PENNSYLVANIA	92	1,885			59	1,375	523	13,005
RHODE ISLAND	17	229			9	254		
SOUTH CAROLINA					11	133	155	2,962
SOUTH DAKOTA	34	618						
TENNESSEE							224	4,268
TEXAS					141	2,946		
UTAH	29	508						
VERMONT	16	184	21	190	41	1,013	63	1,677
VIRGINIA	103	1,374			54	1,725	191	3,814
WASHINGTON	73	1,351			124	3,352		
WEST VIRGINIA					*3	12	57	1,033
WISCONSIN	140	2,230			44	1,698	262	7,132
WYOMING	25	200	7	140				

STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	117	1,819	22	220	107	871	57	553
ALASKA			16	303	5	126		
ARIZONA			46	1,049	93	1,501		
ARKANSAS			16	250	108	845		
CALIFORNIA			518	12,691	712	12,519		
COLORADO			87	2,610	101	1,818		
CONNECTICUT			65	1,630	140	2,148	41	932
DELAWARE			16	387	27	383	11	205
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	198	10	100	11	88	7	140
FLORIDA	379	7,240	214	3,234	288	2,491		
GEORGIA	205	3,673	55	638	309	2,673		
HAWAII			37	342	49	724		
IDAHO					*19	623		
ILLINOIS			183	5,241	277	5,837		
INDIANA			173	2,546	268	4,484		
IOWA			58	1,740	108	1,080		
KANSAS			33	854	114	1,698		
KENTUCKY	187	3,927	66	660	196	1,568		
LOUISIANA			33	308	147	948		
MAINE			33	396	64	448		
MARYLAND			36	875	142	1,514	93	1,945
MASSACHUSETTS			97	2,224	217	3,253	125	2,937
MICHIGAN			210	4,200	305	4,270		
MINNESOTA			127	3,379	168	3,216		
MISSISSIPPI	59	1,184			110	788		
MISSOURI			50	1,456	131	2,168		
MONTANA			15	175	31	450		
NEBRASKA			31	521	47	712		
NEVADA			21	435	22	447		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					33	330	15	260
NEW JERSEY			88	2,317	248	4,092	113	2,746
NEW MEXICO			19	407	45	515		
NEW YORK			278	5,686	516	7,029	210	4,111
NORTH CAROLINA	291	7,121	58	865	212	2,537	36	256
NORTH DAKOTA			13	218	19	363		
OHIO			234	2,993	346	4,483	8	234
OKLAHOMA	112	1,680	42	483	109	1,253		
OREGON			77	1,155	114	912		
PENNSYLVANIA			199	4,360	331	5,078	85	1,900
RHODE ISLAND	44	730			30	547		
SOUTH CAROLINA					87	961		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	243		
TENNESSEE					185	3,330		
TEXAS			239	3,160	1,024	14,558		
UTAH			46	689	65	749		
VERMONT					19	298	4	32
VIRGINIA			35	966	206	2,352	92	2,092
WASHINGTON	216	5,623	97	2,309	213	3,612		
WEST VIRGINIA			2	31	75	791		
WISCONSIN			109	2,790	160	3,306		
WYOMING			25	375	13	140		

Field or Particip.	STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
		Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
553	ALABAMA	168	1,983	240	3,301
	ALASKA	29	532	66	915
	ARIZONA	135	3,160	154	4,180
	ARKANSAS	260	3,120	78	1,496
	CALIFORNIA	797	19,075	898	21,745
932	COLORADO	247	9,880	260	6,500
205	CONNECTICUT	146	4,724	111	2,337
140	DELAWARE	26	786	24	595
	DIST. OF COLUMBIA	9	180	11	242
	FLORIDA	328	6,150	374	7,089
	GEORGIA	302	6,536	27	457
	HAWAII	50	1,039	50	984
	IDAHO	123	2,358	121	2,918
	ILLINOIS	636	17,863	735	20,304
	INDIANA	376	10,311	393	9,703
	IOWA	463	18,520	384	7,680
	KANSAS	367	6,956	352	8,407
	KENTUCKY	241	3,615	62	744
	LOUISIANA	323	6,821	145	1,740
1,945	MAINE	34	476	112	2,464
2,937	MARYLAND	117	2,762	144	2,759
	MASSACHUSETTS	236	8,312	131	2,844
	MICHIGAN	642	24,347	614	16,631
	MINNESOTA	432	9,180	483	13,176
	MISSISSIPPI	192	2,676	23	322
	MISSOURI	410	10,882	371	9,152
	MONTANA	182	2,905	88	1,950
	NEBRASKA	361	5,363	361	8,633
	NEVADA	58	1,343	57	971
260	NEW HAMPSHIRE	40	1,340	21	220
2,746	NEW JERSEY	286	9,379	93	2,075
	NEW MEXICO	117	2,606	113	2,679
4,111	NEW YORK	626	16,820	1,264	16,189
256	NORTH CAROLINA	239	6,248	236	4,006
	NORTH DAKOTA	210	2,401	41	1,022
234	OHIO	753	20,790	756	17,152
	OKLAHOMA	334	3,996	126	1,200
	OREGON	238	7,140	246	4,920
1,900	PENNSYLVANIA	458	13,678	346	8,740
	RHODE ISLAND	25	693	36	640
	SOUTH CAROLINA	162	3,397	147	1,933
	SOUTH DAKOTA	197	3,974	55	1,231
	TENNESSEE	187	5,797	158	3,002
	TEXAS	1,100	21,921	830	5,573
	UTAH	98	2,378	100	2,079
32	VERMONT	32	909	1	6
2,092	VIRGINIA	255	7,261	121	2,373
	WASHINGTON	322	7,869	345	8,617
	WEST VIRGINIA	99	2,101	64	1,050
	WISCONSIN	383	10,527	420	13,181
	WYOMING	72	1,650	72	1,700

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants	SPORT
ARCHERY	Arizona	13	174	WRESTL
	New York	3	42	
BADMINTON	Arizona	30	548	
	California	*201	3,552	
	Illinois	76	2,133	
	Maryland	8	105	
	New York	58	966	
BASEBALL	Alabama	1	9	
	California		**4	
	Georgia	3	**9	
	Mississippi	4	**38	
	Texas		**85	
BOWLING	Alabama	1	4	
	Hawaii	35	344	
	Illinois	92	1,408	
	Michigan	11	118	
	New Jersey	93	1,095	
	New York	231	2,064	
	Pennsylvania	59	569	
	South Carolina	6	41	
	Vermont	2	19	
CANOEING	Hawaii	13	144	
CREW	Virginia	2	137	
	West Virginia	1	27	
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	13	130	
FENCING	New Jersey	22	340	
FOOTBALL (11-man)	California		**3	
	Mississippi	1	**5	
HEPTATHLON	Florida	35	128	
ICE HOCKEY	Massachusetts	13	**33	
	Vermont	2	**5	
JUDO	Hawaii	2	5	
LACROSSE	Delaware	6	204	
	Maryland	37	1,557	
	Massachusetts	15	767	
	Michigan	1	28	
	New Jersey	22	1,499	
	New York	52	1,176	
	Pennsylvania	52	1,675	
	Virginia	3	145	
PENTATHLON	Alabama	12	18	
	Arkansas	16	32	
	Tennessee	18	27	
RIFLERY	Alaska	7	40	
	Georgia	10	18	
	Hawaii	8	127	
	New York	14	122	
	Pennsylvania	46	370	
	Vermont	1	2	
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	26	234	
	Minnesota	66	981	
	Vermont	24	238	
	Wyoming	7	150	
WATER POLO	California	20	272	
	Florida	11	135	
	Nevada	1	17	
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	7	210	

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State	Schools	Participating
California		**1
Vermont	2	**5

NOTE: Due to a more sophisticated information gathering system, figures beginning with the 1979 National Federation Sports Participation Survey are generally lower than surveys of the previous four years. The main factors resulting in this decrease include the listing of United States schools only and the listing of senior high school participation only. Previous survey figures included some Canadian high school participation and some U.S. junior high school participation. No true comparisons can be made between the 1979 survey and surveys prior thereto.

*Co-educational

**Represents girls playing on boys' teams

1986 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Compiled By

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1985-86 School Year

(See Note at End of Survey)

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	6	83	14	143
BADMINTON	*148	2,140	*348	7,083
BASEBALL	14,067	393,905		**376
BASKETBALL	17,769	505,130	16,970	392,881
BOWLING	649	7,912	528	6,025
CANOEING	7	263		
CREW	7	285	4	115
CROSS COUNTRY	9,886	154,590	8,590	95,272
DECATHLON	96	246		
EQUESTRIAN	16	151		
FENCING	32	911	16	312
FIELD HOCKEY	9	**19	1,664	48,446
FOOTBALL—11-man	13,854	932,808		**34
9-man	300	7,231		
8-man	529	11,591		
6-man	121	1,886		
GOLF	*9,314	112,602	*3,668	**25,928
GYMNASTICS	353	6,616	2,100	34,474
HEPTATHLON			37	162
ICE HOCKEY	865	23,558		**9
JUDO	12	184		
LACROSSE	486	14,937	185	6,778
PENTATHLON			30	61
RIFLERY	219	2,546	99	601
SKIING (Cross Country)	200	2,257	177	1,789
(Downhill)	430	7,276	412	4,956
SOCCER	*6,097	196,028	*3,516	85,173
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	61	**1,101	8,945	220,459
(Slow Pitch)	22	325	1,419	28,672
SWIMMING & DIVING	*3,878	81,516	*3,509	83,204
TENNIS	*8,932	128,820	*8,551	119,944
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,292	31,327	968	20,317
(Outdoor)	14,466	446,286	14,004	343,112
VOLLEYBALL	469	**8,147	12,351	279,601
WATER POLO	340	8,635	128	951
WEIGHT LIFTING	191	5,310	13	242
WRESTLING	8,724	247,653	1	**1

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
SUMMARY
1985-86 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY**

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	17,769	1. Football	953,516
2. Football	14,804	2. Basketball	505,130
3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,466	3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	446,286
4. Baseball	14,067	4. Baseball	393,905
5. Cross Country	9,886	5. Wrestling	247,653
6. Golf	9,314	6. Soccer	196,028
7. Tennis	8,932	7. Cross Country	154,590
8. Wrestling	8,724	8. Tennis	128,820
9. Soccer	6,097	9. Golf	112,602
10. Swimming & Diving	3,878	10. Swimming & Diving	81,516

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,970	1. Basketball	392,881
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,004	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	343,112
3. Volleyball	12,351	3. Volleyball	279,601
4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	8,945	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	220,459
5. Cross Country	8,590	5. Tennis	119,944
6. Tennis	8,551	6. Cross Country	95,272
7. Golf	3,668	7. Soccer	85,173
8. Soccer	3,516	8. Swimming & Diving	83,204
9. Swimming & Diving	3,509	9. Field Hockey	48,446
10. Gymnastics	2,100	10. Gymnastics	34,474

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	350	6,641	414	8,980	53	425	387	17,305
ALASKA			114	2,056	75	753	15	1,146
ARIZONA	151	5,337	149	5,249	94	1,724	137	11,561
ARKANSAS	197	3,546	373	8,479	40	320	214	9,550
CALIFORNIA	863	30,329	895	30,787	728	14,328	764	73,544
COLORADO	198	6,138	260	10,400	141	2,820	191	11,460
CONNECTICUT	173	5,554	175	4,870	160	2,602	123	7,472
DELAWARE	43	1,483	28	1,307	31	506	40	2,589
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	242	11	550	8	200	11	600
FLORIDA	406	10,757	426	13,176	290	3,484	413	28,954
GEORGIA	339	9,127	356	10,548	201	2,656	328	25,529
HAWAII	51	1,530	53	1,250	48	1,427	47	3,604
IDAH0	51	1,430	126	3,621	46	654	111	6,168
ILLINOIS	637	23,499	788	29,391	388	7,988	571	48,542
INDIANA	391	12,556	395	10,968	377	7,246	317	23,399
IOWA	474	11,919	485	14,476	256	2,755	452	23,290
KANSAS	71	2,042	369	10,254	190	2,254	253	12,665
KENTUCKY	266	5,586	284	5,720	177	1,239	197	6,885
LOUISIANA	298	7,455	418	11,596	142	1,550	289	7,210
MAINE	132	2,750	140	4,215	125	1,325	60	2,550
MARYLAND	149	4,447	151	5,291	125	2,508	142	10,954
MASSACHUSETTS	330	12,350	335	12,392	273	4,540	271	19,554
MICHIGAN	640	21,621	701	24,286	514	7,765	627	47,875
MINNESOTA	360	9,171	488	12,404	223	3,392	355	19,339
MISSISSIPPI	183	3,976	207	8,324	44	394	189	9,267
MISSOURI	382	9,917	548	16,797	232	4,210	322	22,167
MONTANA			185	4,894	132	765	79	5,223
NEBRASKA	25	1,034	360	7,450	126	1,197	194	9,253
NEVADA	44	1,242	61	2,370	33	902	48	4,170
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,604	86	2,778	68	886	34	2,452
NEW JERSEY	380	16,130	385	13,197	273	6,124	344	27,116
NEW MEXICO	68	2,200	124	3,563	68	1,024	86	4,914
NEW YORK	1,435	24,286	1,770	23,272	725	9,327	1,209	39,239
NORTH CAROLINA	327	9,225	332	9,983	180	2,913	321	22,678
NORTH DAKOTA	37	664	233	4,718	43	394	57	3,039
OHIO	765	21,571	788	21,828	641	8,865	720	36,907
OKLAHOMA	395	7,916	487	10,519	103	1,236	281	9,273
OREGON	204	9,180	249	8,964	171	2,565	193	12,545
PENNSYLVANIA	571	17,870	637	19,005	418	7,535	552	40,885
RHODE ISLAND	45	1,191	44	1,060	38	692	49	1,861
SOUTH CAROLINA	189	4,463	202	6,889	65	915	198	15,484
SOUTH DAKOTA			198	5,181	112	1,093	63	3,931
TENNESSEE	308	7,392	334	9,352	139	973	299	19,586
TEXAS	815	23,100	1,160	37,758	650	13,200	1,041	134,400
UTAH	86	2,196	103	2,998	74	1,320	83	6,775
VERMONT	62	1,828	64	1,917	42	536	22	1,587
VIRGINIA	270	8,100	277	8,310	198	2,970	272	21,760
WASHINGTON	282	8,959	341	11,319	233	4,610	281	20,199
WEST VIRGINIA	147	3,381	166	3,945	55	701	145	7,126
WISCONSIN	381	9,970	421	14,183	292	4,162	397	27,066
WYOMING			73	2,190	26	620	60	2,160

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			106	786				
ALASKA							19	581
ARIZONA	10	200	87	879				
ARKANSAS			102	620				
CALIFORNIA	49	1,099	507	5,815	29	482		
COLORADO	34	850	103	1,236	19	475	9	126
CONNECTICUT			146	1,686			49	1,118
DELAWARE			27	281	2	22		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA			*279	2,230				
GEORGIA			230	2,010	3	14		
HAWAII			43	314	3	63		
IDAHO	9	236	47	335				
ILLINOIS			382	7,247	66	2,370	13	402
INDIANA			345	5,505				
IOWA			367	4,790				
KANSAS	105	2,825	186	2,933	7	117		
KENTUCKY			198	1,386				
LOUISIANA			47	195	4	36		
MAINE			*64	450			27	540
MARYLAND			103	958	11	73		
MASSACHUSETTS			222	2,872	22	341	213	7,205
MICHIGAN			453	6,665	4	51	93	1,820
MINNESOTA			273	3,897	15	341	151	4,842
MISSISSIPPI			59	481				
MISSOURI	4	85	202	2,929				
MONTANA	58	1,131	45	678	9	101		
NEBRASKA	134	2,434	148	1,996	18	156		
NEVADA	9	214	29	392				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			33	376	3	43	22	655
NEW JERSEY			211	3,124	18	423	38	1,259
NEW MEXICO			45	480	9	100		
NEW YORK			539	5,993	48	756	86	1,786
NORTH CAROLINA			241	2,661				
NORTH DAKOTA			71	880			13	433
OHIO			631	7,849	27	260	40	764
OKLAHOMA	48	1,086	161	1,449				
OREGON	37	555	119	952				
PENNSYLVANIA			388	4,265	10	105		
RHODE ISLAND			36	365			27	694
SOUTH CAROLINA			115	1,156				
SOUTH DAKOTA			56	690				
TENNESSEE			179	1,969				
TEXAS			870	9,510				
UTAH			64	820	3	16	6	131
VERMONT			33	380			23	436
VIRGINIA			182	1,820	13	130		
WASHINGTON	32	876	181	2,568	1	15		
WEST VIRGINIA			*79	742				
WISCONSIN			257	4,711			36	766
WYOMING			23	276	9	126		

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			35	992	26	234	117	1,020
ALASKA			10	298	25	421	6	107
ARIZONA					42	833	88	1,278
ARKANSAS					16	220	123	994
CALIFORNIA	19	408	649	21,911	505	12,796	705	12,949
COLORADO	9	108	82	2,460	85	2,550	93	1,674
CONNECTICUT			159	6,373	78	1,636	136	1,935
DELAWARE			34	1,509	15	308	30	433
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			6	150	10	300	11	170
FLORIDA			*280	7,985	213	3,225	297	2,757
GEORGIA			152	4,745	65	868	309	3,147
HAWAII			39	728	32	318	46	719
IDAHO							*38	610
ILLINOIS			197	12,017	193	5,907	285	6,180
INDIANA					170	3,847	280	4,838
IOWA					68	1,180	121	1,516
KANSAS			27	940	36	779	125	2,090
KENTUCKY			88	2,200	70	673	196	826
LOUISIANA			35	482	36	372	162	1,028
MAINE	35	420	113	2,450	33	475	64	448
MARYLAND			145	5,492	33	837	141	1,663
MASSACHUSETTS	51	1,138	280	11,213	99	1,973	222	3,145
MICHIGAN	75	1,261	202	11,908	230	5,580	349	7,142
MINNESOTA	39	802	72	3,896	110	2,417	152	3,039
MISSISSIPPI			*32	819			103	824
MISSOURI			124	4,727	55	1,486	166	2,793
MONTANA					15	227	48	498
NEBRASKA					31	493	44	517
NEVADA	12	337	22	853	22	703	24	251
NEW HAMPSHIRE	39	511	73	2,729			39	517
NEW JERSEY	20	255	335	15,051	96	2,530	310	5,225
NEW MEXICO			33	709	21	333	44	539
NEW YORK	101	1,576	1,124	23,437	292	5,759	606	8,320
NORTH CAROLINA			144	2,878	57	711	250	3,222
NORTH DAKOTA					9	189	18	233
OHIO			313	10,291	185	3,191	447	6,893
OKLAHOMA			41	820	44	528	115	1,158
OREGON			96	2,880	78	1,170	102	816
PENNSYLVANIA			291	9,010	198	4,500	335	5,000
RHODE ISLAND			40	1,219	14	123	33	555
SOUTH CAROLINA			80	2,209			108	1,293
SOUTH DAKOTA							17	360
TENNESSEE							208	3,744
TEXAS			215	4,515	258	4,000	1,065	14,829
UTAH			52	1,542	46	900	75	964
VERMONT	23	364	62	2,133			22	321
VIRGINIA			143	3,575	41	1,174	205	2,460
WASHINGTON			158	5,044	98	2,603	208	3,712
WEST VIRGINIA			*26	573	2	41	75	886
WISCONSIN			79	2,950	100	2,398	156	3,276
WYOMING	7	96	9	315	26	708	13	206

STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	77	931	214	3,698	11	135	48	1,014
ALASKA			55	1,162	20	91	97	1,480
ARIZONA			139	4,575			114	4,489
ARKANSAS	18	180	272	5,440				
CALIFORNIA			822	32,842	146	3,601	562	19,547
COLORADO			253	10,120			204	8,160
CONNECTICUT	71	1,917	158	5,837			80	2,557
DELAWARE	18	320	31	1,092			40	1,262
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	330	11	330			2	55
FLORIDA			344	9,511			220	6,185
GEORGIA			326	8,020	2	38	175	5,115
HAWAII			50	1,824	40	739	36	969
IDAHO			124	3,171			79	2,225
ILLINOIS			653	25,113			400	17,200
INDIANA			379	12,469			311	9,705
IOWA			477	13,115			335	8,832
KANSAS			360	9,291			168	4,689
KENTUCKY			244	1,972			54	756
LOUISIANA	68	612	355	7,641			48	605
MAINE	34	625	112	3,450			45	540
MARYLAND	91	2,213	135	5,126			134	4,184
MASSACHUSETTS	159	4,909	251	10,350	10	105	119	3,439
MICHIGAN			632	23,576			432	13,046
MINNESOTA			388	10,680			301	7,381
MISSISSIPPI			157	3,009	1	**1	1	16
MISSOURI			415	14,369	3	50	156	6,397
MONTANA			185	3,494			79	1,512
NEBRASKA			361	7,867			201	3,589
NEVADA			61	1,780			37	1,304
NEW HAMPSHIRE	23	578	57	1,850			15	459
NEW JERSEY	159	5,429	308	13,601			310	10,900
NEW MEXICO			118	3,328			46	1,466
NEW YORK	260	6,271	689	20,283	124	1,741	929	15,784
NORTH CAROLINA	41	441	289	11,107			213	6,152
NORTH DAKOTA			191	2,720			62	1,256
OHIO			756	25,407			565	17,197
OKLAHOMA			340	5,108	36	324	140	1,680
OREGON			239	11,950			168	4,200
PENNSYLVANIA	112	2,650	484	19,812	76	1,322	484	15,785
RHODE ISLAND	19	737	37	1,216			30	879
SOUTH CAROLINA			176	5,194			73	2,366
SOUTH DAKOTA			198	4,649			96	2,358
TENNESSEE			189	5,859			92	2,392
TEXAS			1,152	32,415				
UTAH	14	295	100	3,605			86	2,973
VERMONT	12	264	30	925			18	347
VIRGINIA	105	2,625	259	9,065			183	4,575
WASHINGTON			311	10,566			242	8,315
WEST VIRGINIA			114	2,858			91	2,582
WISCONSIN			382	11,973			350	8,550
WYOMING			73	1,871			53	1,184

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	New York	6	83
BADMINTON	California	*141	2,096
	New York	7	44
BOWLING	Alabama	1	15
	Hawaii	34	660
	Illinois	16	154
	Michigan	12	199
	Nevada	12	403
	New Jersey	129	2,059
	New York	376	3,706
	Pennsylvania	60	610
	South Carolina	8	67
	Vermont	1	39
CANOEING	Hawaii	7	263
CREW	Delaware	2	72
	Michigan	2	68
	Vermont	2	120
	West Virginia	1	25
DECATHLON	Alabama	8	17
	Arkansas	27	49
	Florida	38	146
	Tennessee	23	34
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	16	151
FENCING	New Jersey	12	550
	New York	20	361
FIELD HOCKEY	Massachusetts	9	119
FOOTBALL (9-man)	Minnesota	101	2,265
	North Dakota	79	2,075
	South Dakota	120	2,891
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Montana	9	107
	Nebraska	24	480
	Texas	88	1,299
JUDO	Hawaii	12	184
LACROSSE	Delaware	3	77
	Maryland	57	2,571
	Massachusetts	31	1,832
	Michigan	7	353
	New Jersey	22	1,781
	New York	362	8,206
	Vermont	1	42
	Virginia	3	75
RIFLERY	Alaska	20	120
	Georgia	62	583
	Hawaii	9	209
	Illinois	2	54
	Massachusetts	5	47
	New York	70	835
	Pennsylvania	50	682
	Vermont	1	16

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	22	341
	Maine	42	252
	Minnesota	67	966
	New Hampshire	35	256
	Vermont	27	311
	Wyoming	7	111
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	California	29	627
	Massachusetts	4	**12
	Missouri	28	462
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Alabama	5	92
	Delaware	1	24
	Georgia	13	189
	Mississippi	3	20
WATER POLO	California	282	7,552
	Florida	14	208
	Michigan	10	182
	Missouri	13	363
	Nebraska	1	17
	Pennsylvania	11	168
	Utah	9	145
WEIGHT LIFTING	Florida	121	2,488
	Georgia	28	1,627
	North Carolina	20	440
	South Carolina	8	106
	Utah	14	649

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes some boys playing on girls' teams

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	322	3,835	45	386			19	88
ALASKA	114	1,670	75	531				
ARIZONA	149	4,001	83	1,031			23	104
ARKANSAS	370	5,550	36	254			28	52
CALIFORNIA	861	19,913	700	8,314	61	1,649	122	229
COLORADO	258	10,320	136	2,720				
CONNECTICUT	176	3,747	144	1,560	77	2,759		
DELAWARE	42	929	23	276	39	1,312	2	3
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	10	200	8	120				
FLORIDA	392	6,993	261	2,325			79	506
GEORGIA	343	8,315	160	1,456			33	51
HAWAII	56	1,398	40	784			16	23
IDAHO	125	2,759	45	400				**3
ILLINOIS	683	18,006	296	3,573	10	377	138	829
INDIANA	391	10,487	248	2,300			144	1,435
IOWA	481	21,645	235	3,055			407	4,154
KANSAS	366	7,771	182	1,334			42	380
KENTUCKY	275	5,520	150	1,050			196	1,372
LOUISIANA	372	9,120	134	802			8	18
MAINE	140	3,950	125	1,075	79	1,675	*13	25
MARYLAND	150	4,265	119	1,609	106	3,234	45	256
MASSACHUSETTS	320	9,936	235	2,853	200	7,681	37	94
MICHIGAN	700	17,464	472	4,217	9	312	136	1,689
MINNESOTA	480	10,161	226	2,190			235	2,029
MISSISSIPPI	205	3,466	34	205			6	11
MISSOURI	524	13,276	178	2,173			80	539
MONTANA	185	4,387	132	613			45	467
NEBRASKA	359	6,092	120	625			48	442
NEVADA	59	1,540	30	500			22	173
NEW HAMPSHIRE	86	2,331	68	712			16	32
NEW JERSEY	380	9,853	125	3,451	201	7,862	**100	
NEW MEXICO	122	2,780	64	648			35	153
NEW YORK	1,384	17,178	534	5,517	483	8,895	72	458
NORTH CAROLINA	332	6,325	135	1,127				
NORTH DAKOTA	228	3,823	36	207			32	175
OHIO	796	18,571	492	4,339	28	889	15	117
OKLAHOMA	487	9,691	97	1,067			102	918
OREGON	248	6,200	166	2,490			74	444
PENNSYLVANIA	634	16,820	382	5,225	242	7,668	194	2,183
RHODE ISLAND	45	846	33	466	18	491		
SOUTH CAROLINA	202	4,742	47	358	1	57		
SOUTH DAKOTA	198	4,389	105	698			49	493
TENNESSEE	336	9,408	126	882			76	145
TEXAS	1,158	28,076	652	10,317			775	4,330
UTAH	92	1,801	64	657			8	14
VERMONT	65	1,639	37	345	45	1,559	17	47
VIRGINIA	281	6,443	155	1,501	65	2,026		
WASHINGTON	340	9,595	231	3,201			137	577
WEST VIRGINIA	158	2,658	55	313			*79	33
WISCONSIN	416	11,126	291	2,850			75	657
WYOMING	73	1,880	23	570			8	80

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	19	185			11	189		
ALASKA	15	182			10	298		
ARIZONA	9	177			45	1,630	134	3,405
ARKANSAS	25	275						
CALIFORNIA	116	2,195	19	359	462	10,074	789	20,536
COLORADO	88	2,200	9	108	75	2,250		
CONNECTICUT	51	831			92	2,457	175	4,447
DELAWARE	4	62	1	12	4	5	36	977
DIST. OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA	6	63			121	2,622		
GEORGIA	29	476			78	1,458		
HAWAII	4	40			35	610	37	785
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	105	2,644			44	1,827	498	13,412
INDIANA	109	1,879					167	3,800
IOWA	38	608					544	21,812
KANSAS	24	306			13	167	36	892
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA	12	124			15	230	228	4,029
MAINE	27	486	35	420	67	1,420	132	2,350
MARYLAND	35	269			81	2,170	146	3,439
MASSACHUSETTS	98	1,552	39	669	200	6,299	319	10,197
MICHIGAN	97	1,325	75	772	97	2,591	611	17,430
MINNESOTA	146	2,471	41	520	60	2,099	264	6,926
MISSISSIPPI					*20	51		
MISSOURI	14	243			72	2,236	284	5,806
MONTANA	14	293					13	275
NEBRASKA	24	168						
NEVADA			12	190			39	1,043
NEW HAMPSHIRE	9	105	39	405	31	904	81	2,330
NEW JERSEY	93	1,458	20	141	172	6,262	357	12,805
NEW MEXICO	20	220			21	425	39	760
NEW YORK	200	3,051	91	1,047	859	17,597	1,236	20,286
NORTH CAROLINA	13	146			44	150	329	6,988
NORTH DAKOTA	24	159						
OHIO	139	1,845			125	3,407	572	13,735
OKLAHOMA					22	440	218	3,270
OREGON					74	1,850	136	4,080
PENNSYLVANIA	81	1,885			55	1,310	526	13,068
RHODE ISLAND	21	299			18	455	30	668
SOUTH CAROLINA					10	140	163	3,062
SOUTH DAKOTA	36	628						
TENNESSEE							205	3,906
TEXAS								
UTAH	24	402			10	91	7	129
VERMONT	15	169	24	217	48	1,200	63	1,640
VIRGINIA	99	1,219			50	1,183	186	3,378
WASHINGTON	74	1,411			136	3,647	5	118
WEST VIRGINIA					*26	53	66	1,141
WISCONSIN	136	2,283			48	1,903	274	7,534
WYOMING	7	140	7	96	8	176		

STATE	Softball		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field	
	Slow Pitch	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Indoor Particip.
ALABAMA	170	2,550	22	220	107	871	57	553
ALASKA			25	423	6	75		
ARIZONA			46	1,077	89	1,456		
ARKANSAS			16	250	116	880		
CALIFORNIA			486	13,405	730	12,317		
COLORADO			90	2,700	102	1,836		
CONNECTICUT			62	1,711	134	2,301	47	816
DELAWARE	1	31	17	410	29	391	17	246
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	198	10	100	11	88	7	140
FLORIDA	391	7,659	214	3,211	284	2,447		
GEORGIA	230	4,248	61	804	304	2,786		
HAWAII			37	342	49	724		
IDAHO					*38	610		
ILLINOIS			194	5,666	278	5,908		
INDIANA			167	3,551	274	4,691		
IOWA			61	1,830	176	1,482		
KANSAS			33	1,102	115	1,888		
KENTUCKY	185	3,885	72	688	194	798		
LOUISIANA			33	308	147	948		
MAINE			33	415	64	448	33	420
MARYLAND			33	946	141	1,651	91	1,854
MASSACHUSETTS			102	2,358	227	3,332	137	3,245
MICHIGAN			215	4,768	312	5,356		
MINNESOTA			124	3,361	173	3,186		
MISSISSIPPI	59	1,118			97	682		
MISSOURI			50	1,441	143	2,305		
MONTANA			15	278	48	588		
NEBRASKA			31	435	47	659		
NEVADA			22	444	22	403		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					35	468	23	478
NEW JERSEY			91	2,684	294	4,043	118	3,549
NEW MEXICO			19	344	45	537		
NEW YORK			278	5,686	516	7,029	210	4,111
NORTH CAROLINA			56	683	226	2,823	13	271
NORTH DAKOTA			12	166	19	327		
OHIO			209	3,647	345	5,043		
OKLAHOMA	115	1,725	40	480	112	1,288		
OREGON			77	1,155	106	848		
PENNSYLVANIA			203	4,398	333	5,080	100	2,100
RHODE ISLAND	16	333	*14	122	30	507		
SOUTH CAROLINA					85	998		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	226		
TENNESSEE					206	3,708		
TEXAS			220	3,540	1,013	14,558		
UTAH	1	25	46	689	65	749	12	148
VERMONT					23	392	7	69
VIRGINIA			38	1,088	168	2,135	96	2,317
WASHINGTON	240	6,900	98	2,503	213	3,769		
WEST VIRGINIA			2	45	74	866		
WISCONSIN			108	2,950	157	3,256		
WYOMING			27	780	13	187		

STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	168	1,983	240	3,301
ALASKA	55	873	59	1,245
ARIZONA	137	3,031	146	4,269
ARKANSAS	260	2,750	76	1,407
CALIFORNIA	838	19,250	803	21,462
COLORADO	252	10,080	259	7,770
CONNECTICUT	147	4,760	115	2,471
DELAWARE	31	701	28	672
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	9	180	11	242
FLORIDA	331	6,431	377	7,206
GEORGIA	300	5,236	23	407
HAWAII	50	1,039	50	984
IDAHO	122	2,407	122	3,297
ILLINOIS	635	17,740	738	20,839
INDIANA	372	10,173	395	10,516
IOWA	456	20,520	408	11,424
KANSAS	355	6,371	352	8,629
KENTUCKY	241	1,845	63	755
LOUISIANA	323	6,821	145	1,740
MAINE	112	2,530		
MARYLAND	135	3,937	134	2,801
MASSACHUSETTS	238	8,295	138	3,234
MICHIGAN	632	19,205	622	16,208
MINNESOTA	397	9,060	485	13,206
MISSISSIPPI	144	2,140	17	254
MISSOURI	409	10,822	373	9,475
MONTANA	185	3,079	143	2,777
NEBRASKA	361	5,491	361	8,250
NEVADA	58	1,493	57	994
NEW HAMPSHIRE	56	1,634	32	688
NEW JERSEY	284	10,800	99	2,287
NEW MEXICO	117	2,404	113	2,645
NEW YORK	626	16,820	1,264	16,184
NORTH CAROLINA	233	6,124	261	4,266
NORTH DAKOTA	186	2,387	47	1,227
OHIO	753	20,710	763	17,136
OKLAHOMA	341	4,092	176	2,112
OREGON	239	7,170	247	4,940
PENNSYLVANIA	459	13,670	352	8,860
RHODE ISLAND	26	855	37	680
SOUTH CAROLINA	162	3,561	143	2,045
SOUTH DAKOTA	198	4,029	63	1,632
TENNESSEE	187	5,797	156	2,964
TEXAS	1,138	21,980	745	16,023
UTAH	98	2,378	100	2,079
VERMONT	34	929		
VIRGINIA	239	6,541	122	2,456
WASHINGTON	309	8,130	335	8,981
WEST VIRGINIA	111	2,383	67	1,181
WISCONSIN	382	10,650	419	13,630
WYOMING	73	1,825	70	1,750

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	11	101
	New York	3	42
BADMINTON	Arizona	32	463
	California	*183	3,485
	Illinois	75	2,169
BASEBALL	New York	58	966
	California		**311
	Georgia	5	**32
	Utah	4	**33
BOWLING	Alabama	1	4
	Hawaii	35	344
	Illinois	87	1,302
	Michigan	12	124
	Nevada	12	317
	New Jersey	81	1,231
	New York	231	2,064
	Pennsylvania	63	585
CANOEING CREW	South Carolina	6	44
	Delaware	2	50
EQUESTRIAN FENCING	Michigan	1	39
	West Virginia	1	26
	New Jersey	16	312
FOOTBALL (11-man)	Alaska	1	**1
	California		**21
	Georgia	5	**10
	Mississippi	1	**2
	Florida	37	162
HEPTATHLON ICE HOCKEY	Alaska	3	**7
	Massachusetts	8	**2
JUDO			
LACROSSE	Maryland	37	1,480
	Massachusetts	15	692
	Michigan	4	178
	New Jersey	25	1,572
	New York	52	1,176
	Pennsylvania	52	1,680
	Alabama	4	10
	Arkansas	16	37
PENTATHLON	Tennessee	10	14
	Alaska	20	43
	Georgia	15	50
	Massachusetts	4	18
RIFLERY	New York	14	122
	Pennsylvania	46	368
	Alaska	22	247
	Maine	42	252
	Minnesota	71	993
SKIING (Cross Country)	New Hampshire	35	207
	Wyoming	7	90
	California	110	736
	Florida	9	116
	Nevada	1	15
WATER POLO	Pennsylvania	1	15
	Utah	7	69

**Girls playing on boys' teams

SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	7	105
	Utah	6	137
WRESTLING	Vermont	1	**1

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	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	5	94	14	283
BADMINTON	*164	2,366	*355	7,502
BASEBALL	13,615	406,046	*36	**335
BASKETBALL	16,867	515,989	16,315	397,008
BOWLING	540	7,718	518	6,377
CANOEING	7	129	7	148
CREW	13	241	7	123
CROSS COUNTRY	9,826	152,418	8,752	99,024
DECATHLON	113	310		
FENCING	35	846	27	378
FIELD HOCKEY	10	126	1,494	49,023
FOOTBALL—11-man	13,204	909,300	8	**44
9-man	322	7,137		
8-man	558	11,388		
6-man	145	3,354		
GOLF	*9,411	113,560	*3,680	26,627
GYMNASTICS	365	6,779	2,006	32,187
HEPTATHLON			34	137
ICE HOCKEY	860	23,463	19	**95
JUDO	13	207	3	5
LACROSSE	309	17,551	197	8,103
PENTATHLON			50	85
RIFLERY	210	2,407	103	610
SKIING (Cross Country)	181	1,905	149	1,694
(Downhill)	414	7,587	393	5,350
SOCCER	*5,980	203,984	*3,422	93,034
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	58	1,094	8,271	219,228
(Slow Pitch)	18	281	1,884	39,486
SWIMMING & DIVING	*3,969	85,371	*3,894	84,897
TENNIS	8,970	130,957	8,505	121,320
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,401	33,971	1,036	21,213
(Outdoor)	14,467	439,441	14,038	338,685
VOLLEYBALL	492	9,930	11,747	282,113
WATER POLO	374	9,686	130	**977
WEIGHT LIFTING	204	7,168	14	247
WRESTLING	8,426	251,281	16	**18

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
SUMMARY
1986-87 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY**

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
1. Basketball	16,867	1. Football	931,176
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,467	2. Basketball	515,989
3. Baseball	13,615	3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	439,441
4. Football 11-man	14,229	4. Baseball	406,046
5. Cross Country	9,826	5. Wrestling	251,281
6. Golf	9,411	6. Soccer	203,984
7. Tennis	8,970	7. Cross Country	152,418
8. Wrestling	8,426	8. Tennis	130,957
9. Soccer	5,980	9. Golf	113,560
10. Swimming & Diving	3,969	10. Swimming & Diving	85,371

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools	Participants	Schools	Participants
1. Basketball	16,315	1. Basketball	397,008
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,038	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	338,685
3. Volleyball	11,747	3. Volleyball	282,113
4. Cross Country	8,752	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	219,228
5. Tennis	8,505	5. Tennis	121,320
6. Softball (Fast Pitch)	8,271	6. Cross Country	99,024
7. Swimming & Diving	3,894	7. Soccer	93,034
8. Golf	3,680	8. Swimming & Diving	84,897
9. Soccer	3,422	9. Field Hockey	49,023
10. Gymnastics	2,006	10. Softball (Slow Pitch)	39,486

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	350	6,641	408	8,850	53	425	381	17,037
ALASKA			114	2,102	72	783	15	1,181
ARIZONA	163	5,532	167	5,372	108	1,693	137	12,020
ARKANSAS	213	3,834	365	8,393	39	310	209	9,403
CALIFORNIA	932	32,538	967	32,961	774	15,305	813	78,134
COLORADO	200	6,200	261	10,440	143	2,860	191	11,460
CONNECTICUT	172*	5,476	172	4,886	160	2,556	123	7,620
DELAWARE	38	1,461	40	1,328	32	496	38	2,579
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	242	11	550	8	200	11	600
FLORIDA	411	11,144	434	12,659	292	3,447	368	30,087
GEORGIA	339	9,127	356	10,548	201	2,656	328	25,529
HAWAII	34	1,606	34	1,462	43	796	32	3,581
IDAHO	53	1,779	126	4,251	52	758	102	6,633
ILLINOIS	664	23,889	771	26,848	402	7,842	567	46,871
INDIANA	387	12,528	389	13,638	371	5,677	312	23,390
IOWA	465	11,500	480	14,100	248	2,600	430	22,900
KANSAS	78	2,555	367	10,241	205	2,388	250	12,500
KENTUCKY	266	5,586	284	7,720	177	1,239	199	6,965
LOUISIANA	298	7,455	418	11,596	142	1,550	289	7,210
MAINE	135	2,700	143	4,260	118	1,470	59	2,465
MARYLAND	150	4,607	150	4,588	122	1,905	140	10,462
MASSACHUSETTS	329	12,406	338	12,305	269	4,244	270	19,125
MICHIGAN	644	21,756	700	24,209	528	7,976	623	47,470
MINNESOTA	379	8,370	469	10,403	228	2,910	363	17,669
MISSISSIPPI	242	6,050	284	4,634	63	630	261	11,484
MISSOURI	394	10,264	552	16,677	226	4,114	326	22,776
MONTANA			183	4,860	132	765	79	5,223
NEBRASKA	22	1,003	357	6,810	126	1,231	190	9,750
NEVADA	45	1,247	61	2,437	32	878	49	4,227
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,615	86	2,780	68	890	34	2,455
NEW JERSEY	389	15,713	389	12,416	261	5,671	346	24,012
NEW MEXICO	74	2,392	130	3,631	73	1,099	86	4,923
NEW YORK	736	24,640	762	23,549	540	8,715	571	38,718
NORTH CAROLINA	327	9,225	332	9,983	180	2,913	321	22,678
NORTH DAKOTA	34	665	231	4,768	39	389	64	2,862
OHIO	769	23,732	791	25,616	662	8,667	720	47,453
OKLAHOMA	420	12,040	488	19,520	83	1,411	272	10,880
OREGON	205	9,225	249	8,964	176	2,640	194	12,610
PENNSYLVANIA	573	17,915	634	18,980	418	7,540	553	40,930
RHODE ISLAND	45	1,075	44	1,123	38	743	39	1,750
SOUTH CAROLINA	190	4,638	201	6,974	66	948	197	15,796
SOUTH DAKOTA			196	5,138	111	1,067	62	3,891
TENNESSEE	316	7,584	335	9,380	154	1,078	303	19,847
TEXAS	815	23,500	1,160	38,900	650	14,600	1,041	98,000
UTAH	86	2,167	105	3,245	79	1,160	83	7,495
VERMONT	46	1,240	47	1,407	30	377	13	1,006
VIRGINIA	281	7,854	281	8,574	204	2,622	276	20,388
WASHINGTON	290	9,048	346	11,418	242	4,473	275	20,005
WEST VIRGINIA	136	3,363	165	4,392	57	675	145	7,476
WISCONSIN	384	9,919	421	13,913	302	4,406	397	27,614
WYOMING			73	2,190	27	630	57	2,160

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			106	786				
ALASKA							14	561
ARIZONA	10	198	89	1,061				
ARKANSAS			106	630				
CALIFORNIA	62	1,297	540	6,245	31	503		
COLORADO	34	850	100	1,200	19	475	11	154
CONNECTICUT			146	*2,033	8	109	50	1,113
DELAWARE			25	278	1	5		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA			*289	2,512	3	7		
GEORGIA			230	2,010	3	14		
HAWAII			34	302				
IDAHO	13	315	46	690				
ILLINOIS			365	6,708	59	1,923	11	294
INDIANA			348	4,404				
IOWA			351	4,600				
KANSAS	111	2,866	185	2,908	8	114		
KENTUCKY			202	1,414				
LOUISIANA			47	195	4	36		
MAINE			64	455		15	29	783
MARYLAND			102	874	8	77		
MASSACHUSETTS			223	2,885	24	393	214	7,210
MICHIGAN			457	6,787	13	166	93	1,820
MINNESOTA			284	3,350	17	333	157	4,653
MISSISSIPPI			78	729				
MISSOURI	5	101	213	3,045				
MONTANA	58	1,131	45	678	5	75		
NEBRASKA	132	2,163	124	1,854	18	312		
NEVADA	9	204	31	409				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			33	376			22	660
NEW JERSEY			260	3,640	22	505	44	1,143
NEW MEXICO			44	469	11	122		
NEW YORK			495	6,318	46	943	85	1,987
NORTH CAROLINA			243	2,681				
NORTH DAKOTA			94	919			13	472
OHIO			645	7,698	38	258	37	773
OKLAHOMA	48	864	128	600				
OREGON	38	570	124	992				
PENNSYLVANIA			395	4,340	7	105		
RHODE ISLAND			34	350			27	685
SOUTH CAROLINA			111	1,193				
SOUTH DAKOTA			58	769				
TENNESSEE			189	2,079				
TEXAS			890	10,335				
UTAH			72	811				
VERMONT			25	290			16	337
VIRGINIA			192	1,941	14	189		
WASHINGTON	38	829	185	2,673				
WEST VIRGINIA			81	813				
WISCONSIN			259	4,951			37	818
WYOMING			24	280	6	100		

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			35	992	26	234	117	1,0
ALASKA			8	303	22	417	6	1
ARIZONA			63	1,866	47	1,004	98	1.4
ARKANSAS					17	225	126	1.0
CALIFORNIA	23	482	695	23,478	541	13,745	749	13.7
COLORADO	9	108	93	2,790	83	2,490	91	2.0
CONNECTICUT			160	6,018	*81	2,028	140	2.0
DELAWARE			35	1,484	16	344	28	4
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			6	150	10	298	11	1
FLORIDA			*299	8,842	220	3,362	308	2.8
GEORGIA			152	4,745	65	868	309	3.1
HAWAII			33	846	34	528	48	6
IDAHO							35	6
ILLINOIS			241	11,367	172	5,016	292	6.3
INDIANA					178	4,004	282	4.8
IOWA					60	1,300	115	1.4
KANSAS			38	1,410	35	832	124	2.1
KENTUCKY			93	2,325	65	671	201	8
LOUISIANA			35	482	36	372	162	1.0
MAINE	32	386	117	2,510	34	508	72	5
MARYLAND			146	5,544	47	1,045	139	1.8
MASSACHUSETTS	54	1,115	290	11,503	104	1,802	217	3.1
MICHIGAN	78	1,311	215	6,455	233	5,656	355	7.2
MINNESOTA	41	750	73	3,749	110	1,927	159	2.9
MISSISSIPPI			45	1,125			128	1.7
MISSOURI			126	4,962	55	1,509	167	2.8
MONTANA					15	250	51	1
NEBRASKA					30	416	44	1
NEVADA	13	311	25	940	22	809	24	1
NEW HAMPSHIRE	39	511	73	2,750			39	1
NEW JERSEY	13	282	346	14,553	94	2,400	312	4.6
NEW MEXICO			38	814	24	381	46	1
NEW YORK	*111	***1,970	588	23,352	256	5,820	526	8.8
NORTH CAROLINA			144	2,878	81	951	243	3.7
NORTH DAKOTA					11	191	18	1
OHIO			329	12,434	230	3,313	450	7.7
OKLAHOMA			49	1,078	48	558	104	1
OREGON			101	3,030	79	1,185	104	1
PENNSYLVANIA			309	9,410	203	4,590	335	5.0
RHODE ISLAND			41	1,320	*12	220	36	1
SOUTH CAROLINA			86	2,439			111	1.7
SOUTH DAKOTA							17	1
TENNESSEE			101	2,778			202	3.0
TEXAS			215	5,815	258	6,620	1,065	14.0
UTAH			55	1,558	47	933	77	1
VERMONT	18	291	46	1,520			18	1
VIRGINIA			138	4,683	39	881	221	2.1
WASHINGTON			177	5,584	99	2,692	206	4.1
WEST VIRGINIA			28	590	2	63	72	1
WISCONSIN			82	3,202	103	2,413	156	3.1
WYOMING	7	96	11	330	25	500	14	1

STATE	Track & Field		Track & Field		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Indoor		Outdoor					
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	77	931	214	3,698	11	135	48	1,014
ALASKA			52	1,123	18	85	94	1,544
ARIZONA			146	4,683			127	4,699
ARKANSAS	18	180	283	5,660				
CALIFORNIA			874	34,881	160	3,923	602	20,888
COLORADO			255	10,200			202	8,080
CONNECTICUT	69	1,807	156	5,842			84	2,558
DELAWARE	19	405	28	927			38	1,208
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	330	11	330			2	55
FLORIDA			363	9,963			229	6,100
GEORGIA			326	8,020	2	38	175	5,115
HAWAII			54	1,724	43	687	46	1,075
IDAHO			118	3,469			78	2,728
ILLINOIS			592	21,584			396	16,825
INDIANA			372	12,306			305	9,760
IOWA			468	13,200			326	8,500
KANSAS			365	9,600			171	5,095
KENTUCKY			219	3,285			54	756
LOUISIANA	68	612	355	7,641			48	605
MAINE	39	809	110	3,378			46	586
MARYLAND	93	2,368	133	4,798	27	375	134	4,172
MASSACHUSETTS	232	4,684	253	9,733	29	516	127	3,488
MICHIGAN			646	24,037			438	13,227
MINNESOTA			403	8,875			335	6,314
MISSISSIPPI			218	3,232			1	15
MISSOURI			416	14,185	1	20	170	6,654
MONTANA			182	3,505			72	1,450
NEBRASKA			354	7,232			200	3,258
NEVADA			61	1,843			37	1,292
NEW HAMPSHIRE	23	578	57	1,850			15	500
NEW JERSEY	101	5,234	320	12,230			315	9,742
NEW MEXICO			124	3,496			46	1,466
NEW YORK	251	5,998	591	19,211	111	2,476	500	15,793
NORTH CAROLINA	41	441	289	11,107			223	6,252
NORTH DAKOTA			186	2,712			55	1,355
OHIO	97	2,638	755	25,339	11	293	570	17,594
OKLAHOMA			334	4,980			140	3,671
OREGON			240	12,000			165	4,125
PENNSYLVANIA	125	3,045	493	19,795	79	1,382	479	15,680
RHODE ISLAND	19	750	35	1,173			30	859
SOUTH CAROLINA			177	5,507			71	2,487
SOUTH DAKOTA			195	4,532			94	2,209
TENNESSEE			190	5,890			98	2,548
TEXAS			1,152	30,250				
UTAH			102	3,471			92	2,977
VERMONT	3	39	25	706			16	305
VIRGINIA	115	3,122	274	9,006			189	6,692
WASHINGTON			327	10,295			244	8,333
WEST VIRGINIA			119	2,843			95	2,082
WISCONSIN			382	12,094			353	8,450
WYOMING			73	2,000			52	1,100

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	New York	4	94
	California	155	2,307
BADMINTON	Maryland	7	50
	New York	2	9
BOWLING	Alabama	1	15
	Hawaii	23	287
	Illinois	17	214
	Michigan	1	199
	Nevada	12	492
	New Jersey	116	1,872
	New York	305	3,781
	Ohio	19	204
	Pennsylvania	58	595
	South Carolina	7	59
	Hawaii	7	129
CANOEING CREW	Delaware	2	65
	Michigan	6	68
DECATHLON	Ohio	4	64
	West Virginia	1	44
	Alabama	9	20
	Arkansas	28	61
	Florida	47	183
	Ohio	1	1
	Tennessee	28	45
	Illinois	2	47
	Michigan	3	33
	New Jersey	16	486
FENCING	New York	13	272
	Ohio	1	8
FIELD HOCKEY	California	3	111
	Massachusetts	7	**15
FOOTBALL (9-man)	Minnesota	102	1,946
	North Dakota	97	2,423
FOOTBALL (6-man)	South Dakota	123	2,768
	Colorado	12	240
	Montana	10	100
	Nebraska	24	540
	New Mexico	11	171
	Texas	88	2,300
	Hawaii	13	207
JUDO	Delaware	3	109
	Maryland	56	2,765
LACROSSE	Massachusetts	31	1,870
	Michigan	9	353
	New Jersey	27	1,790
	New York	174	10,314
	Ohio	2	94
	Vermont	2	72
	Virginia	5	184
	Alaska	18	93
	Georgia	62	583
	Hawaii	14	104
RIFLERY	Illinois	2	30
	New York	63	859
	Ohio	4	76
	Pennsylvania	47	662

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	19	343
	Maine	40	240
	Minnesota	58	739
	New Hampshire	35	250
	Vermont	22	222
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Wyoming	7	111
	California	31	656
	Missouri	27	438
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Alabama	5	92
	Georgia	13	189
WATER POLO	California	301	8,124
	Florida	18	278
	Hawaii	10	119
	Illinois	7	223
	Michigan	7	182
	Missouri	13	376
	Nevada	1	23
	Ohio	8	193
	Pennsylvania	11	168
	Florida	109	2,691
	Georgia	28	1,627
	North Carolina	20	440
WEIGHT LIFTING	Ohio	42	2,337
	South Carolina	5	73

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes some boys playing on girls' teams

***Includes cross country participants

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball Schools	Basketball Particip.	Cross Country Schools	Cross Country Particip.	Field Hockey Schools	Field Hockey Particip.	Golf Schools	Golf Particip.
ALABAMA	316	3,764	45	386			19	88
ALASKA	112	1,737	73	581				
ARIZONA	133	4,064	92	1,070			32	167
ARKANSAS	364	5,460	34	238			26	43
CALIFORNIA	929	21,428	747	8,928	68	1,873	132	251
COLORADO	255	10,200	138	2,760				
CONNECTICUT	174	3,615	138	1,584	76	2,646	1	10
DELAWARE	36	819	24	258	38	1,333	4	7
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	200	8	120				
FLORIDA	396	7,138	266	2,430			114	595
GEORGIA	343	8,315	160	1,456			33	51
HAWAII	30	1,348	44	782			7	12
IDAHO	125	3,294	52	362			46	163
ILLINOIS	667	16,347	314	3,420	10	386	121	719
INDIANA	385	10,285	269	2,675			149	1,359
IOWA	475	19,000	237	2,370			337	4,044
KANSAS	366	7,885	183	1,260			42	378
KENTUCKY	277	5,817	150	1,050			153	1,071
LOUISIANA	372	9,120	134	802			8	18
MAINE	143	3,995	109	976	79	1,580	12	25
MARYLAND	150	3,528	118	1,193	107	3,195	52	56
MASSACHUSETTS	316	9,358	224	2,582	195	7,614	33	86
MICHIGAN	694	17,314	490	4,602	10	341	146	1,813
MINNESOTA	460	7,945	223	1,679			235	1,831
MISSISSIPPI	284	4,166	53	530			11	21
MISSOURI	529	13,139	185	2,285	20	680	60	591
MONTANA	181	4,350	135	650			48	700
NEBRASKA	356	5,677	120	738			52	413
NEVADA	59	1,671	31	614			24	227
NEW HAMPSHIRE	86	2,410	68	715	57	1,890	5	50
NEW JERSEY	383	8,660	219	3,140	202	6,586		
NEW MEXICO	125	2,849	68	688			35	153
NEW YORK	715	17,092	442	5,066	241	8,497	76	523
NORTH CAROLINA	332	6,325	135	1,127				
NORTH DAKOTA	223	3,864	35	245			44	292
OHIO	796	17,949	605	5,132	28	954	80	274
OKLAHOMA	487	19,328	59	767			53	203
OREGON	248	6,200	172	2,580			81	486
PENNSYLVANIA	631	16,790	391	5,402	245	7,698	194	2,185
RHODE ISLAND	46	1,120	33	489	19	614		
SOUTH CAROLINA	201	4,926	47	362	1	24		
SOUTH DAKOTA	195	4,306	100	620			50	545
TENNESSEE	336	9,408	148	1,036			124	237
TEXAS	1,158	29,600	552	13,900			725	5,425
UTAH	94	1,980	71	575			12	21
VERMONT	47	1,142	27	291	31	1,061	9	24
VIRGINIA	284	6,166	165	1,558	67	2,051		
WASHINGTON	344	9,930	237	3,088			145	722
WEST VIRGINIA	158	2,707	57	367			81*	51
WISCONSIN	416	11,427	301	2,945			70	642
WYOMING	72	1,850	24	550			11	80

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	19	185			11	189		
ALASKA	12	167			8	280		
ARIZONA	11	163			9	135	137	3,742
ARKANSAS	21	230						
CALIFORNIA	126	2,381	23	408	493	10,835	853	22,078
COLORADO	84	2,100	9	108	85	2,550		
CONNECTICUT	49	753			97	2,837	173	5,001
DELAWARE	4	38					34	882
DIST. OF COLUMBIA					1	30		
FLORIDA	8	64			132	2,999	24	481
GEORGIA	29	476			78	1,458		
HAWAII					28	728	42	860
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	95	2,189			61	2,452	553	14,570
INDIANA	110	1,839					193	4,703
IOWA	33	495					446	17,840
KANSAS	25	336			20	173	40	1,239
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA	12	124			15	230	228	4,029
MAINE	26	427	32	386	37	646	135	2,605
MARYLAND	28	246			80	2,419	137	3,540
MASSACHUSETTS	107	2,497	47	812	219	6,807	316	10,883
MICHIGAN	95	1,298	77	849	112	2,992	622	17,744
MINNESOTA	133	1,675	39	441	63	1,934	291	6,581
MISSISSIPPI					15	38		
MISSOURI	7	148			74	2,316	310	6,618
MONTANA	15	285					13	275
NEBRASKA	20	194						
NEVADA			12	204			39	1,140
NEW HAMPSHIRE	8	100	39	405	31	1,004	81	2,330
NEW JERSEY	99	1,217	1	110	207	6,298	375	12,052
NEW MEXICO	13	143			25	505	39	773
NEW YORK	170	3,028	89	***1,321	541	19,013	717	20,815
NORTH CAROLINA	13	146			44	150		
NORTH DAKOTA	25	193						
OHIO	125	1,503			131	3,743	588	14,468
OKLAHOMA					31	682	160	2,880
OREGON					76	1,900	140	4,200
PENNSYLVANIA	79	1,420			70	1,660	535	13,295
RHODE ISLAND	13	174			19	486	12	293
SOUTH CAROLINA					10	191	166	3,035
SOUTH DAKOTA	36	624						
TENNESSEE					73	1,350	253	4,820
TEXAS					162	4,125		
UTAH	27	415			15	98		
VERMONT	13	126	18	217	37	960	45	1,209
VIRGINIA	98	1,201			64	2,111	222	4,518
WASHINGTON	71	1,311			155	4,186		
WEST VIRGINIA					*28	71	64	1,107
WISCONSIN	138	2,126			54	2,153	288	8,622
WYOMING	9	150	7	89	11	300		

***Includes Cross Country Participants

STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	204	3,060	22	220	107	871	57	553
ALASKA			22	433	6	87		
ARIZONA			51	1,125	99	1,633		
ARKANSAS			16	235	119	904		
CALIFORNIA			523	14,374	775	13,086		
COLORADO			88	2,640	98	1,764		
CONNECTICUT			63	1,756	132	2,127	80	1,030
DELAWARE			17	433	28	395	18	245
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	200	10	87	11	88	7	140
FLORIDA	381	7,539	218	3,458	293	2,623		
GEORGIA	230	4,248	61	804	304	2,786		
HAWAII			33	392	42	592		
IDAHO					35	713		
ILLINOIS			168	4,662	289	5,862		
INDIANA			176	3,648	277	4,923		
IOWA			62	1,860	117	1,170		
KANSAS			33	891	116	1,859		
KENTUCKY	194	4,074	63	688	206	824		
LOUISIANA			33	308	147	948		
MAINE			34	427	64	427	26	390
MARYLAND			47	989	139	1,474	93	1,681
MASSACHUSETTS			109	2,449	224	3,280	135	3,214
MICHIGAN			214	5,083	310	5,951		
MINNESOTA			116	2,452	167	2,904		
MISSISSIPPI	81	1,602			112	825		
MISSOURI			51	1,538	148	2,388		
MONTANA			15	275	53	615		
NEBRASKA			31	465	39	705		
NEVADA			22	503	23	341		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					35	470	23	480
NEW JERSEY			88	2,667	301	4,119	62	2,763
NEW MEXICO			23	416	44	525		
NEW YORK			243	5,682	424	7,457	217	4,163
NORTH CAROLINA	329	6,988	78	903	226	2,823	13	271
NORTH DAKOTA			12	234	18	394		
OHIO	78	2,211	238	3,453	348	4,752	79	1,682
OKLAHOMA	90	1,620	44	495	104	204		
OREGON			80	1,200	113	904		
PENNSYLVANIA	34	777	206	4,462	336	6,015	113	2,305
RHODE ISLAND			*12	220	31	541		
SOUTH CAROLINA					84	1,042		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	231		
TENNESSEE					196	3,528		
TEXAS			248	5,125	1,013	14,060		
UTAH			47	727	65	789		
VERMONT					21	390	3	28
VIRGINIA	252	7,167	39	983	195	2,565	110	2,268
WASHINGTON			99	2,616	216	3,977		
WEST VIRGINIA			2	54	71	754		
WISCONSIN			111	2,945	154	3,415		
WYOMING			26	520	14	200		

STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	168	1,983	240	3,301
ALASKA	52	874	57	1,176
ARIZONA	137	3,253	168	4,759
ARKANSAS	260	2,860	72	1,350
CALIFORNIA	889	20,508	864	22,890
COLORADO	256	10,240	260	6,500
CONNECTICUT	142	4,787	113	2,633
DELAWARE	27	730	25	646
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	9	180	11	250
FLORIDA	349	6,750	381	7,539
GEORGIA	300	5,236	23	407
HAWAII	54	1,496	48	1,014
IDAHO	118	2,829	126	3,419
ILLINOIS	570	14,491	722	19,116
INDIANA	369	10,184	388	10,466
IOWA	445	17,800	443	13,290
KANSAS	361	6,621	350	9,099
KENTUCKY	218	2,398	62	756
LOUISIANA	323	6,821	145	1,740
MAINE	106	2,217		
MARYLAND	135	3,070	143	3,484
MASSACHUSETTS	252	8,083	138	3,072
MICHIGAN	643	19,539	625	16,286
MINNESOTA	405	6,875	443	10,716
MISSISSIPPI	210	2,243	24	465
MISSOURI	407	10,653	375	9,754
MONTANA	181	3,050	150	2,800
NEBRASKA	354	5,463	357	8,982
NEVADA	58	1,479	57	1,147
NEW HAMPSHIRE	56	1,670	33	710
NEW JERSEY	293	8,892	102	2,221
NEW MEXICO	124	2,551	116	2,714
NEW YORK	560	16,108	633	15,877
NORTH CAROLINA	233	6,124	261	4,266
NORTH DAKOTA	193	2,438	47	1,222
OHIO	752	20,637	771	18,201
OKLAHOMA	330	3,996	74	1,110
OREGON	242	7,260	245	4,900
PENNSYLVANIA	464	13,788	357	8,965
RHODE ISLAND	26	754	37	703
SOUTH CAROLINA	162	3,587	145	2,168
SOUTH DAKOTA	196	4,017	66	1,911
TENNESSEE	191	6,076	172	3,268
TEXAS	1,140	25,455	756	15,795
UTAH	99	2,243	102	2,096
VERMONT	26	660		
VIRGINIA	268	7,198	133	2,604
WASHINGTON	326	7,948	337	9,274
WEST VIRGINIA	107	2,369	62	1,338
WISCONSIN	380	10,401	418	14,013
WYOMING	72	1,800	70	1,700

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	10	107
	New York	3	56
	Ohio	1	120
BADMINTON	Arizona	29	597
	California	200	3,842
	Illinois	72	2,051
	Maryland	*7	55
	Michigan	1	22
	New York	45	815
BASEBALL	Ohio	1	120
	California	27	**293
	Georgia	5	**32
	Idaho		**2
	Minnesota	3	**7
	Alabama	1	4
BOWLING	Hawaii	21	266
	Illinois	112	1,596
	Michigan	12	378
	New Jersey	88	1,087
	New York	199	2,204
	Ohio	7	21
	Pennsylvania	60	580
	South Carolina	5	39
	Vermont	1	1
	Hawaii	7	148
CANOEING CREW	Delaware	2	40
	Michigan	1	9
	Ohio	3	44
FENCING	West Virginia	1	30
	Michigan	2	21
	New Jersey	19	306
	New York	6	51
	Alaska		**6
	California		**22
FOOTBALL (11-man)	Georgia	5	**10
	Idaho	1	**1
	Minnesota	1	**2
	Mississippi	1	**3
	Florida	34	137
	Alaska		**4
HEPTATHLON ICE HOCKEY	Massachusetts	18	90
	Vermont	1	**1
JUDO LACROSSE	Hawaii	3	5
	Delaware	6	211
	Maryland	36	1,539
	Massachusetts	21	925
	Michigan	7	312
	New Jersey	29	1,435
	New York	35	1,549
	Ohio	5	275
	Pennsylvania	54	1,725
	Vermont	1	26
	Virginia	3	106

**Girls playing on boys' teams

SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
PENTATHLON	Alabama	7	15
	Arkansas	25	43
	Tennessee	18	27
RIFLERY	Alaska	18	35
	Georgia	15	50
	Hawaii	13	96
	New York	11	55
	Ohio	3	14
	Pennsylvania	43	360
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	20	268
	Maine	4	240
	Minnesota	61	680
	New Hampshire	35	210
	Vermont	22	206
	Wyoming	7	90
WATER POLO	California	116	762
	Florida	8	**126
	Illinois	2	33
	Nevada	1	13
	Ohio	2	28
	Pennsylvania	1	15
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	7	105
	Ohio	7	142
WRESTLING	California	9	10
	Idaho	4	4
	Maryland	2	**3
	Vermont	1	**1

*Co-educational

**Represents girls playing on boys' teams

***Includes cross country participants

1988 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1987-88 School Year

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	4	94	14	180
BADMINTON	*138	2,528	*321	7,007
BASEBALL	13,589	407,630		**372
BASKETBALL	16,769	524,606	16,196	392,047
BOWLING	600	7,686	545	6,799
CANOEING	11	188	9	143
CREW	23	666	10	144
CROSS COUNTRY	9,823	157,306	8,747	104,975
DECATHLON	105	423	2	8
EQUESTRIAN	18	42	21	83
FENCING	47	1,056	32	446
FIELD HOCKEY		**15	1,453	47,701
FOOTBALL—11-man	13,085	927,132		**62
9-man	300	6,576		12
8-man	532	12,325		
6-man	151	3,246		
GOLF	*9,360	124,486	*3,719	29,013
GYMNASTICS	341	5,096	1,887	29,331
HEPTATHLON			37	170
ICE HOCKEY	879	22,868	29	**46
JUDO	11	190	1	3
LACROSSE	349	17,694	218	8,108
PENTATHLON	1	10	45	78
RIFLERY	192	2,176	85	550
SKIING (Cross Country)	245	2,741	230	2,546
(Downhill)	408	7,610	376	4,735
SOCCER	*6,159	208,935	*3,697	103,173
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	89	1,719	8,314	208,344
(Slow Pitch)	24	405	1,997	40,539
SWIMMING & DIVING	3,919	94,199	3,897	83,964
TENNIS	8,844	136,083	8,426	126,566
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,565	37,930	1,165	24,119
(Outdoor)	14,246	431,009	13,804	326,694
VOLLEYBALL	640	12,303	11,834	292,883
WATER POLO	353	9,664	61	874
WEIGHT LIFTING	323	12,219	118	1,198
WRESTLING	8,358	246,771		**124

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

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SUMMARY
1987-88 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY**

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,769	1. Football	949,279
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,246	2. Basketball	524,606
3. Football	14,068	3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	431,009
4. Baseball	13,589	4. Baseball	407,630
5. Cross Country	9,823	5. Wrestling	246,771
6. Golf	9,360	6. Soccer	208,935
7. Tennis	8,844	7. Cross Country	157,306
8. Wrestling	8,358	8. Tennis	136,083
9. Soccer	6,159	9. Golf	124,486
10. Swimming & Diving	3,919	10. Swimming & Diving	94,199

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,196	1. Basketball	392,047
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,804	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	326,694
3. Volleyball	11,834	3. Volleyball	292,883
4. Cross Country	8,747	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	208,344
5. Tennis	8,426	5. Tennis	126,566
6. Softball (Fast Pitch)	8,314	6. Cross Country	104,975
7. Swimming & Diving	3,897	7. Soccer	103,173
8. Golf	3,719	8. Swimming & Diving	83,964
9. Soccer	3,697	9. Field Hockey	47,701
10. Track & Field (Indoor)	1,165	10. Softball (Slow Pitch)	40,539

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	341	7,870	397	11,440	55	665	370	21,359
ALASKA			127	2,099	71	807	15	1,154
ARIZONA	158	5,928	162	5,583	109	1,830	149	13,404
ARKANSAS	213	3,834	365	8,393	39	310	209	9,403
CALIFORNIA	872	32,092	949	32,410	729	15,421	778	74,041
COLORADO	202	6,262	266	10,640	147	2,940	193	11,580
CONNECTICUT	170	5,455	173	4,838	160	2,404	121	7,439
DELAWARE	45	1,401	45	1,184	44	480	44	2,389
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	242	11	550	8	200	11	600
FLORIDA	421	10,508	436	11,101	294	3,599	364	27,920
GEORGIA	339	8,336	356	9,294	201	2,767	328	22,612
HAWAII	51	1,427	54	1,402	48	686	45	3,265
IDAHO	48	1,396	126	3,261	51	694	102	7,293
ILLINOIS	616	21,453	725	24,146	382	6,793	535	44,133
INDIANA	386	12,300	388	13,467	371	5,400	313	22,824
IOWA	454	12,718	462	13,498	250	2,943	402	20,850
KANSAS	78	2,561	363	9,836	191	2,511	250	12,476
KENTUCKY	266	5,586	284	7,720	177	1,239	199	6,965
LOUISIANA	299	7,540	426	12,380	167	1,891	289	7,950
MAINE	125	3,350	131	3,987	106	1,148	55	3,174
MARYLAND	149	4,216	149	4,123	120	1,878	141	9,795
MASSACHUSETTS	327	11,527	335	10,862	265	3,962	268	18,184
MICHIGAN	640	13,934	699	23,568	533	7,115	625	36,945
MINNESOTA	407	9,032	476	10,264	264	3,531	367	17,949
MISSISSIPPI	254	6,655	278	5,095	69	693	258	12,968
MISSOURI	403	10,513	549	16,248	227	4,224	323	22,161
MONTANA			182	4,569	59	819	82	4,612
NEBRASKA	28	1,171	351	8,476	130	1,280	183	9,871
NEVADA	43	1,224	61	2,530	32	930	49	4,187
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,538	86	2,458	61	681	34	2,338
NEW JERSEY	394	17,187	395	12,944	309	5,698	349	24,608
NEW MEXICO	75	2,035	131	3,610	69	953	89	5,215
NEW YORK	736	25,615	762	23,239	540	8,497	571	39,637
NORTH CAROLINA	330	9,270	330	9,983	180	2,913	321	22,678
NORTH DAKOTA	35	559	218	4,840	34	408	58	3,305
OHIO	772	23,329	796	26,068	672	8,431	718	47,614
OKLAHOMA	420	12,106	486	19,531	83	1,472	272	14,452
OREGON	205	9,225	249	8,964	177	2,655	194	12,610
PENNSYLVANIA	573	17,763	623	18,690	424	7,632	545	40,330
RHODE ISLAND	45	1,305	44	1,022	38	686	39	1,952
SOUTH CAROLINA	192	4,617	201	6,777	68	1,076	197	15,919
SOUTH DAKOTA			196	4,687	114	995	60	3,701
TENNESSEE	315	8,010	329	9,431	154	2,966	296	22,791
TEXAS	816	31,462	1,148	53,063	651	19,046	1,040	128,123
UTAH	94	2,325	104	3,090	72	1,282	82	7,148
VERMONT	54	1,459	57	1,540	31	398	15	1,111
VIRGINIA	276	7,549	284	8,904	207	2,514	272	19,006
WASHINGTON	290	9,229	351	11,646	253	4,562	270	20,405
WEST VIRGINIA	152	3,031	160	5,103	58	751	141	8,157
WISCONSIN	384	10,485	421	13,559	299	4,163	397	25,711
WYOMING			72	2,133	30	367	57	2,818

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			115	1,008				
ALASKA							14	500
ARIZONA	6	580	96	976				
ARKANSAS			106	630				
CALIFORNIA	42	1,143	514	6,476	18	259		
COLORADO	37	925	103	1,236	17	340	12	170
CONNECTICUT			143	1,625			52	1,104
DELAWARE			25	257	1	5		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			2	16				
FLORIDA			297	2,555	4	14		
GEORGIA			230	2,050	1	2		
HAWAII			41	296				
IDAHO	13	394	52	749				
ILLINOIS			371	6,190	58	1,696	8	242
INDIANA			348	4,298				
IOWA			358	5,312				
KANSAS	111	2,302	178	2,546	5	86		
KENTUCKY			202	1,414				
LOUISIANA			56	279	4	36		
MAINE			73	702	3	8	28	711
MARYLAND			104	961	12	100		
MASSACHUSETTS			220	2,834	22	278	210	6,540
MICHIGAN			457	9,849	10	109	93	1,817
MINNESOTA			321	3,311	18	314	172	5,011
MISSISSIPPI			86	802				
MISSOURI	7	139	219	3,263				
MONTANA	48	1,027	54	773	2	32		
NEBRASKA	129	3,229	158	2,392	19	165		
NEVADA	9	187	32	430				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			31	359			21	563
NEW JERSEY			96	3,076	24	326	49	1,314
NEW MEXICO			45	500	9	98		
NEW YORK			495	5,964	46	711	85	1,900
NORTH CAROLINA			249	2,710				
NORTH DAKOTA			73	939			13	408
OHIO			647	7,478	44	224	39	745
OKLAHOMA	48	878	128	692				
OREGON	38	570	125	1,000				
PENNSYLVANIA			397	4,367	5	75		
RHODE ISLAND			34	419			27	708
SOUTH CAROLINA			113	1,157				
SOUTH DAKOTA			58	692				
TENNESSEE			196	1,606				
TEXAS			872	18,804				
UTAH			72	886				
VERMONT			26	320			19	391
VIRGINIA			202	1,981	14	154		
WASHINGTON	38	845	186	2,726				
WEST VIRGINIA			84	790				
WISCONSIN			245	4,388			37	744
WYOMING	6	106	25	402	5	64		

STATE	Skiing-Downhill		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			44	1,512	24	234	105	1,095
ALASKA			10	399	25	418	6	147
ARIZONA			64	1,946	49	1,055	98	1,625
ARKANSAS					17	225	126	1,014
CALIFORNIA	7	117	686	24,245	464	13,283	632	12,866
COLORADO	9	108	99	2,970	87	2,610	95	1,710
CONNECTICUT			165	6,183	86	1,557	138	2,008
DELAWARE			38	1,347	14	278	27	404
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			6	150	10	300	11	200
FLORIDA			305	8,355	227	3,530	314	3,170
GEORGIA			152	4,385	65	865	309	3,191
HAWAII			43	920	36	337	47	526
IDAHO							34	617
ILLINOIS			242	10,955	162	4,229	282	5,999
INDIANA					181	4,026	283	4,921
IOWA					55	1,041	116	1,750
KANSAS			37	1,512	35	716	119	1,913
KENTUCKY			93	2,325	65	671	201	864
LOUISIANA			42	590	39	420	173	1,240
MAINE	30	575	107	3,825	29	421	63	816
MARYLAND			143	5,359	54	890	133	1,708
MASSACHUSETTS	50	1,086	287	10,641	99	1,727	215	3,083
MICHIGAN	76	1,245	232	7,004	234	5,943	357	7,937
MINNESOTA	43	789	84	4,035	124	1,996	167	3,108
MISSISSIPPI			49	1,238			141	1,220
MISSOURI			130	5,194	56	1,581	167	2,993
MONTANA					18	186	25	341
NEBRASKA			27	978	30	676	46	480
NEVADA	13	331	25	967			37	309
NEW HAMPSHIRE	38	570	73	2,457			37	473
NEW JERSEY	24	281	352	15,155	102	2,534	322	4,859
NEW MEXICO			38	1,004	22	331	45	565
NEW YORK	87	1,925	558	22,849	256	6,069	526	7,552
NORTH CAROLINA			154	3,080	87	1,305	257	3,855
NORTH DAKOTA					9	165	18	275
OHIO			345	12,331	225	2,938	444	6,250
OKLAHOMA			53	1,115	39	549	101	1,010
OREGON			103	3,090	79	11,185	103	824
PENNSYLVANIA			342	10,260	209	4,807	340	5,100
RHODE ISLAND			41	1,194	12	244	36	651
SOUTH CAROLINA			86	2,490			105	1,245
SOUTH DAKOTA							17	299
TENNESSEE			105	2,757			210	4,035
TEXAS			216	5,815	258	6,620	1,065	19,191
UTAH			52	1,569	45	980	69	910
VERMONT	23	440	57	1,783			19	265
VIRGINIA			158	4,785	42	896	219	2,873
WASHINGTON			184	5,695	99	2,746	208	4,084
WEST VIRGINIA			31	645	1	23	76	961
WISCONSIN			90	3,438	103	2,266	157	3,461
WYOMING	8	143	11	388	24	529	16	290

STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	70	1,192	195	4,162			36	875
ALASKA			50	1,004	69	186	81	1,393
ARIZONA			149	4,979			126	4,543
ARKANSAS	18	180	283	5,660				
CALIFORNIA	12	307	715	31,671	232	5,779	584	21,025
COLORADO			257	10,280			206	8,000
CONNECTICUT	71	1,662	153	5,256			91	2,599
DELAWARE	19	405	28	932	1	25	39	1,106
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	330	11	330			2	40
FLORIDA			356	9,939			226	6,705
GEORGIA			326	7,580	2	37	175	4,593
HAWAII			50	1,599	43	624	41	987
IDAHO			118	3,614			79	2,618
ILLINOIS			565	20,362			373	15,534
INDIANA			372	11,993			304	9,808
IOWA			434	10,164			305	7,286
KANSAS			351	8,664			164	4,490
KENTUCKY			219	3,285			54	756
LOUISIANA	68	735	395	8,240			72	840
MAINE	32	766	85	2,303	12	139	45	982
MARYLAND	90	1,982	132	4,028	19	254	137	4,426
MASSACHUSETTS	226	4,841	251	8,572	32	637	120	3,351
MICHIGAN			645	17,790	3	142	443	10,490
MINNESOTA			442	10,541			361	7,302
MISSISSIPPI			239	3,555			1	17
MISSOURI			411	13,508	5	145	170	7,268
MONTANA			179	3,240			54	1,774
NEBRASKA			352	8,831			197	4,304
NEVADA			61	1,974			38	1,247
NEW HAMPSHIRE	25	525	52	1,572			13	521
NEW JERSEY	115	5,687	317	12,464			319	10,436
NEW MEXICO			127	3,306			46	1,317
NEW YORK	251	7,015	591	16,874	111	2,377	500	13,225
NORTH CAROLINA	66	1,320	289	11,107			223	6,252
NORTH DAKOTA			176	2,868			63	1,427
OHIO	211	3,167	754	22,610	14	275	569	16,573
OKLAHOMA			338	4,998			137	3,665
OREGON			240	12,000			165	4,125
PENNSYLVANIA	133	3,192	499	19,960	87	1,479	476	15,708
RHODE ISLAND	19	834	35	1,220	10	204	30	879
SOUTH CAROLINA			177	5,406			75	2,538
SOUTH DAKOTA			191	4,079			98	1,871
TENNESSEE			192	5,456			97	3,718
TEXAS			1,150	43,175				
UTAH	11	341	101	3,491			85	2,900
VERMONT	4	84	27	686			15	221
VIRGINIA	109	3,293	275	7,545			194	6,642
WASHINGTON			324	10,501			241	8,499
WEST VIRGINIA			116	3,989			85	2,338
WISCONSIN			381	11,661			353	8,223
WYOMING	4	72	70	1,805			50	1,334

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	New York	4	94
BADMINTON	California	126	2,398
	Maryland	8	88
	Michigan	2	33
	New York	2	9
BOWLING	Hawaii	34	310
	Illinois	10	141
	Maryland	5	8
	Michigan	11	76
	Nevada	12	511
	New Jersey	141	2,174
	New York	305	3,650
	Ohio	14	137
	Pennsylvania	57	570
	South Carolina	10	101
	Utah	1	8
CANOEING	Hawaii	11	188
CREW	Delaware	2	70
	Michigan	6	83
	New York	1	40
	Ohio	6	96
	Virginia	7	329
	West Virginia	1	48
DECATHLON	Alabama	5	20
	Arkansas	28	61
	Florida	40	287
	Tennessee	29	46
	Utah	2	4
	Vermont	1	5
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	18	42
FENCING	Illinois	2	51
	Michigan	3	48
	New Jersey	22	572
	New York	13	281
	Ohio	7	104
FIELD HOCKEY	Maine	10	**14
	Vermont	1	**1
FOOTBALL (9-man)	California	7	343
	Minnesota	98	1,908
	North Dakota	72	1,848
	South Dakota	123	2,477
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Colorado	13	260
	Montana	8	84
	Nebraska	31	433
	New Mexico	11	168
	Texas	88	2,301
JUDO	Hawaii	11	190
LACROSSE	Connecticut	15	770
	Delaware	4	114
	Illinois	2	77
	Maryland	57	2,817
	Massachusetts	32	1,887
	Michigan	9	301
	New Jersey	38	1,835
	New York	174	9,258

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
LACROSSE (Continued)	Ohio	6	162
	Vermont	2	62
	Virginia	10	411
PENTATHLON	Utah	1	10
RIFLERY	Alaska	10	157
	Georgia	62	395
	Hawaii	9	105
	Illinois	2	29
	Michigan	1	10
	New York	63	850
	Pennsylvania	45	630
	Alaska	22	382
	Maine	34	454
	Massachusetts	47	246
SKIING (Cross Country)	Michigan	8	65
	Minnesota	69	947
	New Hampshire	34	369
	Vermont	23	214
	Wyoming	8	64
	California	42	934
	Maine	1	1
	Missouri	22	350
	Ohio	23	373
	West Virginia	1	61
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	California	7	133
	Delaware	1	22
	Georgia	13	198
	Ohio	3	52
	California	272	8,112
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Florida	21	365
	Hawaii	8	123
	Illinois	8	262
	Michigan	8	69
	Missouri	13	372
	Ohio	9	134
	Pennsylvania	10	150
	Utah	4	77
	California	7	380
	Florida	124	3,193
WATER POLO	Georgia	28	3,561
	Kansas	17	729
	Michigan	12	661
	North Carolina	20	440
	Ohio	103	2,643
	South Carolina	2	30
	Utah	9	535
	Vermont	1	47
	California	7	380
	Florida	124	3,193
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	28	3,561
	Kansas	17	729
	Michigan	12	661
	North Carolina	20	440
	Ohio	103	2,643
	South Carolina	2	30
	Utah	9	535
	Vermont	1	47
	California	7	380
	Florida	124	3,193

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	314	4,704	43	417			15	77
ALASKA	127	1,690	71	577				
ARIZONA	162	4,333	101	1,290			36	135
ARKANSAS	316	3,764	45	386			26	43
CALIFORNIA	898	21,100	677	9,147	54	1,498		338
COLORADO	262	10,480	142	2,500				
CONNECTICUT	171	3,389	143	1,492	75	2,617	37	107
DELAWARE	43	791	24	255	39	1,215	3	3
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	200	8	120			2	2
FLORIDA	395	6,320	261	2,427			143	745
GEORGIA	343	7,063	160	1,481			33	51
HAWAII	54	1,201	49	634			16	21
IDAHO	125	2,718	51	395			32	220
ILLINOIS	627	14,730	300	3,285	8	266	135	637
INDIANA	385	10,118	281	2,689			155	1,328
IOWA	461	11,224	271	1,834			334	3,333
KANSAS	358	7,467	176	1,152			41	443
KENTUCKY	277	5,817	150	1,050			153	1,071
LOUISIANA	375	9,350	134	815			10	30
MAINE	125	3,128	94	771	74	2,525	21	35
MARYLAND	146	3,145	115	996	107	3,140	41	78
MASSACHUSETTS	315	8,283	230	2,336	197	7,436	35	100
MICHIGAN	694	16,850	501	4,547	4	77	153	1,906
MINNESOTA	473	7,806	264	2,329			298	2,098
MISSISSIPPI	278	4,583	58	583			12	23
MISSOURI	526	12,710	190	2,372	19	668	61	623
MONTANA	181	3,935	72	522			55	408
NEBRASKA	351	7,089	127	771			52	463
NEVADA	60	1,790	31	712			24	254
NEW HAMPSHIRE	86	2,040	59	627	52	1,695	1	7
NEW JERSEY	388	8,822	261	3,491	200	7,717	36	120
NEW MEXICO	129	2,686	60	535			35	184
NEW YORK	715	15,334	442	5,690	241	6,850	76	308
NORTH CAROLINA	330	6,325	135	1,127			17	66
NORTH DAKOTA	211	3,833	31	224			42	255
OHIO	795	17,780	600	4,929	27	861	80	275
OKLAHOMA	485	19,391	59	796			57	258
OREGON	248	6,200	173	2,595			82	492
PENNSYLVANIA	624	16,848	400	5,600	240	7,440	193	2,123
RHODE ISLAND	46	973	33	350	19	526		
SOUTH CAROLINA	20	4,805	52	441	1	55	4	7
SOUTH DAKOTA	192	3,752	94	561			50	462
TENNESSEE	331	8,827	147	1,839			135	358
TEXAS	1,146	43,791	552	19,148			726	7,939
UTAH	93	1,975	65	729			10	18
VERMONT	55	1,199	32	267	28	917	8	42
VIRGINIA	284	6,220	165	1,675	68	2,198		
WASHINGTON	349	10,128	247	3,150			152	736
WEST VIRGINIA	152	2,962	51	309			1	1
WISCONSIN	413	10,742	297	2,823			68	652
WYOMING	71	1,636	23	184			23	138

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Downhill		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	15	235			15	302		
ALASKA	9	159			10	363		
ARIZONA	8	88					137	3,782
ARKANSAS	21	230						
CALIFORNIA	100	1,942	6	81	498	12,398	756	19,983
COLORADO	85	1,700	9	108	89	2,670	54	1,350
CONNECTICUT	43	589			111	3,083	169	4,340
DELAWARE	7	18					34	860
DIST. OF COLUMBIA					1	30	11	200
FLORIDA	13	130			155	3,366	49	862
GEORGIA	29	311			78	1,610		
HAWAII	3	30			42	792	44	718
IDAHO								
ILLINOIS	90	1,888			77	2,841	528	14,216
INDIANA	102	1,619					214	5,150
IOWA	20	197					438	7,828
KANSAS	20	253			13	357	43	1,222
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA	12	135			15	230	233	4,660
MAINE	16	131	30	396	94	2,214	115	2,601
MARYLAND	27	340			82	2,598	142	3,540
MASSACHUSETTS	100	2,100	46	499	221	6,710	317	9,676
MICHIGAN	87	1,139	75	703	126	3,943	625	16,142
MINNESOTA	153	2,540	43	513	71	2,238	315	8,720
MISSISSIPPI					16	47		
MISSOURI	8	165			75	2,448	279	5,865
MONTANA	7	133					14	287
NEBRASKA	21	255			26	780		
NEVADA			12	204			40	1,270
NEW HAMPSHIRE	6	75	29	371	39	1,036	80	1,965
NEW JERSEY	100	1,319	8	137	219	6,783	382	12,894
NEW MEXICO	13	147			26	537	39	779
NEW YORK	170	2,880	89	1,373	541	18,409	717	22,942
NORTH CAROLINA	13	146			52	1,040		
NORTH DAKOTA	20	141						
OHIO	117	1,400			153	4,443	598	13,891
OKLAHOMA					34	706	165	2,915
OREGON					77	1,975	141	4,230
PENNSYLVANIA	76	1,368			92	2,208	538	13,450
RHODE ISLAND	12	123			27	640	14	293
SOUTH CAROLINA					13	245	167	3,036
SOUTH DAKOTA	35	470						
TENNESSEE					71	1,634	262	5,048
TEXAS					162	4,125		
UTAH	22	339			20	193	1	13
VERMONT	10	84	22	279	46	1,154	54	1,261
VIRGINIA	89	1,010			73	2,168	230	4,596
WASHINGTON	68	1,337			166	4,270		
WEST VIRGINIA							69	1,213
WISCONSIN	131	2,026			62	2,327	300	8,546
WYOMING	9	139	7	71	9	260		

STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	221	3,749	22	220	95	968	61	770
ALASKA			25	418	6	106		
ARIZONA			51	1,193	103	1,750		
ARKANSAS			16	235	119	904		
CALIFORNIA	61	1,532	480	14,136	657	12,680	9	228
COLORADO			92	2,760	103	1,854		
CONNECTICUT			66	1,691	137	2,131	50	870
DELAWARE	3	61	15	343	26	392	18	245
DIST. OF COLUMBIA			10	75	11	100	7	150
FLORIDA	356	6,578	222	3,399	294	2,696		
GEORGIA	230	4,579	61	914	304	3,171		
HAWAII			40	424	51	577		
IDAHO					34	532		
ILLINOIS			153	3,968	283	5,370		
INDIANA			177	3,566	278	4,853		
IOWA			59	1,109	112	2,050		
KANSAS			35	874	114	1,682		
KENTUCKY	194	4,074	63	688	206	824		
LOUISIANA			33	330	147	960		
MAINE			29	576	63	815	34	587
MARYLAND			54	1,045	131	1,510	90	1,550
MASSACHUSETTS			105	2,322	221	3,424	133	3,577
MICHIGAN			215	4,540	315	5,733		
MINNESOTA			137	3,418	174	3,115		
MISSISSIPPI	89	919			123	908		
MISSOURI			56	1,612	145	2,456		
MONTANA			20	236	41	557		
NEBRASKA			31	663	48	917		
NEVADA			22	473	24	332		
NEW HAMPSHIRE					35	487	27	605
NEW JERSEY			93	2,684	315	4,199	65	2,810
NEW MEXICO			24	388	43	557		
NEW YORK			243	5,802	424	5,993	217	4,553
NORTH CAROLINA	329	6,988	82	1,230	230	3,450	57	1,140
NORTH DAKOTA			11	253	18	387		
OHIO	135	2,290	254	3,204	348	5,265	143	2,090
OKLAHOMA	80	1,543	39	485	101	808		
OREGON			80	1,200	112	896		
PENNSYLVANIA			213	4,686	339	6,102	123	2,460
RHODE ISLAND	32	777			31	511		
SOUTH CAROLINA					87	1,041		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	231		
TENNESSEE					204	2,754		
TEXAS			248	5,125	1,013	18,469		
UTAH	3	148	42	729	60	736	10	211
VERMONT					19	316	5	85
VIRGINIA			42	1,006	199	2,685	112	2,126
WASHINGTON	264	7,301	102	2,658	217	4,056		
WEST VIRGINIA					75	909		
WISCONSIN			110	2,836	158	3,172		
WYOMING			25	450	15	187	4	62

STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	170	2,559	214	3,317
ALASKA	50	776	69	1,352
ARIZONA	144	3,430	160	4,893
ARKANSAS	260	2,860	72	1,350
CALIFORNIA	694	19,415	867	22,048
COLORADO	259	10,360	266	6,650
CONNECTICUT	143	4,333	118	2,631
DELAWARE	27	745	26	609
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	9	180	11	300
FLORIDA	339	6,527	376	6,920
GEORGIA	300	5,096	23	606
HAWAII	53	996	58	1,090
IDAHO	118	2,959	126	3,661
ILLINOIS	545	13,574	675	17,482
INDIANA	367	9,698	388	10,302
IOWA	416	8,510	453	11,778
KANSAS	346	6,067	350	9,010
KENTUCKY	218	2,398	62	756
LOUISIANA	323	6,940	145	1,850
MAINE	87	1,864	18	310
MARYLAND	128	2,567	143	3,096
MASSACHUSETTS	242	7,353	135	3,115
MICHIGAN	641	14,372	627	15,749
MINNESOTA	442	9,199	476	13,067
MISSISSIPPI	221	2,467	26	512
MISSOURI	404	10,428	373	9,608
MONTANA	179	2,864	132	2,901
NEBRASKA	352	6,558	353	9,347
NEVADA	58	1,502	57	1,207
NEW HAMPSHIRE	51	1,487	36	795
NEW JERSEY	309	8,947	116	2,575
NEW MEXICO	124	2,174	121	2,728
NEW YORK	560	14,574	633	13,121
NORTH CAROLINA	233	6,124	282	5,640
NORTH DAKOTA	183	2,393	55	1,486
OHIO	750	17,976	776	17,709
OKLAHOMA	338	4,034	76	1,019
OREGON	242	7,260	245	4,900
PENNSYLVANIA	470	14,100	367	9,175
RHODE ISLAND	27	833	36	761
SOUTH CAROLINA	168	3,911	146	2,081
SOUTH DAKOTA	189	3,166	73	1,840
TENNESSEE	188	4,254	176	4,254
TEXAS	1,147	37,577	757	27,526
UTAH	96	2,355	95	2,110
VERMONT	25	563		
VIRGINIA	273	6,753	144	2,917
WASHINGTON	327	8,107	344	9,459
WEST VIRGINIA	115	2,590	70	1,726
WISCONSIN	383	9,600	418	13,520
WYOMING	71	1,319	69	2,024

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	11	124
	New York	3	56
BADMINTON	Arizona	34	597
	California	163	3,660
	Illinois	71	1,789
	Maryland	8	103
	New York	45	858
BASEBALL	Alabama	1	1
	California		**294
	Delaware	1	2
	Georgia	5	46
	Maine	2	10
	Mississippi	4	14
	Texas		5
BOWLING	Hawaii	31	281
	Illinois	99	1,408
	Maryland	5	7
	Michigan	11	65
	Nevada	12	407
	New Jersey	111	1,317
	New York	199	2,614
	Ohio	7	40
	Pennsylvania	60	600
	South Carolina	9	53
	Utah	1	7
CANOEING CREW	Hawaii	9	143
	Delaware	2	51
	Michigan	1	23
	Ohio	6	52
DECATHLON	West Virginia	1	18
	Vermont	2	8
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	21	83
FENCING	Illinois	1	16
	Michigan	2	7
FOOTBALL (11-man)	New Jersey	23	363
	New York	6	60
	Alabama	1	1
	Alaska	15	**5
	California		**39
FOOTBALL (9-man) HEPTATHLON	Georgia		**15
	Maine	2	**2
	California		12
	Florida	35	162
	Vermont	2	8
ICE HOCKEY	Alaska	14	11
	Maine	6	14
	Massachusetts	9	15
JUDO	New Hampshire		6
	Hawaii	1	3
LACROSSE	Connecticut	7	298
	Delaware	4	106
	Maryland	49	1,980
	Massachusetts	17	866
	Michigan	4	44
	New Jersey	37	1,573

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
LACROSSE (Continued)	New York	35	1,113
	Ohio	8	326
	Pennsylvania	53	1,696
	Vermont	1	22
	Virginia	3	84
PENTATHLON	Arkansas	25	43
	Tennessee	19	33
	Utah	1	2
RIFLERY	Alaska	10	47
	Georgia	15	40
	Hawaii	6	28
	Illinois	1	2
	New York	11	55
SKIING (Cross Country)	Pennsylvania	42	378
	Alaska	22	244
	Maine	34	381
	Massachusetts	34	263
	Michigan	6	44
	Minnesota	74	1,032
	New Hampshire	31	339
	Vermont	22	200
	Wyoming	7	43
	California	34	532
WATER POLO	Florida	10	139
	Hawaii	6	28
	Illinois	4	82
	Ohio	2	24
	Pennsylvania	1	15
	Utah	4	54
	California	1	30
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	7	393
	Kansas	8	126
	Ohio	98	345
	Utah	3	278
	Vermont	1	26
	Alaska		**28
WRESTLING	California		**33
	Connecticut		**1
	Georgia		**34
	Maine	3	**6
	Massachusetts	6	**22

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1989 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1988-89 School Year

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	7	136	16	187
BADMINTON	*143	2,799	*316	6,860
BASEBALL	13,600	412,825	*301	**1,011
BASKETBALL	16,711	513,575	16,173	379,337
BOWLING	600	7,787	548	6,076
CANOEING	7	161	7	162
CREW	12	34	2	113
CROSS COUNTRY	9,984	155,192	9,013	104,160
DECATHLON	121	369	7	34
EQUESTRIAN	16	84	21	213
FENCING	34	845	28	584
FIELD HOCKEY	7	**33	1,407	47,730
FOOTBALL—11-man	12,978	930,034	*203	**97
9-man	300	6,295		**12
8-man	570	12,180		
6-man	145	3,160		
GOLF	*9,654	124,759	*3,870	**30,971
GYMNASTICS	322	4,118	1,806	26,441
HEPTATHLON	1	4	45	187
ICE HOCKEY	885	23,004	*49	**80
JUDO	22	172	1	2
LACROSSE	350	17,951	222	8,910
PENTATHLON	1	3	54	91
RIFLERY	170	1,980	109	**668
SKIING (Cross Country)	251	3,136	244	2,707
(Downhill)	426	7,220	386	4,698
SOCCER	*6,430	218,973	*3,897	**108,387
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	116	2,759	8,474	203,569
(Slow Pitch)	16	295	2,091	42,724
SWIMMING & DIVING	4,090	84,366	4,074	84,739
TENNIS	8,825	136,158	8,371	128,415
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,868	45,621	1,849	32,696
(Outdoor)	14,202	422,251	13,886	315,828
VOLLEYBALL	683	13,429	*11,922	299,396
WATER POLO	336	9,315	59	900
WEIGHT LIFTING	343	15,216	103	1,981
WRESTLING	8,389	242,064	25	**204
OTHER		611		**1,082

*Includes some co-educational teams

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NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS SUMMARY

1988-89 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,711	1. Football	951,669
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,202	2. Basketball	513,575
3. Football	13,993	3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	422,251
4. Baseball	13,600	4. Baseball	412,825
5. Cross Country	9,984	5. Wrestling	242,064
6. Golf	9,654	6. Soccer	218,973
7. Tennis	8,825	7. Cross Country	155,192
8. Wrestling	8,389	8. Tennis	136,158
9. Soccer	6,430	9. Golf	124,759
10. Swimming & Diving	4,090	10. Swimming & Diving	84,366

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,173	1. Basketball	379,337
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,886	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	315,828
3. Volleyball	11,922	3. Volleyball	299,396
4. Cross Country	9,013	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	203,569
5. Softball (Fast Pitch)	8,474	5. Tennis	128,415
6. Tennis	8,371	6. Soccer	108,387
7. Swimming & Diving	4,074	7. Cross Country	104,160
8. Soccer	3,897	8. Swimming & Diving	84,739
9. Golf	3,870	9. Field Hockey	47,730
10. Softball (Slow Pitch)	2,091	10. Softball (Slow Pitch)	42,724

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	341	7,870	405	11,671	55	665	370	21,359
ALASKA			149	2,305	102	806	16	1,164
ARIZONA	163	5,786	166	5,402	117	1,697	136	12,066
ARKANSAS	244	3,860	347	7,762	66	408	198	11,630
CALIFORNIA	872	32,092	949	32,410	729	15,421	778	74,041
COLORADO	210	6,739	279	7,755	155	1,809	193	12,678
CONNECTICUT	169	5,463	172	4,662	163	2,446	118	7,278
DELAWARE	40	1,404	40	1,312	32	483	37	2,336
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	242	11	550	8	200	11	530
FLORIDA	420	11,403	439	11,501	304	3,832	367	28,045
GEORGIA	322	8,677	339	9,678	213	2,594	317	22,614
HAWAII	54	1,486	58	1,463	43	575	48	3,483
IDAHO	53	1,483	131	4,305	50	570	123	7,272
ILLINOIS	642	23,719	772	26,981	394	7,391	566	48,735
INDIANA	398	12,196	410	13,433	387	5,447	334	21,873
IOWA	435	11,443	451	14,135	247	3,110	384	22,163
KANSAS	95	3,027	360	9,905	203	2,367	254	13,164
KENTUCKY	276	5,786	283	7,717	209	1,463	200	7,111
LOUISIANA	300	7,565	409	12,270	184	2,024	288	15,640
MAINE	113	2,951	118	3,515	99	1,121	49	2,789
MARYLAND	150	4,583	150	4,296	123	1,827	141	10,511
MASSACHUSETTS	319	11,969	324	11,537	271	4,075	275	17,771
MICHIGAN	634	19,368	699	26,662	523	6,656	622	42,299
MINNESOTA	416	9,165	470	10,125	271	3,548	370	17,747
MISSISSIPPI	254	6,595	278	5,051	70	702	258	12,970
MISSOURI	409	11,008	551	15,588	220	3,949	315	21,274
MONTANA			182	4,397	52	693	80	4,837
NEBRASKA	28	1,131	351	8,415	130	1,326	183	10,032
NEVADA	43	1,309	61	2,615	34	917	47	4,303
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,456	85	2,624	62	746	34	2,315
NEW JERSEY	384	16,651	386	14,030	278	6,573	344	25,004
NEW MEXICO	78	2,150	130	3,578	69	922	90	4,969
NEW YORK	677	21,289	677	19,463	480	6,559	508	30,131
NORTH CAROLINA	329	12,189	329	9,041	200	2,684	316	22,701
NORTH DAKOTA	34	547	219	4,686	39	424	58	3,217
OHIO	772	22,796	790	25,782	660	8,038	717	44,790
OKLAHOMA	407	8,493	487	10,433	89	1,454	272	14,380
OREGON	204	9,180	250	9,000	172	2,580	189	12,285
PENNSYLVANIA	572	17,730	625	18,755	422	7,608	546	40,398
RHODE ISLAND	45	1,173	44	1,023	38	562	39	1,759
SOUTH CAROLINA	187	4,663	197	6,463	72	1,116	192	15,069
SOUTH DAKOTA			193	4,334	112	880	58	3,594
TENNESSEE	315	8,036	334	9,575	156	3,005	294	22,638
TEXAS	870	32,462	1,169	53,153	717	20,046	1,003	126,123
UTAH	85	2,310	103	3,008	73	1,296	82	7,195
VERMONT	58	1,642	65	1,768	37	456	19	1,253
VIRGINIA	274	7,994	273	8,657	202	2,575	274	19,312
WASHINGTON	290	9,229	351	11,646	253	4,562	270	20,405
WEST VIRGINIA	137	3,088	156	3,266	70	696	140	6,946
WISCONSIN	385	10,427	422	13,726	302	3,916	397	24,877
WYOMING			72	1,966	27	372	58	2,718

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			115	1,008				
ALASKA							20	498
ARIZONA	17	491	106	1,001				
ARKANSAS			109	902				
CALIFORNIA	42	1,143	514	6,476	18	259		
COLORADO	40	769	109	1,332	9	101	13	278
CONNECTICUT			141	1,526			52	1,171
DELAWARE			30	289				
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			2	16				
FLORIDA			304	2,822	10	77		
GEORGIA			246	2,139	2	34		
HAWAII			41	246				
IDAHO	13	394	53	706				
ILLINOIS			378	6,649	64	1,408		
INDIANA			351	4,205				
IOWA			350	5,615			5	71
KANSAS	108	2,000	190	2,864	4	42		
KENTUCKY			216	1,512				
LOUISIANA			149	1,045	4	36		
MAINE			61	559	4	3	24	581
MARYLAND			106	920	8	78		
MASSACHUSETTS			232	2,861	22	254	212	6,527
MICHIGAN			451	5,609	9	15	91	1,836
MINNESOTA			338	3,403	16	301	176	5,063
MISSISSIPPI			*90	820				
MISSOURI	15	304	227	3,195				
MONTANA	56	937	55	831				
NEBRASKA	130	3,053	158	2,175	19	181		
NEVADA	8	174	32	452				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			32	369	2	27	21	561
NEW JERSEY			158	3,225	21	315	49	1,434
NEW MEXICO			49	540	10	71		
NEW YORK			467	5,261	36	504	81	1,870
NORTH CAROLINA			251	2,761				
NORTH DAKOTA			75	1,002			13	457
OHIO			647	7,333	42	179	42	763
OKLAHOMA	61	1,427	143	1,554				
OREGON	40	600	129	1,032				
PENNSYLVANIA			397	4,344	5	63		
RHODE ISLAND			33	341			26	653
SOUTH CAROLINA			116	2,437				
SOUTH DAKOTA			61	701				
TENNESSEE			204	1,672				
TEXAS			882	18,854				
UTAH			70	902				
VERMONT			32	355			22	440
VIRGINIA			203	2,101	11	111		
WASHINGTON	38	845	186	2,726				
WEST VIRGINIA			85	1,126				
WISCONSIN			255	4,523			38	801
WYOMING	2	43	25	422	6	59		

*Includes some co-educational teams

STATE	Skiing-Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			44	1,512	25	190	105	1,095
ALASKA			8	427	23	419	6	140
ARIZONA			73	2,048	54	1,006	103	1,519
ARKANSAS					27	257	117	1,377
CALIFORNIA	7	117	686	24,245	464	13,283	632	12,866
COLORADO	13	156	111	3,637	97	2,319	99	2,146
CONNECTICUT			167	6,141	86	1,601	144	2,111
DELAWARE			34	1,370	15	295	29	392
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			6	150	10	300	11	200
FLORIDA			312	8,639	229	3,606	312	3,111
GEORGIA			158	4,584	78	1,021	300	3,063
HAWAII			37	772	45	308	47	522
IDAHO		32		487		40	39	706
ILLINOIS			235	14,580	231	5,734	286	6,032
INDIANA					185	3,951	298	4,733
IOWA			46	1,947	55	1,216	115	1,937
KANSAS			40	1,612	39	789	120	1,973
KENTUCKY			114	2,850	76	883	215	920
LOUISIANA			92	1,380	63	945	188	1,310
MAINE	36	474	102	3,099	21	248	50	612
MARYLAND			143	5,477	48	953	140	1,695
MASSACHUSETTS	52	892	296	11,114	101	1,759	215	3,105
MICHIGAN	74	1,012	237	7,434	235	4,778	352	6,572
MINNESOTA	44	793	82	4,002	121	1,684	171	2,981
MISSISSIPPI			48	1,250			145	1,250
MISSOURI			136	5,457	58	1,631	164	2,886
MONTANA					15	316	31	410
NEBRASKA			26	897	33	642	46	648
NEVADA	13	346	25	967	22	775	25	312
NEW HAMPSHIRE	37	484	78	2,619	10	104	43	564
NEW JERSEY	15	467	346	14,744	94	2,864	320	5,126
NEW MEXICO			39	1,206	24	374	50	964
NEW YORK	99	1,887	556	19,636	229	4,149	459	7,305
NORTH CAROLINA			151	4,379	82	1,066	256	3,584
NORTH DAKOTA			7	226	10	207	18	273
OHIO	4	67	362	12,208	247	2,937	440	6,689
OKLAHOMA			63	1,752	43	630	103	1,374
OREGON			108	3,240	85	1,275	108	864
PENNSYLVANIA			344	10,310	207	4,775	341	5,112
RHODE ISLAND			40	1,217	14	137	36	684
SOUTH CAROLINA			86	2,481			107	1,322
SOUTH DAKOTA							17	290
TENNESSEE			113	2,968			210	4,035
TEXAS			280	7,035	272	7,500	1,033	19,035
UTAH			*54	1,648	47	1,023	73	960
VERMONT	25	374	60	1,907			22	279
VIRGINIA			160	4,860	46	955	231	2,869
WASHINGTON			184	5,695	99	2,746	208	4,084
WEST VIRGINIA			32	752	2	35	74	600
WISCONSIN			98	3,655	100	2,141	156	3,321
WYOMING	7	119	11	357	23	499	15	200

*Includes some co-educational teams

STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	70	1,192	195	4,162			41	997
ALASKA			55	1,098	70	158	94	1,506
ARIZONA			156	4,899			132	4,913
ARKANSAS			266	5,524				
CALIFORNIA	12	307	715	31,671	232	5,779	584	21,025
COLORADO			260	7,429	4	69	208	4,974
CONNECTICUT	70	1,647	152	5,182			94	2,428
DELAWARE	20	421	27	759			38	1,089
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	330	11	330			2	40
FLORIDA			352	9,690			237	6,898
GEORGIA			301	6,867			169	4,403
HAWAII			56	685	46	718	47	1,008
IDAHO		256	120	3,703		101	88	2,800
ILLINOIS			636	23,489			391	16,250
INDIANA			389	11,653			317	9,371
IOWA	127	3,509	417	9,865	12	317	297	7,580
KANSAS			353	8,845			166	4,620
KENTUCKY			236	3,570			54	767
LOUISIANA	82	820	395	8,240			45	982
MAINE	35	677	70	1,839	10	134	41	817
MARYLAND	99	2,318	135	4,649			133	3,938
MASSACHUSETTS	165	4,981	266	8,743	29	798	134	3,244
MICHIGAN	77	3,613	639	16,305	5	131	440	12,054
MINNESOTA			462	10,613			360	7,237
MISSISSIPPI			239	3,600			1	17
MISSOURI			413	13,106	6	125	170	7,064
MONTANA			178	3,439			73	1,480
NEBRASKA			350	8,053			200	4,044
NEVADA			61	2,053			38	1,251
NEW HAMPSHIRE	27	677	45	1,518	4	118	17	539
NEW JERSEY	182	5,880	325	11,987			316	10,701
NEW MEXICO			126	3,359			47	1,612
NEW YORK	239	5,205	512	15,414	142	2,819	452	11,743
NORTH CAROLINA	87	1,305	284	9,350	4	46	221	5,812
NORTH DAKOTA			174	2,990			63	1,342
OHIO	187	5,114	751	20,208	20	410	570	16,011
OKLAHOMA			297	5,989			121	3,149
OREGON			241	12,050			169	4,225
PENNSYLVANIA	137	3,302	497	19,905	86	1,472	487	15,865
RHODE ISLAND	20	648	35	1,311	13	234	30	770
SOUTH CAROLINA			173	5,464			78	2,409
SOUTH DAKOTA			190	3,838			96	1,790
TENNESSEE			197	5,599			104	3,987
TEXAS			1,159	43,250				
UTAH			94	3,544			85	2,992
VERMONT	3	43	33	970			14	254
VIRGINIA	215	3,346	270	8,445			193	6,623
WASHINGTON			324	10,501			241	8,499
WEST VIRGINIA			115	3,182			84	1,599
WISCONSIN			384	11,534			354	8,002
WYOMING	3	30	71	1,782			53	1,343

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Delaware	1	10
	Michigan	1	50
	New York	4	80
	Ohio	1	5
	Utah	1	1
BADMINTON	California	126	2,398
	Delaware	1	10
	Idaho		59
	Maryland	8	96
	Michigan	1	100
	New York	7	121
	Ohio	1	25
	Delaware	1	88
	Hawaii	42	280
	Idaho		187
BOWLING	Iowa	33	360
	Maryland	5	36
	Michigan	15	177
	Nevada	12	494
	New Jersey	129	2,450
	New York	255	2,923
	Ohio	22	226
	Pennsylvania	57	578
	South Carolina	7	64
	Wyoming	1	12
	Hawaii	6	153
	Delaware	2	70
	Michigan	1	8
	Virginia	11	6
	West Virginia	1	28
DECATHLON	Alabama	13	45
	Arkansas	35	67
	Florida	32	146
	Idaho		14
	Iowa	1	5
	Maine	1	8
	New Hampshire	8	29
	Ohio	1	4
	Tennessee	27	43
	Vermont	3	8
	Michigan	16	84
	Michigan	3	13
	New Jersey	19	577
	New York	12	255
	Maine	6	**31
EQUESTRIAN FENCING	Vermont	1	**2
	California	7	343
	Michigan	1	23
	Minnesota	93	1,769
	North Dakota	72	1,744
FIELD HOCKEY	South Dakota	122	2,331
	Wyoming	4	68
	Colorado	16	221
	Delaware	1	40
	Montana	10	58
	Nebraska	27	367
	New Mexico	10	173
	Texas	81	2,301
	New Hampshire	1	4
	Hawaii	21	154
FOOTBALL (9-man)	Ohio	1	18
	Colorado	18	816
	Connecticut	17	847
	Delaware	6	229
	Maine	5	179
FOOTBALL (6-man)			
HEPTATHLON			
JUDO			
LACROSSE			

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
LACROSSE (Continued)	Maryland	58	2,853
	Massachusetts	35	1,700
	Michigan	9	439
	New Hampshire	6	334
	New Jersey	33	1,749
	New York	159	8,657
	Ohio	6	260
	Vermont	5	204
	Virginia	15	725
PENTATHLON	New Hampshire	1	3
RIFLERY	Alaska	10	173
	Colorado	3	24
	Georgia	41	366
	Hawaii	11	91
	Idaho		14
	Iowa	1	7
	Michigan	3	42
	New Hampshire	1	8
	New York	50	583
	Pennsylvania	44	618
	Wyoming	1	8
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	25	373
	Colorado	12	72
	Idaho		82
	Maine	37	342
	Massachusetts	21	486
	Michigan	4	57
	Minnesota	78	996
	New Hampshire	37	387
	North Carolina	3	26
	Vermont	27	261
	Wyoming	7	54
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	California	42	934
	Colorado	2	29
	Idaho		30
	Iowa	14	486
	Maine	3	37
	Michigan	11	334
	Missouri	18	281
	Ohio	26	628
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	California	7	133
	Georgia	3	37
	Michigan	1	21
	Ohio	5	104
WATER POLO	California	272	8,112
	Florida	23	368
	Hawaii	3	60
	Maine	1	10
	Michigan	8	131
	Missouri	12	332
	Ohio	7	149
	Pennsylvania	10	153
WEIGHT LIFTING	California	7	380
	Delaware	4	1,089
	Florida	126	3,208
	Georgia	32	2,151
	Idaho		232
	Iowa	29	1,344
	Maine	6	198
	Michigan	46	2,674
	New Hampshire	5	159
	Ohio	86	4,747
	Wyoming	6	123

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	314	4,704	43	417			15	77
ALASKA	149	1,963	102	601				
ARIZONA	165	4,399	111	1,200			42	119
ARKANSAS	343	5,838	64	272			*47	57
CALIFORNIA	898	21,100	677	9,147	54	1,498		338
COLORADO	271	6,048	147	1,268	3	185	37	226
CONNECTICUT	169	3,376	143	1,597	75	2,594	24	91
DELAWARE	37	855	29	302	36	1,306	8	**15
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	200	8	120			2	2
FLORIDA	388	6,433	275	2,626			145	755
GEORGIA	324	7,505	169	1,533			40	**65
HAWAII	56	1,268	44	579			22	23
IDAHO	130	3,196	50	453				212
ILLINOIS	668	15,167	317	3,602			163	1,359
INDIANA	403	10,127	303	2,768			159	1,324
IOWA	449	11,299	245	2,000			331	3,635
KANSAS	359	7,685	184	1,366			51	482
KENTUCKY	277	5,827	177	1,247			160	1,120
LOUISIANA	375	9,375	146	876			21	36
MAINE	113	2,852	97	699	63	2,072	18	**28
MARYLAND	150	3,414	122	1,179	103	3,265	77	164
MASSACHUSETTS	317	9,134	239	2,582	201	7,352	15	95
MICHIGAN	691	17,011	495	4,303			151	2,013
MINNESOTA	466	7,663	265	2,278			313	2,170
MISSISSIPPI	278	4,576	70	589			*10	19
MISSOURI	525	12,151	182	2,134	21	818	52	554
MONTANA	179	3,589	69	540			60	454
NEBRASKA	351	7,116	127	763			52	507
NEVADA	60	1,721	33	714			24	252
NEW HAMPSHIRE	86	2,162	61	605	51	1,626	9	17
NEW JERSEY	376	9,066	242	3,379	196	7,809	26	147
NEW MEXICO	128	2,773	65	703			38	219
NEW YORK	646	13,303	384	3,668	221	7,035	67	287
NORTH CAROLINA	329	6,600	167	1,533			22	82
NORTH DAKOTA	208	3,761	35	209			48	337
OHIO	791	17,744	614	4,821	28	953	83	307
OKLAHOMA	486	9,510	71	798			69	375
OREGON	245	6,125	170	2,550			86	516
PENNSYLVANIA	625	16,882	397	5,574	239	7,412	190	2,096
RHODE ISLAND	46	932	33	401	19	682		
SOUTH CAROLINA	196	4,633	50	456	1	56		
SOUTH DAKOTA	190	3,543	98	495			51	473
TENNESSEE	332	8,854	156	1,952			134	356
TEXAS	1,160	44,791	652	20,148			735	8,050
UTAH	93	1,998	67	723			*17	31
VERMONT	59	1,343	33	287	29	1,006	14	**41
VIRGINIA	276	4,343	172	1,499	67	2,061		
WASHINGTON	349	10,128	247	3,150			152	736
WEST VIRGINIA	148	2,544	57	516				
WISCONSIN	416	11,015	288	2,713			68	587
WYOMING	72	1,695	21	225			22	122

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STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Alpine		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	15	235			15	302		
ALASKA	10	193			8	405		
ARIZONA	5	28			20	664	148	3,786
ARKANSAS	18	211						
CALIFORNIA	100	1,942	6	81	498	12,398	756	19,983
COLORADO	83	1,075	13	119	102	3,134	64	1,454
CONNECTICUT	41	526			110	3,067	171	4,366
DELAWARE	1	19					30	850
DIST. OF COLUMBIA					1	30	11	200
FLORIDA	14	124			190	3,739	88	1,629
GEORGIA	26	298			103	1,820		
HAWAII	4	32			39	798	54	744
IDAHO		80		24		181		280
ILLINOIS	110	2,027			98	3,120	549	13,206
INDIANA	111	1,529					234	5,521
IOWA	2	29			34	581	434	9,110
KANSAS	23	296			12	111	53	1,482
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA	12	135			21	315	276	4,140
MAINE	16	154	36	290	93	2,062	91	2,162
MARYLAND	23	349			79	2,749	141	3,593
MASSACHUSETTS	99	1,540	39	550	213	7,519	324	9,395
MICHIGAN	83	1,315	73	713	136	4,210	626	14,813
MINNESOTA	155	2,554	42	506	69	2,205	341	6,967
MISSISSIPPI					16	**47		
MISSOURI	4	114			81	2,709	331	6,962
MONTANA	7	123					12	303
NEBRASKA	21	187			28	911		
NEVADA			12	206			38	1,285
NEW HAMPSHIRE	6	92	35	355	43	1,207	85	2,188
NEW JERSEY	94	1,248	4	194	227	6,805	373	13,020
NEW MEXICO	11	90			29	573	42	928
NEW YORK	137	1,747	92	1,241	510	15,954	632	16,034
NORTH CAROLINA	12	135			53	1,113		
NORTH DAKOTA	16	107			2	77		
OHIO	117	1,281	5	133	166	5,070	605	13,493
OKLAHOMA					44	942	162	2,788
OREGON					78	1,950	150	4,500
PENNSYLVANIA	75	1,353			86	2,110	536	13,402
RHODE ISLAND	12	133			26	627	13	310
SOUTH CAROLINA					19	362	167	3,083
SOUTH DAKOTA	32	417						
TENNESSEE					68	1,565	272	5,240
TEXAS					202	6,050		
UTAH	15	258			*7	160		
VERMONT	9	110	23	222	52	1,413	56	1,467
VIRGINIA	85	997			80	2,297	228	4,655
WASHINGTON	68	1,337			166	4,270		
WEST VIRGINIA							74	1,510
WISCONSIN	126	1,900	6	64	9	255		
WYOMING	8	121	6	64	9	255		

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STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	250	4,241	25	216	95	968	61	770
ALASKA			23	437	6	108		
ARIZONA			52	1,062	106	1,615		
ARKANSAS			22	177	116	1,083		
CALIFORNIA	61	1,532	480	14,136	657	12,680	9	228
COLORADO			99	2,312	106	2,518		
CONNECTICUT			70	**1,598	119	1,879	63	1,093
DELAWARE			16	407	28	379	20	306
DIST. OF COLUMBIA			10	75	11	100	7	150
FLORIDA	317	5,894	225	3,608	298	2,797		
GEORGIA	262	4,967	79	1,060	289	3,082		
HAWAII			49	372	48	553		
IDAHO				34		707		260
ILLINOIS			222	4,512	274	5,629		
INDIANA			185	3,449	292	4,802		
IOWA	8	235	60	1,241	111	2,196	416	3,115
KANSAS			39	979	113	1,741		
KENTUCKY	231	4,763	74	718	209	836		
LOUISIANA			36	360	149	1,043	64	640
MAINE	14	320	24	390	52	691	30	494
MARYLAND			48	859	144	1,517	98	1,831
MASSACHUSETTS			94	2,478	222	3,551	135	3,896
MICHIGAN	42	629	194	4,388	308	6,085	69	3,044
MINNESOTA			141	3,365	188	3,133		
MISSISSIPPI	95	1,520			125	899		
MISSOURI			57	1,576	139	2,405		
MONTANA			17	180	55	728		
NEBRASKA			33	626	48	912		
NEVADA			22	473	24	339		
NEW HAMPSHIRE			11	136	40	628	26	650
NEW JERSEY			92	2,716	315	4,343	152	3,072
NEW MEXICO			25	439	48	502		
NEW YORK			228	4,270	388	6,425	209	3,791
NORTH CAROLINA	329	6,600	87	1,131	226	2,712	72	792
NORTH DAKOTA			12	264	18	404		
OHIO	87	2,297	265	3,220	351	5,181	158	3,498
OKLAHOMA	98	1,718	43	519	101	1,235		
OREGON			86	1,290	116	928		
PENNSYLVANIA			211	4,659	336	6,075	126	2,550
RHODE ISLAND	33	707	14	120	31	565	19	180
SOUTH CAROLINA					93	1,120		
SOUTH DAKOTA					17	206		
TENNESSEE					211	2,849		
TEXAS			270	7,025	1,002	18,450		
UTAH			47	845	59	728		
VERMONT					23	337	4	49
VIRGINIA			46	1,035	198	2,663	110	2,271
WASHINGTON	264	7,301	102	2,658	217	4,056		
WEST VIRGINIA			2	35	76	571		
WISCONSIN			110	2,773	158	3,316		
WYOMING			27	515	15	145	1	16

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STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	170	2,559	214	3,317
ALASKA	55	897	*70	1,494
ARIZONA	150	3,589	172	4,831
ARKANSAS	264	3,623	74	1,189
CALIFORNIA	694	19,415	867	22,048
COLORADO	264	5,699	277	7,575
CONNECTICUT	145	4,421	119	2,598
DELAWARE	27	569	26	608
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	9	180	11	300
FLORIDA	345	6,494	385	7,267
GEORGIA	294	5,416	34	603
HAWAII	54	607	54	932
IDAHO	118	3,365	132	3,251
ILLINOIS	625	15,537	730	18,860
INDIANA	385	9,615	407	10,493
IOWA	416	7,034	446	12,435
KANSAS	351	6,435	349	9,061
KENTUCKY	233	2,572	65	768
LOUISIANA	351	720	143	1,860
MAINE	67	1,620	14	237
MARYLAND	137	3,016	137	3,245
MASSACHUSETTS	249	7,798	148	3,049
MICHIGAN	637	13,478	633	16,306
MINNESOTA	458	9,291	464	12,902
MISSISSIPPI	221	2,423	26	501
MISSOURI	409	10,095	376	9,688
MONTANA	180	2,817	136	2,838
NEBRASKA	350	6,076	346	13,452
NEVADA	58	1,527	58	1,169
NEW HAMPSHIRE	49	1,242	37	867
NEW JERSEY	299	9,135	109	2,599
NEW MEXICO	127	2,409	123	2,832
NEW YORK	497	12,327	569	12,604
NORTH CAROLINA	264	6,899	288	5,287
NORTH DAKOTA	181	2,433	79	1,922
OHIO	748	16,698	772	17,120
OKLAHOMA	301	4,530	65	1,030
OREGON	240	7,200	247	4,940
PENNSYLVANIA	468	14,005	370	9,235
RHODE ISLAND	28	792	36	723
SOUTH CAROLINA	160	4,064	150	2,197
SOUTH DAKOTA	189	2,792	85	1,980
TENNESSEE	194	4,390	188	4,545
TEXAS	1,150	38,150	743	27,250
UTAH	93	2,461	95	2,181
VERMONT	31	805		
VIRGINIA	260	6,932	144	2,956
WASHINGTON	327	8,107	344	9,458
WEST VIRGINIA	111	2,811	79	1,210
WISCONSIN	382	9,477	419	13,689
WYOMING	71	1,281	67	1,894

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	11	121
	Michigan	1	40
	New York	3	21
	Ohio	1	5
BADMINTON	Arizona	34	541
	California	163	3,660
	Idaho		42
	Illinois	74	1,828
	Maryland	8	96
	Michigan	1	100
	New York	35	553
	Ohio	1	40
	Alabama	1	**1
BASEBALL	California		**294
	Colorado	*210	**56
	Georgia	9	**23
	Iowa	7	**64
	Maine	9	112
	Michigan	6	148
	Ohio	9	146
	Texas		**8
	Vermont	5	**50
	Delaware	1	30
	Hawaii	44	276
	Idaho		190
	Illinois	86	1,034
BOWLING	Iowa	33	224
	Maryland	5	33
	Michigan	11	96
	Nevada	12	405
	New Jersey	106	1,452
	New York	168	1,593
	Ohio	17	116
	Pennsylvania	59	588
	South Carolina	5	34
	Wyoming	1	5
	Hawaii	6	152
	Delaware	2	51
	Michigan	1	10
	Virginia	1	85
	West Virginia	1	28
CANOEING CREW	Idaho		10
	Iowa	1	2
	Maine	1	4
	New Hampshire	3	11
	Ohio	1	4
	Vermont	1	3
	Michigan	21	213
	Michigan	2	8
	New Jersey	16	460
	New York	10	116
DECATHLON	Alabama	1	**1
	Alaska	15	**3
	California		**39
	Colorado	*193	**9
	Georgia	7	**20
	Idaho		**22
	Maine	1	**2
	Vermont	1	**1
	California		**12
	Alabama	10	34
EQUESTRIAN FENCING	Florida	30	139
	New Hampshire	4	10
	Vermont	1	4
	Alaska		**8
FOOTBALL (11-man)	Colorado	*13	**1
	Connecticut	1	**1
	Maine	4	**5
	Massachusetts	24	**28
	Michigan	3	**28
	New Hampshire	3	**8
	Vermont	1	**1
	California		**12
	Alabama	10	34
	Florida	30	139
FOOTBALL (9-man) HEPTATHLON	New Hampshire	4	10
	Vermont	1	4
	Alaska		**8
	Colorado	*13	**1
ICE HOCKEY	Connecticut	1	**1
	Maine	4	**5
	Massachusetts	24	**28
	Michigan	3	**28
	New Hampshire	3	**8
	Vermont	1	**1
	California		**12
	Alabama	10	34

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
JUDO	Hawaii	1	2
	Colorado	8	279
LACROSSE	Connecticut	8	328
	Delaware	6	226
	Maine	4	67
	Maryland	49	2,083
	Massachusetts	20	865
	Michigan	4	102
	New Hampshire	2	76
	New Jersey	30	1,583
	New York	36	1,465
	Ohio	6	325
	Pennsylvania	54	1,719
	Vermont	2	55
	Virginia	7	291
	Arkansas	35	58
PENTATHLON	Iowa	1	1
	New Hampshire	1	2
	Tennessee	17	30
RIFLERY	Alaska	10	72
	Colorado	3	11
	Georgia	24	68
	Hawaii	11	67
	Idaho		**1
	Iowa	1	2
	Michigan	2	22
	New York	11	42
	Ohio	5	18
	Pennsylvania	40	360
	Vermont	1	3
	Wyoming	1	2
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	25	261
	Colorado	12	63
	Idaho		20
	Maine	37	289
	Massachusetts	15	332
	Michigan	6	70
	Minnesota	79	1,067
	New Hampshire	37	331
	North Carolina	2	20
	Vermont	24	196
	Wyoming	7	58
WATER POLO	California	34	532
	Florida	16	229
	Hawaii	3	75
	Maine	1	8
	Ohio	2	24
	Pennsylvania	1	15
	Utah	4	44
	Pennsylvania	1	12
WEIGHT LIFTING	California	1	30
	Delaware	1	16
	Georgia	12	240
	Idaho		51
	Iowa	20	267
	Maine	6	78
	Michigan	27	485
	New Hampshire	2	38
	Ohio	32	759
	Wyoming	3	33
WRESTLING	Alaska		**19
	California		**33
	Connecticut	1	**1
	Georgia	11	**34
	Massachusetts	2	**25
	Michigan	2	**2
	Ohio	4	**34
	Vermont	1	**8

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1990 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1989-90 School Year

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	4	80	16	128
BADMINTON	142	2,617	311	6,693
BASEBALL	13,629	413,581	*22	650
BASKETBALL	16,710	517,271	16,188	389,668
BOWLING	593	7,715	543	5,968
CANOEING	6	147	6	142
CREW	33	834	24	688
CROSS COUNTRY	10,311	155,806	9,272	104,876
DECATHLON	159	385	4	13
EQUESTRIAN	13	69	19	184
FENCING	76	890	35	625
FIELD HOCKEY	1	**17	1,484	50,237
FOOTBALL—11-man	12,985	926,474	*12	86
9-man	303	6,024		12
8-man	539	10,995		
6-man	159	4,264		
GOLF	*9,773	122,998	*4,052	40,418
GYMNASTICS	333	3,887	1,784	24,517
HEPTATHLON			*49	208
ICE HOCKEY	881	22,590	48	80
JUDO	21	163		
LACROSSE	360	18,426	216	8,813
PENTATHLON	3	11	89	127
RIFLERY	188	2,076	104	726
SKIING (Cross Country)	359	4,994	335	3,889
(Downhill)	302	4,836	287	3,098
SOCCER	6,561	220,777	4,128	111,711
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	86	1,665	8,688	205,040
(Slow Pitch)	14	231	1,910	37,269
SWIMMING & DIVING	4,306	85,112	*4,227	84,760
TENNIS	8,941	136,939	8,550	128,076
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,857	44,752	1,936	44,110
(Outdoor)	14,270	405,684	13,982	308,810
VOLLEYBALL	928	16,677	*11,996	293,688
WATER POLO	343	9,465	59	869
WEIGHT LIFTING	381	15,826	135	1,982
WRESTLING	8,416	233,856	101	112
OTHER	4	58	22	386

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TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,710	1. Football	947,757
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,270	2. Basketball	517,271
3. Football	13,986	3. Baseball	413,581
4. Baseball	13,629	4. Track & Field (Outdoor)	405,684
5. Cross Country	10,311	5. Wrestling	233,856
6. Golf	9,773	6. Soccer	220,777
7. Tennis	8,941	7. Cross Country	155,806
8. Wrestling	8,416	8. Tennis	136,939
9. Soccer	6,561	9. Golf	122,998
10. Swimming & Diving	4,306	10. Swimming & Diving	85,112

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,188	1. Basketball	389,668
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,982	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	308,810
3. Volleyball	11,996	3. Volleyball	293,688
4. Cross Country	9,272	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	205,040
5. Softball (Fast Pitch)	8,688	5. Tennis	128,076
6. Tennis	8,550	6. Soccer	111,711
7. Swimming & Diving	4,227	7. Cross Country	104,876
8. Soccer	4,128	8. Swimming & Diving	84,760
9. Golf	4,052	9. Field Hockey	50,237
10. Track & Field (Indoor)	1,936	10. Golf	40,418

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	336	7,755	398	11,469	38	460	373	21,532
ALASKA			118	2,284	101	804	17	1,154
ARIZONA	164	5,783	168	5,505	115	1,539	155	11,811
ARKANSAS	259	6,972	350	14,468	68	775	201	34,788
CALIFORNIA	872	32,092	949	32,410	729	15,421	778	74,041
COLORADO	209	6,269	275	7,538	156	2,013	186	13,033
CONNECTICUT	168	5,627	172	4,789	164	2,437	118	7,015
DELAWARE	40	1,438	40	1,215	33	469	38	2,119
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	242	11	550	8	200	11	600
FLORIDA	423	11,185	436	11,499	307	3,600	361	27,986
GEORGIA	322	8,677	339	9,678	213	2,594	317	22,614
HAWAII	54	1,466	58	1,449	43	581	48	3,376
IDAHO	58	1,719	131	4,410	61	727	120	7,487
ILLINOIS	639	22,301	762	25,222	380	7,103	562	49,026
INDIANA	396	12,079	412	13,465	390	5,276	335	21,396
IOWA	414	10,871	428	13,428	258	2,995	368	21,055
KANSAS	100	3,204	365	9,768	207	2,238	250	12,511
KENTUCKY	275	5,795	284	7,714	207	1,497	202	7,195
LOUISIANA	308	8,008	408	12,240	306	3,366	285	15,640
MAINE	112	3,099	120	3,728	96	1,021	55	2,770
MARYLAND	150	4,615	150	4,348	125	1,808	141	9,583
MASSACHUSETTS	311	11,854	320	10,800	260	3,988	270	16,906
MICHIGAN	633	19,338	701	26,755	524	6,669	624	42,436
MINNESOTA	443	9,100	458	10,094	275	2,938	363	17,471
MISSISSIPPI	245	6,723	267	5,260	76	891	209	14,260
MISSOURI	416	10,762	551	15,054	232	4,032	314	20,419
MONTANA			183	5,347	42	731	83	4,947
NEBRASKA	23	901	341	8,288	121	1,340	179	9,406
NEVADA	43	1,300	61	2,600	34	950	47	4,300
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,427	86	2,486	63	831	35	2,187
NEW JERSEY	389	16,847	387	14,638	281	6,762	352	26,456
NEW MEXICO	79	2,194	130	3,538	70	947	90	4,694
NEW YORK	677	20,289	677	19,463	480	6,559	508	30,131
NORTH CAROLINA	328	12,150	328	9,020	207	2,778	315	21,650
NORTH DAKOTA	40	600	218	4,650	38	359	61	3,235
OHIO	770	22,733	792	25,654	665	7,976	717	42,786
OKLAHOMA	407	8,158	484	8,474	89	1,054	331	10,790
OREGON	197	8,865	253	9,108	171	2,565	185	11,840
PENNSYLVANIA	577	18,900	627	17,720	440	6,040	544	25,880
RHODE ISLAND	44	1,051	43	797	36	600	39	1,771
SOUTH CAROLINA	187	4,906	196	6,377	84	1,294	193	14,929
SOUTH DAKOTA			192	5,445	111	1,114	63	3,409
TENNESSEE	296	7,716	334	9,686	181	3,258	293	23,050
TEXAS	880	32,750	1,169	53,153	862	21,252	941	125,123
UTAH	87	2,493	104	3,058	77	1,333	83	6,772
VERMONT	60	1,696	64	1,807	42	431	20	1,230
VIRGINIA	265	7,651	278	9,000	198	2,796	274	19,949
WASHINGTON	298	9,119	348	11,445	248	4,515	267	19,739
WEST VIRGINIA	152	3,099	252	4,781	66	643	222	7,421
WISCONSIN	387	10,762	421	13,578	304	3,969	393	24,025
WYOMING			71	2,034	29	307	49	2,530

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STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			115	1,008				
ALASKA							18	524
ARIZONA	18	452	105	1,116				
ARKANSAS			107	898				
CALIFORNIA	42	1,143	514	6,476	18	259		
COLORADO	43	603	111	1,450	12	118	12	248
CONNECTICUT			143	1,566			54	1,200
DELAWARE			29	342	1	1		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			2	16				
FLORIDA			312	2,737	8	41		
GEORGIA			246	2,139	2	34		
HAWAII			43	261				
IDAHO			55	785	2	24		
ILLINOIS			376	6,535	61	1,148		
INDIANA			354	4,111				
IOWA			343	5,467			5	68
KANSAS	105	2,044	198	2,657	5	35		
KENTUCKY			205	1,465				
LOUISIANA			163	1,141	6	54		
MAINE			64	614	4	14	29	726
MARYLAND			107	857	12	135		
MASSACHUSETTS			213	2,580	21	244	200	6,356
MICHIGAN			455	5,659	10	21	91	1,836
MINNESOTA			351	3,535	16	197	179	4,740
MISSISSIPPI			66	927				
MISSOURI	16	335	232	3,277				
MONTANA	47	856	55	718				
NEBRASKA	127	2,981	157	2,101	17	116		
NEVADA	8	175	32	450				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			33	382	3	31	22	437
NEW JERSEY			162	3,253	28	449	52	1,521
NEW MEXICO			48	567				
NEW YORK			467	5,261	36	504	81	1,870
NORTH CAROLINA			259	2,849				
NORTH DAKOTA			76	926			13	441
OHIO			652	7,471	48	191	39	780
OKLAHOMA	52	851	152	1,103				
OREGON	43	645	127	1,016				
PENNSYLVANIA			413	4,300	5	80		
RHODE ISLAND			34	310			27	603
SOUTH CAROLINA			121	1,257				
SOUTH DAKOTA			64	726				
TENNESSEE			220	1,980				
TEXAS			901	19,050				
UTAH			76	950				
VERMONT			34	343			21	466
VIRGINIA			205	2,097	13	154		
WASHINGTON	38	910	200	2,467				
WEST VIRGINIA			88	753				
WISCONSIN			263	4,609			38	774
WYOMING			25	440	5	37		

*Includes some co-educational teams

STATE	Skiing-Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			44	1,512	25	190	105	1,095
ALASKA			8	363	25	434	6	118
ARIZONA			75	2,297	56	994	102	1,507
ARKANSAS					26	312	120	1,402
CALIFORNIA	7	117	686	24,245	464	13,283	632	12,866
COLORADO	12	173	109	4,016	96	1,958	98	2,188
CONNECTICUT			151	5,542	87	1,029	141	2,081
DELAWARE			33	1,314	15	353	25	458
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			6	150	10	300	11	200
FLORIDA			319	8,925	246	3,481	318	3,302
GEORGIA			158	4,584	78	1,021	300	3,063
HAWAII			40	1,232	45	314	47	532
IDAHO			18	161	1	4	37	709
ILLINOIS			237	10,039	239	4,971	282	6,221
INDIANA					194	3,961	301	4,940
IOWA			54	2,286	55	1,152	165	1,916
KANSAS			49	1,988	42	817	124	1,956
KENTUCKY			120	3,025	77	885	212	910
LOUISIANA			84	1,260	63	945	188	1,310
MAINE	30	417	107	3,469	32	423	63	789
MARYLAND			145	5,229	50	746	140	1,741
MASSACHUSETTS	49	850	281	10,876	94	1,575	196	2,896
MICHIGAN	76	1,040	253	7,936	232	4,718	354	6,610
MINNESOTA	43	759	85	3,965	127	1,919	166	3,282
MISSISSIPPI			47	1,627			151	1,429
MISSOURI			143	5,286	143	5,286	171	2,939
MONTANA					15	216	29	659
NEBRASKA			30	979	32	551	46	763
NEVADA	13	350	25	1,000	22	775	25	315
NEW HAMPSHIRE	37	532	78	2,636	10	100	44	646
NEW JERSEY			351	14,949	112	2,958	311	4,942
NEW MEXICO			39	1,052	25	409	46	521
NEW YORK			556	19,638	229	4,150	459	7,305
NORTH CAROLINA			167	4,843	104	1,320	261	3,654
NORTH DAKOTA			10	277	10	219	19	282
OHIO	3	107	372	12,564	250	3,456	438	6,377
OKLAHOMA			63	1,427	54	595	102	965
OREGON			108	3,240	88	1,320	109	872
PENNSYLVANIA			376	13,080	221	3,240	348	3,500
RHODE ISLAND			41	1,216	17	266	35	663
SOUTH CAROLINA			87	2,620			109	1,384
SOUTH DAKOTA							17	317
TENNESSEE			105	2,835			228	4,332
TEXAS			287	7,235	261	7,250	1,062	19,750
UTAH			57	1,733	49	1,184	72	1,059
VERMONT	25	372	59	2,025			25	350
VIRGINIA			158	4,794	51	1,039	209	2,765
WASHINGTON			192	6,091	104	2,255	215	4,317
WEST VIRGINIA			33	776	4	46	107	948
WISCONSIN			104	3,989	102	2,202	156	3,550
WYOMING	7	119	11	451	24	490	14	243

*Includes some co-educational teams

STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	70	1,192	195	4,162			41	997
ALASKA			45	993	69	107	83	1,194
ARIZONA			153	4,506			133	4,226
ARKANSAS			267	5,610				
CALIFORNIA	12	307	715	31,671	232	5,779	584	21,025
COLORADO			260	6,495			206	5,187
CONNECTICUT	78	1,900	151	5,123			93	2,412
DELAWARE	22	429	29	826	1	16	39	1,115
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	330	11	330			2	40
FLORIDA			353	9,777			236	6,822
GEORGIA			301	6,867			169	4,403
HAWAII			56	673	48	741	48	1,037
IDAHO	32	173	117	3,168			81	2,841
ILLINOIS			614	21,514	16	216	386	15,994
INDIANA			388	11,584			318	9,255
IOWA	127	3,334	399	9,372			296	7,201
KANSAS			363	8,589			165	4,598
KENTUCKY			238	3,610			54	790
LOUISIANA	102	1,122	406	8,526			44	968
MAINE	40	872	75	2,038	15	206	47	1,068
MARYLAND	105	2,158	137	3,631	21	233	137	3,876
MASSACHUSETTS	153	4,602	250	8,338	35	791	124	3,093
MICHIGAN	76	3,593	643	16,254	5	130	441	12,082
MINNESOTA			436	8,331			351	5,589
MISSISSIPPI			220	3,836				
MISSOURI			418	12,329	171	2,939	173	6,856
MONTANA			183	3,584			77	1,704
NEBRASKA			339	6,836			192	3,813
NEVADA			61	2,000			38	1,250
NEW HAMPSHIRE	28	673	55	1,641	7	126	18	513
NEW JERSEY	185	5,509	321	11,532			315	10,641
NEW MEXICO			124	3,156			47	1,329
NEW YORK	239	5,205	512	15,414	142	2,819	452	11,743
NORTH CAROLINA	70	1,050	294	9,680	4	50	230	6,049
NORTH DAKOTA			173	2,790			60	1,184
OHIO	204	4,750	752	21,281	37	730	574	15,424
OKLAHOMA			396	3,909			137	2,806
OREGON			240	12,000			170	4,250
PENNSYLVANIA	152	3,280	499	15,000	103	1,360	477	12,020
RHODE ISLAND	21	818	34	1,165	16	334	31	857
SOUTH CAROLINA			175	5,084			80	2,462
SOUTH DAKOTA			184	4,325			94	1,732
TENNESSEE			211	6,119			102	3,876
TEXAS			1,136	43,000				
UTAH			96	3,740			88	3,104
VERMONT	3	42	30	828	1	20	17	318
VIRGINIA	121	3,337	259	7,853	5	80	202	6,595
WASHINGTON			326	10,549			247	8,776
WEST VIRGINIA			178	3,122			114	1,742
WISCONSIN			380	11,253			352	7,793
WYOMING	6	76	72	1,730			51	1,206

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants	SPO
ARCHERY	New York	4	80	RIFL
BADMINTON	California	126	2,398	
	Maryland	9	98	
	New York	7	121	
BOWLING	Delaware	1	60	
	Hawaii	43	293	
	Idaho	12	56	
	Iowa	32	342	
	Maine	1	35	
	Maryland	5	36	
	Michigan	10	117	
	Nevada	12	500	SKI
	New Jersey	133	2,463	
	New York	255	2,923	
	Ohio	22	236	
	Pennsylvania	58	575	
	Rhode Island	9	79	
CANOEING	Hawaii	6	147	
CREW	Delaware	1	44	
	Maine	1	12	
	Michigan	7	52	
	New Hampshire	1	10	
	Ohio	9	113	
	Virginia	13	583	
	West Virginia	1	20	SOF
DECATHLON	Alabama	12	40	
	Arkansas	35	56	
	Florida	34	160	
	Idaho	10	13	
	New Hampshire	6	14	SOF
	Ohio	1	12	
	Tennessee	60	90	
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	13	69	
FENCING	New Jersey	23	589	WA
	New York	50	255	
	Ohio	2	36	
	Vermont	1	10	
FIELD HOCKEY	Maine	1	17	
FOOTBALL (9-man)	California	7	343	
	Minnesota	88	1,641	
	Mississippi	1	19	
	North Dakota	79	1,620	
	South Dakota	116	2,148	WE
	Wyoming	12	253	
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Colorado	18	218	
	Montana	9	124	
	Nebraska	31	455	
	New Mexico	11	166	
	Texas	90	3,301	
JUDO	Hawaii	21	163	
LACROSSE	Delaware	11	336	
	Maine	9	333	
	Maryland	57	2,745	
	Massachusetts	36	2,035	
	Michigan	11	537	
	New Hampshire	5	277	
	New Jersey	36	1,843	
	New York	159	8,657	
	North Carolina	1	40	
	Ohio	9	505	
	Vermont	6	190	
	Virginia	20	928	
PENTATHLON	Idaho	3	11	

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
RIFLERY	Alaska	10	176
	Georgia	41	366
	Hawaii	11	86
	Maine	3	32
	Michigan	2	43
	Nevada	20	200
	New York	50	583
	Ohio	4	47
	Pennsylvania	44	520
	Virginia	3	23
SKIING (Cross Country)	Alaska	23	331
	Colorado	12	84
	Idaho	1	6
	Maine	31	302
	Massachusetts	23	315
	Michigan	4	57
	Minnesota	73	800
	Nevada	4	40
	New Hampshire	37	375
	New Jersey	19	506
	New York	99	1,887
	Vermont	26	211
	Wyoming	7	80
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	California	42	934
	Maine	6	117
	Michigan	11	334
	Missouri	26	279
	New Hampshire	1	1
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	California	7	133
	Georgia	3	37
	Michigan	1	21
	Ohio	3	40
WATER POLO	California	272	8,112
	Florida	22	357
	Hawaii	3	56
	Maine	1	15
	Michigan	9	145
	Missouri	12	353
	Nevada	1	20
	Ohio	12	247
	Pennsylvania	11	160
WEIGHT LIFTING	California	7	380
	Delaware	2	92
	Florida	131	3,527
	Georgia	32	2,151
	Iowa	29	1,381
	Kansas	37	1,489
	Maine	7	260
	Michigan	46	2,676
	Ohio	79	3,538
	West Virginia	11	332

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	310	4,644	26	252			24	60
ALASKA	118	1,925	101	623				
ARIZONA	166	3,998	111	947			42	195
ARKANSAS	350	10,792	56	640			51	61
CALIFORNIA	898	21,100	677	9,147	54	1,498		*338
COLORADO	270	5,989	147	1,268			40	278
CONNECTICUT	170	3,540	148	1,605	74	2,703	28	92
DELAWARE	40	883	29	303	36	1,315	9	19
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	200	8	120			2	2
FLORIDA	396	6,923	279	2,605			153	852
GEORGIA	324	7,505	169	1,533			40	65
HAWAII	56	1,287	44	594			18	21
IDAHO	130	3,491	61	568			55	269
ILLINOIS	670	15,328	308	3,886			165	927
INDIANA	407	10,007	307	3,043			160	1,379
IOWA	425	10,734	210	1,900			325	3,586
KANSAS	364	7,409	184	1,347			55	515
KENTUCKY	276	5,920	199	1,410			141	1,025
LOUISIANA	376	9,400	204	1,224			22	44
MAINE	116	2,964	95	732	70	2,374	22	46
MARYLAND	150	3,351	120	1,161	105	3,314	62	121
MASSACHUSETTS	297	8,858	219	2,436	266	7,735	15	95
MICHIGAN	693	17,061	500	4,347	9	141	152	2,027
MINNESOTA	458	7,926	273	1,888			322	2,105
MISSISSIPPI	267	4,777	32	596			3	23
MISSOURI	527	17,731	202	2,567	21	797	57	534
MONTANA	183	3,709	67	584			63	476
NEBRASKA	343	6,843	114	844			59	523
NEVADA	60	1,700	33	700			24	250
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,064	59	619	51	1,679	9	19
NEW JERSEY	377	9,289	243	3,309	194	7,151	28	180
NEW MEXICO	129	2,781	66	661			42	227
NEW YORK	646	13,303	384	3,668	221	7,035	67	287
NORTH CAROLINA	328	6,570	165	1,514			18	70
NORTH DAKOTA	207	3,726	29	219			50	364
OHIO	788	18,346	617	5,120	28	950	85	289
OKLAHOMA	483	6,993	71	666			63	333
OREGON	249	6,225	168	2,520			91	546
PENNSYLVANIA	621	15,820	411	4,100	239	9,840	193	1,960
RHODE ISLAND	45	833	30	404	18	493		
SOUTH CAROLINA	195	4,642	66	633	1	55		
SOUTH DAKOTA	189	4,580	109	709			81	460
TENNESSEE	332	8,944	179	2,327			160	480
TEXAS	1,160	44,791	852	20,254			750	17,050
UTAH	97	2,071	67	730			11	18
VERMONT	63	1,408	38	312	30	954	17	62
VIRGINIA	276	6,439	180	1,687	67	2,203		
WASHINGTON	346	9,879	238	3,214			177	1,352
WEST VIRGINIA	232	2,665	54	331			10	18
WISCONSIN	418	10,689	300	2,847			67	602
WYOMING	71	1,615	23	162			24	173

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Alpine		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	13	204			15	302		
ALASKA	7	135			8	372		
ARIZONA					27	713	147	2,942
ARKANSAS	19	230						
CALIFORNIA	100	1,942	6	81	498	12,398	756	19,983
COLORADO	82	1,090	12	108	103	3,195	63	1,461
CONNECTICUT	44	610			104	3,149	169	4,339
DELAWARE	2	28			9	33	35	1,057
DIST. OF COLUMBIA					1	30	11	200
FLORIDA	13	115			177	4,006	108	2,193
GEORGIA	26	298			103	1,820		
HAWAII					42	1,284	54	787
IDAHO	1	1			15	80		
ILLINOIS	106	1,975			104	3,345	534	12,917
INDIANA	99	1,418					242	5,685
IOWA					40	684	406	8,655
KANSAS	16	234			21	786	65	1,579
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA	18	216			23	345	278	4,170
MAINE	21	208	29	300	89	2,227	92	2,243
MARYLAND	24	345			86	2,791	144	3,546
MASSACHUSETTS	86	1,309	42	515	215	7,396	315	9,012
MICHIGAN	77	1,220	74	723	145	4,489	624	14,766
MINNESOTA	153	1,713	42	407	73	2,199	326	6,712
MISSISSIPPI					6	140		
MISSOURI	4	40			83	2,698	350	6,680
MONTANA							18	504
NEBRASKA	20	224			30	732		
NEVADA			12	250	11	220		
NEW HAMPSHIRE	7	92	36	335	44	1,249	42	2,106
NEW JERSEY	97	1,309			232	6,974	370	12,984
NEW MEXICO	7	69			25	613	41	933
NEW YORK	137	1,747			510	15,954	632	16,034
NORTH CAROLINA	12	140			62	1,302		
NORTH DAKOTA	16	120			5	147		
OHIO	122	1,296	3	67	184	5,013	616	14,544
OKLAHOMA					33	741	171	1,992
OREGON					83	498	153	4,590
PENNSYLVANIA	65	1,080			148	2,100	545	13,360
RHODE ISLAND	11	146			28	647	13	288
SOUTH CAROLINA					19	363	172	3,194
SOUTH DAKOTA	79	361						
TENNESSEE					72	1,718	183	2,562
TEXAS					205	6,150		
UTAH	15	216			43	927	60	1,196
VERMONT	8	77	24	236	57	1,541	59	1,560
VIRGINIA	82	972			86	2,472	224	4,691
WASHINGTON	68	1,439			179	4,935	263	5,374
WEST VIRGINIA					10	18	88	1,426
WISCONSIN	118	1,755			66	2,613	319	8,775
WYOMING	9	143	7	76	9	302		

Includes some co-educational teams

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STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	268	4,546	25	216	95	969	61	770
ALASKA			25	473	6	81		
ARIZONA			55	1,126	106	1,576		
ARKANSAS			21	209	111	1,050		
CALIFORNIA	61	1,532	480	14,136	657	12,680	9	228
COLORADO			99	2,604	104	2,465		
CONNECTICUT			68	1,606	120	1,908	68	1,373
DELAWARE			16	434	27	376	22	339
DIST. OF COLUMBIA			10	75	11	100	7	150
FLORIDA	299	5,810	239	3,574	303	2,838		
GEORGIA	262	4,967	79	1,060	289	3,082		
HAWAII			49	368	48	549		
IDAHO	32	853	1	3	37	693	30	115
ILLINOIS			216	4,582	280	5,439		
INDIANA			190	3,493	296	5,012		
IOWA			61	1,178	161	2,162	402	2,959
KANSAS			37	829	114	1,735		
KENTUCKY	248	4,960	79	701	217	915		
LOUISIANA			36	360	149	1,043	82	820
MAINE	8	180	31	615	62	832	39	645
MARYLAND			50	1,073	139	1,561	103	1,481
MASSACHUSETTS			140	2,290	205	3,226	143	3,751
MICHIGAN	42	630	203	4,592	315	6,224	70	14,051
MINNESOTA			150	2,518	185	3,254		
MISSISSIPPI	114	1,783			151	965		
MISSOURI			58	1,040	147	2,427		
MONTANA			17	242	50	923		
NEBRASKA			32	558	48	759		
NEVADA	38	1,300	22	475	24	340		
NEW HAMPSHIRE			10	139	42	678	29	649
NEW JERSEY			115	2,830	313	4,407	149	3,876
NEW MEXICO			25	415	44	585		
NEW YORK			228	4,270	388	6,425	209	3,791
NORTH CAROLINA	328	6,575	107	1,391	229	2,748	65	715
NORTH DAKOTA			12	228	19	402		
OHIO	77	2,141	272	3,920	349	5,134	179	3,492
OKLAHOMA	101	1,374	54	376	107	1,004		
OREGON			87	1,305	114	912		
PENNSYLVANIA			224	4,100	344	4,420	146	2,640
RHODE ISLAND	32	618			32	605		
SOUTH CAROLINA					93	1,120		
SOUTH DAKOTA					18	263		
TENNESSEE					226	3,164		
TEXAS			258	7,050	1,010	18,750		
UTAH			48	948	59	758		
VERMONT					26	411	4	32
VIRGINIA			48	1,146	187	2,530	114	2,193
WASHINGTON			112	2,302	219	4,360		
WEST VIRGINIA			4	44	102	891		
WISCONSIN			110	2,786	158	3,316		
WYOMING			24	474	14	164	5	40

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STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	170	2,559	211	3,270
ALASKA	45	694	69	1,222
ARIZONA	150	3,105	168	4,902
ARKANSAS	268	3,759	69	1,172
CALIFORNIA	694	19,415	867	22,048
COLORADO	263	5,018	274	7,815
CONNECTICUT	147	4,393	119	2,672
DELAWARE	28	615	27	679
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	9	180	11	300
FLORIDA	344	6,668	389	7,721
GEORGIA	294	5,416	34	603
HAWAII	54	608	54	903
IDAHO	117	2,666	129	3,780
ILLINOIS	603	15,508	717	18,370
INDIANA	387	9,599	410	10,252
IOWA	402	6,682	402	11,813
KANSAS	362	6,155	351	8,952
KENTUCKY	234	2,575	70	780
LOUISIANA	367	4,037	164	2,296
MAINE	74	1,806	20	288
MARYLAND	137	2,897	136	3,014
MASSACHUSETTS	222	7,287	126	2,807
MICHIGAN	637	13,478	643	16,564
MINNESOTA	437	6,702	455	10,582
MISSISSIPPI	220	2,580	24	372
MISSOURI	418	9,714	382	9,325
MONTANA	183	2,725	144	3,270
NEBRASKA	341	5,158	344	9,068
NEVADA	58	1,500	58	1,200
NEW HAMPSHIRE	56	1,504	42	878
NEW JERSEY	289	8,988	117	2,676
NEW MEXICO	121	2,367	127	2,692
NEW YORK	497	12,327	569	12,604
NORTH CAROLINA	274	7,160	295	5,416
NORTH DAKOTA	176	2,289	92	2,223
OHIO	752	17,417	776	18,753
OKLAHOMA	396	3,201	67	611
OREGON	239	7,170	248	4,960
PENNSYLVANIA	476	12,400	385	7,520
RHODE ISLAND	28	760	36	704
SOUTH CAROLINA	169	4,044	151	2,336
SOUTH DAKOTA	183	2,761	93	2,309
TENNESSEE	209	4,807	190	4,750
TEXAS	1,130	38,000	745	27,275
UTAH	97	2,556	100	2,176
VERMONT	28	666		
VIRGINIA	259	6,321	154	3,396
WASHINGTON	325	7,598	334	9,198
WEST VIRGINIA	163	2,479	120	1,565
WISCONSIN	379	9,255	418	13,739
WYOMING	71	1,241	70	1,867

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	13	107
	New York	3	21
BADMINTON	Arizona	35	546
	California	163	3,660
	Illinois	69	1,836
	Maryland	9	98
	New York	35	553
BASEBALL	California		294
	Colorado		114
	Georgia	9	23
	Maine	4	85
	Maryland	1	3
	Minnesota		8
	New Hampshire	3	22
	Ohio	5	93
	Texas		8
	Delaware	1	30
BOWLING	Hawaii	44	306
	Illinois	83	1,056
	Iowa	32	216
	Maine	1	30
	Maryland	5	31
	Michigan	11	96
	Nevada	12	400
	New Jersey	108	1,464
	New York	168	1,593
	Ohio	11	104
	Pennsylvania	60	590
	South Carolina	7	52
	Hawaii	6	142
CANOEING CREW	Delaware	2	44
	Maine	1	1
	Michigan	1	9
	New Hampshire	1	6
	Ohio	7	99
	Virginia	11	506
	West Virginia	1	23
	Idaho	2	4
	New Hampshire	1	4
	Ohio	1	5
DECATHLON	Michigan	18	183
	Ohio	1	1
FENCING	New Jersey	23	491
	New York	10	116
	Ohio	1	8
FOOTBALL (11-man)	Vermont	1	10
	Alaska	1	1
	California		39
	Colorado		14
	Georgia	7	20
	Idaho	3	11
	Vermont	1	1
FOOTBALL (9-man)	California		12
	Alabama	12	30
HEPTATHLON	Florida	33	167
	New Hampshire	4	11
ICE HOCKEY	Alaska		16
	Colorado		1
	Connecticut	1	1
	Massachusetts	23	25
	Michigan	3	28
	Minnesota		1
	New Hampshire	2	6
	Vermont	1	2
LACROSSE	Delaware	8	231
	Maine	4	90
	Maryland	45	1,844
	Massachusetts	17	797
	Michigan	4	102
	New Hampshire	2	97
	New Jersey	31	1,607

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participating
PENTATHLON	New York	36	1,465
	Ohio	6	329
	Pennsylvania	53	1,780
	Vermont	2	59
	Virginia	8	412
	Arkansas	35	43
	Idaho	3	8
	New Hampshire	1	1
	South Dakota	50	75
	Alaska	10	52
RIFLERY	Georgia	24	68
	Hawaii	11	71
	Maine	3	5
	Michigan	2	22
	New York	11	42
	Ohio	2	6
	Pennsylvania	41	480
	Alaska	23	231
	Colorado	12	94
	Idaho	1	3
SKIING (Cross Country)	Maine	29	270
	Massachusetts	20	378
	Michigan	6	70
	Minnesota	75	825
	Nevada	4	40
	New Hampshire	36	293
	New Jersey	4	201
	New York	92	1,241
	Vermont	26	185
	Wyoming	7	58
WATER POLO	California	34	532
	Florida	12	145
	Hawaii	3	61
	Maine	1	7
	Nevada	1	20
	Ohio	6	84
	Pennsylvania	2	20
	California	1	30
	Delaware	2	33
	Georgia	12	240
WEIGHT LIFTING	Iowa	20	254
	Kansas	32	320
	Maine	5	54
	Michigan	27	485
	Ohio	35	563
	West Virginia	1	3
	Alaska	83	28
	California		33
	Connecticut		2
	Georgia	11	34
WRESTLING	Maine	3	9
	Massachusetts	1	1
	New Hampshire	1	3
	Ohio	1	1
	Vermont	1	1

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1991 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1990-91 School Year

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	1	8	12	96
BADMINTON	146	2,589	314	6,812
BASEBALL	13,608	419,015	*59	**655
BASKETBALL	16,462	515,644	15,864	387,802
BOWLING	659	8,424	620	6,273
CANOEING	6	148	8	163
CREW	34	843	31	747
CROSS COUNTRY	10,419	155,375	9,470	106,514
DECATHLON	130	430	4	11
EQUESTRIAN	12	74	21	202
FENCING	38	908	33	622
FIELD HOCKEY			1,434	48,384
FOOTBALL—11-man	12,793	918,499	*20	**114
9-man	282	5,955	*1	**13
8-man	570	11,513		
6-man	255	5,456		
GOLF	9,834	125,903	*4,119	**41,410
GYMNASTICS	300	3,865	1,680	23,367
HEPTATHLON	1	2	*49	**170
ICE HOCKEY	915	22,993	*49	**74
JUDO	21	173		
LACROSSE	406	20,472	255	9,959
PENTATHLON	5	11	52	79
RIFLERY	156	2,056	81	597
SKIING (Cross Country)	355	4,357	322	3,522
(Downhill)	333	4,999	306	3,305
SOCCER	6,785	228,380	4,490	121,722
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	71	1,455	8,867	219,464
(Slow Pitch)	18	315	1,871	35,180
SWIMMING & DIVING	4,320	82,925	*4,295	**88,122
TENNIS	8,910	141,250	8,580	132,607
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,788	41,467	1,534	29,053
(Outdoor)	13,905	401,350	13,751	320,763
VOLLEYBALL	*886	18,013	*12,017	300,810
WATER POLO	344	9,709	70	1,016
WEIGHT LIFTING	431	17,100	157	2,256
WRESTLING	8,404	230,673	*21	**132
OTHER	*361	**6,092	29	500

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NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS SUMMARY

1990-91 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,462	1. Football	941,423
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,905	2. Basketball	515,644
3. Football	13,870	3. Baseball	419,015
4. Baseball	13,608	4. Track & Field (Outdoor)	401,350
5. Cross Country	10,419	5. Wrestling	230,673
6. Golf	9,834	6. Soccer	228,380
7. Tennis	8,910	7. Cross Country	155,375
8. Wrestling	8,404	8. Tennis	141,250
9. Soccer	6,785	9. Golf	125,903
10. Swimming & Diving	4,320	10. Swimming & Diving	82,925

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	15,864	1. Basketball	387,802
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,751	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	320,763
3. Volleyball	12,017	3. Volleyball	300,810
4. Cross Country	9,470	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	219,464
5. Softball (Fast Pitch)	8,867	5. Tennis	132,607
6. Tennis	8,580	6. Soccer	121,722
7. Soccer	4,490	7. Cross Country	106,514
8. Swimming & Diving	4,295	8. Swimming & Diving	88,122
9. Golf	4,119	9. Field Hockey	48,384
10. Softball (Slow Pitch)	1,871	10. Golf	41,410

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316

1991 SUMMARY OF SPORTS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank State		Total Number of Participants		
1.	Texas	515,415	28. Alabama	69,224
2.	California	424,577	29. Nebraska	65,240
3.	New York	291,591	30. Oklahoma	65,073
4.	Ohio	282,337	31. Arizona	62,912
5.	Illinois	253,676	32. South Carolina	58,081
6.	Michigan	238,565	33. Kentucky	51,951
7.	Pennsylvania	211,768	34. Maine	47,147
8.	New Jersey	187,356	35. Utah	38,085
9.	Iowa	150,224	36. Idaho	36,262
	Wisconsin	142,884	37. Mississippi	35,532
11.	Florida	142,493	38. Montana	30,654
12.	Missouri	139,701	39. West Virginia	30,445
13.	Massachusetts	138,752	40. New Mexico	30,226
14.	Indiana	134,659	41. New Hampshire	29,297
15.	Washington	129,873	42. South Dakota	28,080
16.	Minnesota	119,741	43. North Dakota	25,664
17.	North Carolina	107,769	44. Nevada	24,620
18.	Georgia	102,332	45. Vermont	19,897
19.	Virginia	102,120	46. Hawaii	19,546
20.	Tennessee	91,769	47. Delaware	17,062
21.	Oregon	85,652	48. Rhode Island	17,031
22.	Kansas	82,946	49. Wyoming	16,384
23.	Arkansas	82,878	50. Alaska	14,511
24.	Colorado	81,311	51. District of Columbia	4,315
25.	Louisiana	78,535		
26.	Connecticut	71,706		
	Maryland	70,802		
			TOTAL	5,298,671

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	336	7,755	398	11,469	40	355	373	21,532
ALASKA			118	2,226	101	920	17	1,269
ARIZONA	165	6,195	169	5,884	117	1,492	140	11,926
ARKANSAS	261	6,979	350	14,350	69	784	199	34,744
CALIFORNIA	872	32,092	949	32,410	729	15,421	778	74,041
COLORADO	204	6,268	264	7,727	140	1,768	178	11,399
CONNECTICUT	170	5,905	171	4,857	164	2,411	119	7,189
DELAWARE	39	1,317	39	1,169	29	426	37	2,166
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	242	11	550	8	200	11	600
FLORIDA	428	11,388	436	11,870	317	3,761	369	29,093
GEORGIA	322	9,525	344	10,371	230	3,049	323	22,248
HAWAII	56	1,483	58	1,467	43	592	48	3,407
IDAHO	66	1,979	132	4,305	62	791	121	7,376
ILLINOIS	638	22,283	750	24,927	378	7,056	560	47,238
INDIANA	380	12,116	386	13,298	372	5,234	312	20,739
IOWA	408	10,545	421	13,025	258	2,866	368	20,423
KANSAS	113	3,635	361	9,760	207	2,279	246	12,572
KENTUCKY	269	5,668	278	7,551	206	1,490	206	8,365
LOUISIANA	308	8,008	408	12,240	306	3,366	285	15,640
MAINE	129	6,096	136	4,345	107	1,137	56	3,013
MARYLAND	150	4,601	150	4,515	123	1,611	139	9,632
MASSACHUSETTS	309	11,650	318	10,600	250	3,791	270	16,055
MICHIGAN	630	19,246	690	26,319	533	6,784	617	41,960
MINNESOTA	385	8,193	442	9,942	274	2,973	326	17,259
MISSISSIPPI	242	4,305	261	4,917	82	616	238	10,344
MISSOURI	423	12,051	551	15,230	246	4,022	313	20,901
MONTANA			181	4,616	54	713	85	4,866
NEBRASKA	25	1,123	341	8,387	121	1,385	179	9,149
NEVADA	43	1,300	61	2,600	34	950	47	4,300
NEW HAMPSHIRE	84	2,502	84	2,542	62	857	33	2,091
NEW JERSEY	377	16,571	378	14,441	285	6,557	340	25,984
NEW MEXICO	80	2,231	125	3,486	71	824	99	5,010
NEW YORK	672	21,349	693	20,208	485	6,875	514	31,698
NORTH CAROLINA	327	10,094	327	9,313	212	2,001	315	19,772
NORTH DAKOTA	42	657	210	4,446	41	411	57	3,128
OHIO	761	23,128	788	26,050	659	8,099	712	43,551
OKLAHOMA	428	9,416	475	8,694	104	1,185	270	13,005
OREGON	201	9,045	254	9,144	167	2,505	186	11,160
PENNSYLVANIA	577	19,005	625	17,680	443	6,110	543	25,830
RHODE ISLAND	45	1,273	44	988	39	620	39	1,681
SOUTH CAROLINA	187	4,990	197	6,600	83	1,368	194	15,390
SOUTH DAKOTA			188	4,426	103	900	64	3,610
TENNESSEE	296	7,716	334	9,686	181	3,258	293	23,050
TEXAS	880	32,700	1,136	53,100	862	21,252	941	125,123
UTAH	88	2,500	105	3,101	84	1,402	84	7,180
VERMONT	65	1,979	67	1,915	42	439	23	1,371
VIRGINIA	273	7,356	277	8,336	227	3,057	272	17,563
WASHINGTON	295	9,334	342	11,330	252	4,375	266	19,690
WEST VIRGINIA	144	3,093	150	4,482	68	627	133	6,328
WISCONSIN	404	12,128	418	12,626	316	4,024	407	24,350
WYOMING			71	2,063	33	386	48	2,488

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			115	1,008				
ALASKA							18	468
ARIZONA	20	558						
ARKANSAS			112	970				
CALIFORNIA	42	1,143	514	6,476	18	259		
COLORADO	41	852	112	1,436	17	152	11	217
CONNECTICUT			148	1,623			62	1,307
DELAWARE			28	283	1	7		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			2	16				
FLORIDA			315	2,847	6	47		
GEORGIA			270	2,329	2	19		
HAWAII			43	264				
IDAHO	23	205	54	801	3	49		
ILLINOIS			392	6,614	58	1,146		
INDIANA			352	4,140				
IOWA			344	5,174			4	66
KANSAS	109	2,086	176	2,905	4	23		
KENTUCKY			214	1,528				
LOUISIANA			163	1,141	6	54		
MAINE			75	749	3	6	32	859
MARYLAND			110	995	7	70		
MASSACHUSETTS			217	2,897	19	254	199	6,244
MICHIGAN			457	5,684	10	27	94	1,897
MINNESOTA			331	3,521	18	91	184	4,804
MISSISSIPPI	1	16	97	621				
MISSOURI	17	389	237	3,420				
MONTANA	53	1,062	60	784				
NEBRASKA	127	2,989	157	2,308	14	121		
NEVADA	8	175	32	450				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			33	427	1	19	21	545
NEW JERSEY			171	3,142	18	600	52	1,342
NEW MEXICO			48	588				
NEW YORK			477	5,878	30	408	93	2,065
NORTH CAROLINA			262	3,743	1	12		
NORTH DAKOTA			77	973			13	505
OHIO			661	7,846	41	237	39	760
OKLAHOMA	49	763	170	1,212				
OREGON	41	615	131	1,048				
PENNSYLVANIA			418	4,375	2	36		
RHODE ISLAND			32	370			27	592
SOUTH CAROLINA			133	1,383				
SOUTH DAKOTA			67	776				
TENNESSEE			220	1,980				
TEXAS			901	19,050				
UTAH			78	1,024				
VERMONT			40	396			24	459
VIRGINIA			209	2,093	16	177		
WASHINGTON	39	660	192	2,577				
WEST VIRGINIA			85	703				
WISCONSIN			275	4,847			42	863
WYOMING			27	488	5	51		

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STATE	Skiing-Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			67	1,675	25	190	105	1,095
ALASKA			8	438	25	403	6	102
ARIZONA			78	2,294	56	1,046	103	1,660
ARKANSAS					27	322	114	1,432
CALIFORNIA	7	117	686	24,245	464	13,283	632	12,866
COLORADO	10	103	118	3,804	97	1,821	101	2,182
CONNECTICUT			167	6,353	90	1,546	142	2,159
DELAWARE			34	1,362	16	337	28	430
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			6	150	10	300	11	200
FLORIDA			325	9,100	252	3,879	331	3,345
GEORGIA			187	5,179	160	1,001	306	3,470
HAWAII			43	1,261	45	311	47	526
IDAHO			15	398	4	95	41	792
ILLINOIS			243	10,219	240	4,998	283	6,226
INDIANA					188	3,892	289	5,099
IOWA			52	2,217	51	1,117	112	1,785
KANSAS			50	1,987	40	803	124	2,096
KENTUCKY			132	3,024	83	995	206	886
LOUISIANA			84	1,260	63	945	188	1,310
MAINE	38	512	123	4,050	33	474	76	929
MARYLAND			141	5,085	50	746	140	2,005
MASSACHUSETTS	45	805	277	10,603	94	1,575	198	3,065
MICHIGAN	78	1,081	261	8,187	228	4,637	352	6,573
MINNESOTA	50	786	83	1,113	134	2,002	176	3,419
MISSISSIPPI			50	1,131			132	935
MISSOURI			143	5,989	62	1,880	174	3,707
MONTANA					16	223	31	487
NEBRASKA			33	1,009	32	574	46	781
NEVADA	13	350	25	1,000	22	775	25	315
NEW HAMPSHIRE	35	471	77	2,664	11	113	43	677
NEW JERSEY	14	469	331	14,807	99	2,827	314	4,505
NEW MEXICO			44	1,241	26	415	46	532
NEW YORK			582	21,375	245	4,988	462	8,202
NORTH CAROLINA			167	4,858	120	1,275	262	3,306
NORTH DAKOTA			10	273	10	237	18	286
OHIO	5	73	384	12,865	223	2,754	444	6,956
OKLAHOMA			64	1,808	36	480	99	941
OREGON			110	3,300	88	1,320	107	856
PENNSYLVANIA			392	13,500	225	3,360	355	5,325
RHODE ISLAND			41	1,089	13	247	36	774
SOUTH CAROLINA			95	2,289			121	1,535
SOUTH DAKOTA							17	332
TENNESSEE			105	2,835			228	4,332
TEXAS			289	8,150	261	7,250	1,062	19,750
UTAH			57	1,767	55	1,122	78	1,093
VERMONT	31	107	63	2,253			25	370
VIRGINIA			166	5,059	52	1,091	211	2,759
WASHINGTON			197	6,205	110	2,923	214	4,157
WEST VIRGINIA			34	806	2	26	78	810
WISCONSIN			128	4,640	113	1,844	157	3,605
WYOMING	7	125	12	463	24	483	14	270

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STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	72	924	195	4,162			43	1,044
ALASKA			45	1,021	69	140	83	1,296
ARIZONA			155	4,801			137	4,520
ARKANSAS			263	5,655				
CALIFORNIA	12	307	715	31,671	232	5,779	584	21,025
COLORADO			249	6,125	15	273	195	4,774
CONNECTICUT	77	1,897	151	4,970			95	2,430
DELAWARE	22	368	29	899			38	1,037
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	11	330	11	330			2	40
FLORIDA			347	9,875	22	515	247	6,975
GEORGIA			218	7,953	2	194	174	4,845
HAWAII			56	669	48	743	48	1,026
IDAHO	1	3	124	3,338			85	2,755
ILLINOIS			598	21,006	66	1,056	382	15,786
INDIANA			366	11,281			304	8,858
IOWA	123	3,234	394	9,091			292	6,985
KANSAS			360	8,486			172	4,438
KENTUCKY			232	3,517			59	867
LOUISIANA	102	1,122	406	8,526			44	968
MAINE	42	971	88	2,372	12	264	49	1,015
MARYLAND	105	2,255	136	3,691	21	290	133	3,904
MASSACHUSETTS	151	4,807	235	8,169	35	924	118	3,156
MICHIGAN			637	16,102	1	27	436	11,945
MINNESOTA			426	8,287			339	5,541
MISSISSIPPI			220	3,112				
MISSOURI			424	12,557	10	90	174	6,657
MONTANA			180	3,426			73	1,601
NEBRASKA			339	7,352			192	3,875
NEVADA			61	2,000			38	1,250
NEW HAMPSHIRE	27	740	51	1,569	5	103	18	567
NEW JERSEY	191	5,493	331	10,427			322	8,987
NEW MEXICO			120	3,108			47	1,473
NEW YORK	249	6,130	532	15,528	165	4,615	454	12,460
NORTH CAROLINA	75	1,132	296	9,829	9	150	234	5,970
NORTH DAKOTA			170	2,535			59	1,185
OHIO	187	4,080	748	21,744	41	941	576	15,323
OKLAHOMA	30	345	326	3,846			136	2,974
OREGON			242	12,100			170	4,250
PENNSYLVANIA	150	3,000	499	15,100	108	1,460	479	12,045
RHODE ISLAND	18	739	34	1,224	17	313	30	843
SOUTH CAROLINA			172	5,237			79	2,366
SOUTH DAKOTA			187	3,732			96	1,806
TENNESSEE			211	6,119			102	3,876
TEXAS			1,136	43,000				
UTAH			101	3,587			90	2,989
VERMONT			38	956	1	11	21	397
VIRGINIA	134	3,454	263	7,558	7	125	206	6,130
WASHINGTON			216	9,321			250	8,689
WEST VIRGINIA			112	2,455			82	1,580
WISCONSIN			394	10,420			365	6,927
WYOMING	9	136	66	1,511			52	1,223

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	New York	1	8
BADMINTON	California	126	2,398
	Maine	1	20
	Maryland	9	99
	New York	10	72
BOWLING	Florida	64	628
	Hawaii	43	295
	Iowa	31	332
	Michigan	11	134
	Nevada	12	500
	New Jersey	138	2,338
	New York	268	3,259
	Ohio	26	308
	Pennsylvania	56	565
	South Carolina	9	65
CANOEING	Hawaii	6	148
COED TEAM TENNIS	Texas	358	6,050
CREW	Delaware	2	44
	Maine	2	28
	Michigan	7	53
	New Hampshire	1	22
	Ohio	7	456
	Virginia	14	514
	West Virginia	1	26
CYCLING	Vermont	1	2
DECATHLON	Alabama	16	47
	Delaware	1	14
	Florida	41	228
	Idaho	2	16
	Maine	1	3
	New Hampshire	4	9
	Ohio	1	9
	Tennessee	60	90
	Vermont	4	14
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	12	74
FENCING	Michigan	3	18
	New Jersey	19	597
	New York	13	276
	Ohio	2	9
	Vermont	1	8
FOOTBALL (9-man)	California	7	343
	Minnesota	69	1,377
	North Dakota	80	1,705
	South Dakota	113	2,241
	Wyoming	13	289
FOOTBALL (6-man)	Arizona	106	1,164
	Colorado	27	499
	Montana	11	78
	Nebraska	28	465
	Texas	83	3,250
HEPTATHLON	New Hampshire	1	8
JUDO	Hawaii	21	173
LACROSSE	Colorado	13	619
	Delaware	10	305
	Maine	10	346
	Maryland	60	2,814
	Massachusetts	36	2,000
	Michigan	12	586
	New Hampshire	4	257
	New Jersey	39	1,794
	New York	172	9,469
	North Carolina	1	55
	Ohio	12	608

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
PENTATHLON	Vermont	9	343
	Virginia	28	1,276
	Colorado	2	3
	Idaho	2	4
	Vermont	1	4
RIFLERY	Alaska	10	154
	Georgia	20	310
	Hawaii	11	87
	Maine	3	42
	Michigan	2	41
	Nevada	20	200
	New York	42	628
	Ohio	4	52
	Pennsylvania	385	485
	Virginia	6	57
	Idaho	1	20
	Alaska	23	330
RODEO	Colorado	10	54
	Idaho	2	76
	Maine	35	385
	Massachusetts	24	358
	Minnesota	73	813
	Nevada	4	40
	New Hampshire	32	315
	New York	99	1,667
	Vermont	26	237
	Wyoming	7	82
	Delaware	1	20
	California	42	934
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	Missouri	29	521
	California	7	133
	Georgia	8	156
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Mississippi	3	26
	California	272	8,112
	Florida	25	410
WATER POLO	Hawaii	3	57
	Maine	1	9
	Michigan	9	147
	Missouri	14	629
	Nevada	1	20
	Ohio	9	180
	Pennsylvania	10	145
	California	7	380
	Colorado	8	90
	Delaware	3	106
WEIGHT LIFTING	Florida	131	3,540
	Georgia	43	2,124
	Idaho	1	60
	Iowa	28	1,340
	Kansas	36	1,104
	Maine	14	498
	Maryland	4	186
	New Hampshire	3	39
	North Carolina	42	2,333
	Ohio	95	4,599
	Vermont	2	31
	West Virginia	14	673

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	310	4,644	28	258			21	44
ALASKA	118	1,865	101	591				
ARIZONA	168	4,338	113	998			39	185
ARKANSAS	350	10,762	69	417			51	81
CALIFORNIA	898	21,100	677	9,147	54	1,498		338
COLORADO	261	5,994	136	1,199			115	404
CONNECTICUT	170	3,693	156	1,632	74	2,689	37	102
DELAWARE	38	886	26	296	33	1,327	8	12
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	200	8	120			2	2
FLORIDA	403	7,119	282	2,838			141	908
GEORGIA	337	8,153	188	1,823			47	92
HAWAII	56	1,298	44	604			18	28
IDAHO	131	3,405	62	525			54	242
ILLINOIS	656	15,196	324	4,055			170	956
INDIANA	383	9,900	313	2,913			165	1,477
IOWA	417	16,680	256	2,560			325	3,900
KANSAS	360	7,348	193	1,415			56	528
KENTUCKY	270	5,789	201	1,424			147	1,068
LOUISIANA	376	9,400	204	1,224			22	44
MAINE	126	3,389	105	832	76	2,745	29	50
MARYLAND	149	3,810	120	1,172	105	3,313	60	107
MASSACHUSETTS	296	8,750	223	2,501	200	4,800	44	133
MICHIGAN	687	16,913	507	4,408	9	143	163	2,174
MINNESOTA	439	7,761	235	1,875			266	2,068
MISSISSIPPI	261	3,978	32	330			3	21
MISSOURI	528	11,716	215	2,349	21	639	66	582
MONTANA	181	3,983	70	624			67	568
NEBRASKA	343	7,103	114	849			59	558
NEVADA	60	1,700	33	700			24	250
NEW HAMPSHIRE	82	2,116	60	663	50	1,681	11	40
NEW JERSEY	373	8,796	245	3,274	196	7,217	34	116
NEW MEXICO	124	2,802	70	608			37	208
NEW YORK	662	14,954	397	3,947	219	7,391	55	333
NORTH CAROLINA	327	5,983	177	1,458			20	83
NORTH DAKOTA	196	3,499	35	222			47	360
OHIO	783	18,735	623	5,517	27	952	82	357
OKLAHOMA	479	8,540	80	730			90	376
OREGON	250	6,250	164	2,460			90	540
PENNSYLVANIA	621	15,900	416	4,210	240	9,870	193	1,965
RHODE ISLAND	46	940	34	489	19	521		
SOUTH CAROLINA	197	4,806	66	644	1	72		
SOUTH DAKOTA	197	3,455	93	450			63	552
TENNESSEE	332	8,944	179	2,327			160	480
TEXAS	994	40,700	850	20,250			750	17,050
UTAH	98	2,090	71	804			16	24
VERMONT	67	1,581	40	267	34	1,174	13	36
VIRGINIA	278	6,024	190	1,838	76	2,352		
WASHINGTON	342	9,702	246	3,153			162	1,155
WEST VIRGINIA	144	2,485	54	351				10
WISCONSIN	418	10,960	317	2,967			74	655
WYOMING	71	1,667	28	206			23	148

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STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Alpine		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	13	204			25	625		
ALASKA	7	152			8	435		
ARIZONA					30	612	149	3,188
ARKANSAS	14	222						
CALIFORNIA	100	1,942	6	81	498	12,398	756	19,983
COLORADO	74	959	10	102	115	3,460	70	1,594
CONNECTICUT	47	586			119	3,406	173	4,517
DELAWARE	2	27			14	43	33	1,082
DIST. OF COLUMBIA					1	30	11	200
FLORIDA	13	134			197	4,751	117	2,534
GEORGIA	28	288			123	2,240		
HAWAII					42	1,304	54	781
IDAHO	4	36			12	291	1	30
ILLINOIS	106	1,948			114	3,802	558	13,118
INDIANA	89	1,239					256	6,316
IOWA					39	663	402	16,080
KANSAS	18	242			21	775	79	2,043
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA	18	216			23	345	278	4,170
MAINE	21	214	36	337	105	2,785	107	2,635
MARYLAND	16	291			82	2,925	136	3,720
MASSACHUSETTS	84	1,294	39	446	224	7,388	300	7,200
MICHIGAN	75	1,188	76	742	161	4,984	620	14,671
MINNESOTA	159	1,739	48	435	75	2,273	327	6,781
MISSISSIPPI					12	261		
MISSOURI	4	40			83	3,076	363	7,952
MONTANA							20	514
NEBRASKA	20	187			34	1,004		
NEVADA			12	250	11	220		
NEW HAMPSHIRE	6	102	34	335	46	1,310	81	2,192
NEW JERSEY	91	1,134	6	156	236	6,798	369	12,945
NEW MEXICO					27	639	39	870
NEW YORK	124	1,966			539	17,899	649	17,682
NORTH CAROLINA	7	100			70	1,505		
NORTH DAKOTA	16	99			7	224		
OHIO	115	1,189	5	84	186	5,605	601	15,553
OKLAHOMA					44	1,100	180	2,860
OREGON					79	1,975	154	4,620
PENNSYLVANIA	58	960			175	2,775	545	13,375
RHODE ISLAND	12	169			28	688	15	387
SOUTH CAROLINA					25	532	173	3,069
SOUTH DAKOTA	35	383						
TENNESSEE					72	1,718	183	2,562
TEXAS					202	4,680		
UTAH	12	187			48	1,160	68	1,351
VERMONT	11	100	27	266	62	1,751	65	1,763
VIRGINIA	81	846			123	2,642	233	4,777
WASHINGTON	65	1,312			176	5,089	27	886
WEST VIRGINIA					85	14	82	1,432
WISCONSIN	127	1,563			81	3,208	351	9,030
WYOMING	8	109	7	71	11	314		

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STATE	Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	268	4.546	25	216	95	969	60	611
ALASKA			25	361	6	111		
ARIZONA			56	1,241	107	1,771		
ARKANSAS			27	207	114	1,058		
CALIFORNIA	61	1.532	480	14,136	657	12,688	9	228
COLORADO			101	2,616	106	2,624		
CONNECTICUT			68	1,628	123	1,998	73	1,477
DELAWARE			17	505	28	459	24	363
DIST. OF COLUMBIA			10	75	11	100	7	150
FLORIDA					311	3,080		
GEORGIA	273	4.633	179	1,000	293	3,594		
HAWAII			49	361	48	552		
IDAHO	54	1.215	1	14	41	749	1	4
ILLINOIS			212	4,561	272	5,412		
INDIANA			188	3,558	285	5,066		
IOWA			57	1,710	114	1,140	33	515
KANSAS			37	902	113	1,866		
KENTUCKY	244	4.881	83	730	201	847		
LOUISIANA			36	360	149	1,043	82	820
MAINE	16	439	37	647	78	1,029	38	660
MARYLAND			50	1,073	135	1,725	105	1,914
MASSACHUSETTS			110	2,392	205	3,307	143	3,879
MICHIGAN			206	4,660	311	6,145		
MINNESOTA			155	2,491	182	3,277		
MISSISSIPPI	116	1.630			151	782		
MISSOURI			64	2,001	149	2,729		
MONTANA			18	245	56	904		
NEBRASKA			32	616	48	897		
NEVADA	38	1.300	22	475	24	340		
NEW HAMPSHIRE			11	174	42	655	28	625
NEW JERSEY			91	2,905	298	4,566	165	4,030
NEW MEXICO			26	459	48	592		
NEW YORK			242	5,120	401	7,594	225	4,617
NORTH CAROLINA	327	6.592	107	1,629	236	2,846	70	711
NORTH DAKOTA			12	230	19	370		
OHIO	84	2.406	242	3,825	366	5,533	158	2,765
OKLAHOMA	121	1.420	42	490	102	980	19	182
OREGON			88	1,320	113	904		
PENNSYLVANIA			225	4,080	350	5,050	145	2,605
RHODE ISLAND	31	607			33	597	6	254
SOUTH CAROLINA					96	1,227		
SOUTH DAKOTA					16	220		
TENNESSEE					226	3,164		
TEXAS			250	7,050	1,050	19,000		
UTAH			55	934	63	789		
VERMONT					26	475		
VIRGINIA			53	1,264	218	2,825	133	2,540
WASHINGTON	242	7.001	117	2,817	216	4,374		
WEST VIRGINIA			2	32	76	818		
WISCONSIN			124	2,536	158	3,547		
WYOMING			25	497	14	219	10	103

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STATE	Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	170	2.559	211	3.270
ALASKA	45	748	69	1.145
ARIZONA	154	3.347	171	4.993
ARKANSAS	263	3.734	68	1.161
CALIFORNIA	694	19.415	867	22.048
COLORADO	249	4.576	254	7.051
CONNECTICUT	147	4.538	120	2.789
DELAWARE	32	869	27	631
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	9	180	11	300
FLORIDA	344	6.824	395	8.039
GEORGIA	209	6.591	39	821
HAWAII	54	610	54	900
IDAHO	123	2.655	130	3.815
ILLINOIS	590	15.006	711	18.193
INDIANA	369	9.329	384	10.201
IOWA	393	15.720	420	12.600
KANSAS	361	6.386	349	9.007
KENTUCKY	229	2.519	72	802
LOUISIANA	367	4.937	164	2.296
MAINE	88	2.131	19	387
MARYLAND	134	2.965	143	3.244
MASSACHUSETTS	228	7.649	126	3.056
MICHIGAN	635	13.711	648	16.693
MINNESOTA	425	6.546	437	10.397
MISSISSIPPI	220	2.256	24	251
MISSOURI	425	10.571	384	10.003
MONTANA	179	2.592	150	3.366
NEBRASKA	341	5.590	344	8.918
NEVADA	58	1.500	58	1.200
NEW HAMPSHIRE	52	1.521	43	971
NEW JERSEY	312	3.972	113	2.433
NEW MEXICO	119	2.266	123	2.874
NEW YORK	507	13.223	574	13.787
NORTH CAROLINA	284	7.220	302	5.536
NORTH DAKOTA	173	2.059	93	2.260
OHIO	748	18.290	778	19.496
OKLAHOMA	295	3.174	46	552
OREGON	242	7.260	249	4.980
PENNSYLVANIA	476	12.500	391	7.640
RHODE ISLAND	26	848	38	778
SOUTH CAROLINA	175	4.136	152	2.335
SOUTH DAKOTA	185	2.676	103	2.521
TENNESSEE	209	4.807	190	4.750
TEXAS	1,130	38.000	767	30.000
UTAH	100	2.602	103	2.379
VERMONT	38	849	1	14
VIRGINIA	262	5.909	179	3.536
WASHINGTON	310	7.477	331	9.586
WEST VIRGINIA	115	2.144	109	1.393
WISCONSIN	391	8.518	416	13.626
WYOMING	67	1.158	67	1.774

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	11	88
	New York	1	8
BADMINTON	Arizona	35	609
	California	163	3,660
	Illinois	70	1,842
	Maine	1	4
	Maryland	9	95
	Michigan	1	12
	New York	35	590
BASEBALL	California		294
	Colorado	35	134
	Georgia	9	66
	Maine	15	151
	Texas		10
BOWLING	Florida	56	365
	Hawaii	44	320
	Idaho	8	121
	Illinois	83	1,032
	Iowa	31	210
	Michigan	11	97
	Nevada	12	400
	New Jersey	115	1,209
	New York	180	1,804
	Ohio	13	73
	Pennsylvania	61	605
	South Carolina	6	37
	Hawaii	6	145
	Maine	2	18
CANOEING	Delaware	1	47
	Maine	2	9
CREW	Michigan	1	10
	New Hampshire	1	25
	Ohio	9	114
	Virginia	16	516
	West Virginia		26
	Vermont	1	1
	Maine	1	6
	New Hampshire	2	3
CYCLING	Ohio		2
	Michigan	20	201
DECATHLON	New Hampshire		1
	Michigan		32
	New Jersey		451
FENCING	New York		127
	Ohio		8
	Vermont	1	4
	Arizona		2
	California		39
FOOTBALL (11-man)	Colorado	10	58
	Georgia	7	11
	Idaho	3	3
	Indiana		1
	Wyoming		1
	California		12
	Alabama	12	22
FOOTBALL (9-man)	Florida	32	133
	New Hampshire	2	5
	Vermont	3	10
	Alaska	18	6
	Colorado	1	3
ICE HOCKEY	Maine	7	16
	New Hampshire	3	5
	Vermont	3	4
	Colorado	7	258
	Delaware	7	194
	Maine	7	153
	Maryland	50	1,949
	Massachusetts	17	791
	Michigan	4	101
	New Hampshire	3	79
LACROSSE	New Jersey	32	1,473

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ST	State	Schools	Participating
	New York	51	2,168
	Ohio	9	459
	Pennsylvania	53	1,795
	Vermont	3	93
	Virginia	12	446
PENTATHLON	Colorado	2	4
RIFLERY	Tennessee	50	75
	Alaska	10	44
	Georgia	9	31
	Hawaii	11	74
	Maine	3	5
	New York	10	45
	Ohio	2	6
	Pennsylvania	36	395
	Idaho	1	11
	Alaska	23	250
RODEO	Colorado	9	58
SKIING (Cross Country)	Idaho	2	59
	Maine	3	5
	Massachusetts	21	264
	Minnesota	72	344
	Nevada	4	40
	New Hampshire	32	257
	New York	42	88
	Vermont	30	215
	Wyoming	7	59
	Delaware	1	12
SQUASH	Michigan	12	43
SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING	Minnesota	11	33
	California	34	332
WATER POLO	Florida	24	509
	Hawaii	3	60
	Maine	1	9
	Nevada	1	20
	Ohio	5	64
	Pennsylvania	2	22
	California	1	38
	Colorado	6	51
	Delaware	2	22
	Georgia	2	73
	Idaho	1	22
	Iowa	19	246
	Kansas	36	260
	Maine	6	67
	New Hampshire	2	5
	North Carolina	16	263
	Ohio	51	976
	Vermont	1	2
	West Virginia	14	131
	Alaska		36
WRESTLING	California		33
	Connecticut	4	4
	Georgia	9	43
	Idaho	2	2
	Indiana		2
	Maine	5	11
	New Hampshire	1	1

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1992 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1991-92 School Year

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	4	188	13	277
BADMINTON	*141	*2,398	*272	*7,037
BASEBALL	13,722	433,684	**52	**541
BASKETBALL	16,469	518,127	15,934	391,612
BOWLING	649	7,886	620	6,588
CANOEING	8	147	11	197
CREW	28	879	28	935
CROSS COUNTRY	10,470	154,119	9,592	110,409
DECATHLON	138	594	17	54
EQUESTRIAN	14	78	21	141
FENCING	44	817	38	432
FIELD HOCKEY	1	40	1,434	49,160
FOOTBALL—11-man	12,768	890,041	**29	**117
9-man	305	5,591		**1
8-man	596	12,905		**2
6-man	157	4,308		
GOLF	10,025	132,847	**4,277	**42,368
GYMNASTICS	279	3,475	1,604	22,849
HEPTATHLON	2	3	51	186
ICE HOCKEY	925	22,817	**34	**122
JUDO	21	156	5	12
LACROSSE	413	20,883	258	10,544
PENTATHLON			52	83
RIFLERY	135	1,831	79	613
SKIING (Cross Country)	375	4,413	349	3,540
(Alpine)	358	5,497	330	3,305
SOCCER	7,025	236,082	4,665	135,302
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	61	1,070	9,015	221,510
(Slow Pitch)	12	194	2,093	42,894
SWIMMING & DIVING	4,294	79,998	4,385	93,490
TENNIS	*8,845	*145,374	*8,795	*139,433
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,765	41,448	1,600	31,868
(Outdoor)	14,034	417,451	13,782	327,183
VOLLEYBALL	*1,106	*23,586	*12,095	*293,948
WATER POLO	391	10,273	122	1,260
WEIGHT LIFTING	369	14,719	**114	**2,256
WRESTLING	8,392	229,908	**50	**219
OTHER	329	7,841	26	313

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NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS SUMMARY

1991-92 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,469	1. Football	912,845
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,034	2. Basketball	518,127
3. Football	13,826	3. Baseball	433,684
4. Baseball	13,722	4. Track & Field (Outdoor)	417,451
5. Cross Country	10,470	5. Soccer	236,082
6. Golf	10,025	6. Wrestling	229,908
7. Tennis	8,845	7. Cross Country	154,119
8. Wrestling	8,392	8. Tennis	145,374
9. Soccer	7,025	9. Golf	132,847
10. Swimming & Diving	4,294	10. Swimming & Diving	79,998

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	15,934	1. Basketball	391,612
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,782	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	327,183
3. Volleyball	12,095	3. Volleyball	293,948
4. Cross Country	9,592	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	221,510
5. Softball (Fast Pitch)	9,015	5. Tennis	139,433
6. Tennis	8,795	6. Soccer	135,302
7. Soccer	4,665	7. Cross Country	110,409
8. Swimming & Diving	4,385	8. Swimming & Diving	93,490
9. Golf	4,277	9. Field Hockey	49,160
10. Softball (Slow Pitch)	2,093	10. Golf	42,368

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801

1992 SUMMARY OF SPORTS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants
1.	Texas	479,750	28.	Alabama	70,079
2.	California	461,794	29.	Arizona	67,626
3.	New York	291,591	30.	Oklahoma	65,421
4.	Ohio	274,224	31.	Arkansas	63,402
5.	Michigan	262,453	32.	South Carolina	60,365
6.	Illinois	252,808	33.	Kentucky	52,186
7.	Pennsylvania	211,106	34.	Maine	44,509
8.	New Jersey	177,064	35.	Mississippi	40,430
9.	Washington	152,722	36.	Utah	40,001
10.	Florida	150,487	37.	Idaho	36,030
11.	Wisconsin	149,096	38.	New Mexico	31,989
12.	Iowa	139,722	39.	Montana	31,222
13.	Indiana	136,951	40.	West Virginia	30,653
14.	Massachusetts	135,698	41.	New Hampshire	30,462
15.	Missouri	132,794	42.	Alaska	29,448
16.	Minnesota	119,889	43.	South Dakota	29,227
17.	Virginia	106,758	44.	Nevada	25,917
18.	North Carolina	104,808	45.	North Dakota	25,869
19.	Georgia	102,332	46.	Vermont	21,488
20.	Tennessee	93,975	47.	Hawaii	20,624
21.	Kansas	89,251	48.	Rhode Island	19,562
22.	Colorado	87,396	49.	Delaware	19,095
23.	Oregon	86,684	50.	Wyoming	17,148
24.	Louisiana	78,535	51.	District of Columbia	3,107
25.	Connecticut	73,848			
26.	Maryland	72,423			
27.	Nebraska	70,506			
			TOTAL		5,370,525

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	336	7,755	396	11,411	41	364	374	21,590
ALASKA	9	250	118	2,440	109	816	17	1,399
ARIZONA	166	6,403	175	6,316	120	1,626	143	12,574
ARKANSAS	266	7,134	346	10,815	77	814	199	15,658
CALIFORNIA	892	34,692	936	33,523	713	15,246	777	78,873
COLORADO	216	6,834	278	8,286	151	1,934	187	12,291
CONNECTICUT	169	5,744	170	4,906	162	2,411	119	7,401
DELAWARE	41	1,411	41	1,366	29	492	40	2,931
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	12	220	16	353	10	100	13	505
FLORIDA	426	11,704	439	12,381	318	3,967	370	29,416
GEORGIA	322	9,525	344	10,371	230	3,049	323	22,248
HAWAII	51	1,524	55	1,437	53	601	47	3,376
IDAHO	66	1,997	132	4,441	62	791	121	7,376
ILLINOIS	634	22,140	743	24,712	377	6,938	552	46,803
INDIANA	395	12,217	406	13,445	390	5,187	311	20,990
IOWA	403	11,881	413	17,618	259	3,149	362	21,235
KANSAS	119	3,981	360	10,294	222	2,413	246	13,524
KENTUCKY	269	5,670	276	7,560	207	1,495	206	8,365
LOUISIANA	308	8,008	408	12,240	306	3,366	285	15,640
MAINE	104	3,490	133	4,291	109	1,130	54	3,006
MARYLAND	151	4,621	150	4,277	123	1,701	139	9,292
MASSACHUSETTS	305	11,500	320	10,443	247	3,721	270	15,155
MICHIGAN	625	20,191	692	24,286	546	7,111	614	42,727
MINNESOTA	387	8,215	432	9,683	281	3,034	325	17,490
MISSISSIPPI	240	4,906	262	5,400	82	782	236	12,443
MISSOURI	425	11,341	549	14,982	248	4,414	312	19,659
MONTANA			182	4,616	48	636	83	5,137
NEBRASKA	25	1,188	343	8,690	135	1,423	180	12,199
NEVADA	54	1,390	69	2,194	43	577	47	5,408
NEW HAMPSHIRE	83	2,577	84	2,675	65	862	32	2,113
NEW JERSEY	376	14,835	379	11,191	290	4,631	340	21,624
NEW MEXICO	80	2,237	125	3,523	71	855	99	5,164
NEW YORK	672	21,349	693	20,208	485	6,875	514	31,698
NORTH CAROLINA	323	9,330	323	9,112	221	2,059	314	20,041
NORTH DAKOTA	69	705	210	4,372	43	377	68	3,147
OHIO	764	23,338	788	25,682	651	7,909	710	43,833
OKLAHOMA	421	12,560	473	8,652	105	1,198	260	10,208
OREGON	203	9,135	253	9,108	174	2,610	187	11,220
PENNSYLVANIA	576	18,980	624	17,695	444	6,125	541	25,740
RHODE ISLAND	45	1,291	45	1,889	39	623	37	1,722
SOUTH CAROLINA	187	5,264	197	6,818	83	1,160	194	16,073
SOUTH DAKOTA			185	4,453	97	895	62	3,817
TENNESSEE	317	7,608	320	9,280	181	3,258	291	23,120
TEXAS	905	39,800	1,146	54,000	799	20,000	947	100,500
UTAH	92	2,603	104	3,200	88	1,418	84	7,476
VERMONT	66	1,994	70	2,010	43	513	24	1,485
VIRGINIA	277	7,545	280	8,273	227	3,132	277	18,671
WASHINGTON	303	11,121	348	13,231	255	5,067	267	22,461
WEST VIRGINIA	143	3,220	151	4,023	63	664	135	6,295
WISCONSIN	404	12,260	418	13,958	317	4,187	384	26,340
WYOMING			69	1,997	31	413	49	2,582

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			115	1,008				
ALASKA							19	567
ARIZONA	20	537	106	1,237				
ARKANSAS			123	1,226				
CALIFORNIA	58	1,422	532	7,449	9	183		
COLORADO	41	1,014	112	1,248	10	103	12	237
CONNECTICUT			147	1,655			63	1,221
DELAWARE			29	298				
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			5	41				
FLORIDA			316	3,017	6	126		
GEORGIA			270	2,329	2	19		
HAWAII			46	331	1	2		
IDAHO	23	205	54	834				
ILLINOIS			392	6,544	55	1,137		
INDIANA			355	4,233				
IOWA			*343	*6,102			4	30
KANSAS	107	2,303	183	2,894	4	12		
KENTUCKY			215	1,530				
LOUISIANA			163	1,141	6	54		
MAINE			74	804	7	14	30	746
MARYLAND			113	1,010	11	81		
MASSACHUSETTS			212	2,813	17	222	195	6,189
MICHIGAN	1	27	482	6,522	10	106	91	1,816
MINNESOTA			335	3,644	13	101	186	4,771
MISSISSIPPI	1	17	101	711				
MISSOURI	17	391	239	3,353				
MONTANA	51	1,207	56	1,021				
NEBRASKA	120	2,865	181	2,751	17	71		
NEVADA	21	777	40	575				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			30	437	2	32	22	571
NEW JERSEY			169	3,057	22	481	53	1,212
NEW MEXICO			48	576				
NEW YORK			477	5,878	30	408	93	2,065
NORTH CAROLINA			268	3,893				
NORTH DAKOTA			89	953			22	461
OHIO			640	7,656	35	95	37	735
OKLAHOMA	56	678	168	1,196				
OREGON	43	645	132	1,056				
PENNSYLVANIA			418	4,380	2	30		
RHODE ISLAND			37	383			26	677
SOUTH CAROLINA			133	1,452				
SOUTH DAKOTA			70	906				
TENNESSEE			227	2,497				
TEXAS			858	19,000				
UTAH			78	971				
VERMONT			41	450			27	494
VIRGINIA			220	2,238	15	148		
WASHINGTON	37	817	197	2,997				
WEST VIRGINIA			84	856				
WISCONSIN			278	5,156			45	1,025
WYOMING			24	538	5	50		

*Includes some co-educational teams

STATE	Lacrosse		Skiing-Cross Country		Skiing-Alpine		Soccer	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA							68	1,701
ALASKA			45	319			11	503
ARIZONA							78	2,171
ARKANSAS					16	310	749	26,466
CALIFORNIA			7	94	11	124	123	4,155
COLORADO			10	53			167	6,153
CONNECTICUT							37	1,467
DELAWARE	15	485			4	40	8	120
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA							325	9,168
FLORIDA							187	5,179
GEORGIA							46	1,100
HAWAII							15	401
IDAHO			8	77			246	10,423
ILLINOIS								
INDIANA					1	58	69	2,416
IOWA							49	2,092
KANSAS							132	3,024
KENTUCKY							84	1,260
LOUISIANA							121	3,924
MAINE	12	378	37	369	42	482	142	5,243
MARYLAND	60	2,792					278	10,598
MASSACHUSETTS	38	2,094	22	348	49	827	281	8,897
MICHIGAN	18	931	3	33	77	1,077	96	4,390
MINNESOTA			75	837	49	753	54	1,213
MISSISSIPPI							146	5,195
MISSOURI							6	155
MONTANA							36	1,250
NEBRASKA							32	1,197
NEVADA					13	399	77	2,695
NEW HAMPSHIRE	6	313	33	294	39	488	332	12,781
NEW JERSEY	37	1,940			15	239	45	1,262
NEW MEXICO							582	21,375
NEW YORK	172	9,469	99	1,667			183	5,179
NORTH CAROLINA	2	62					13	351
NORTH DAKOTA					5	78	397	12,683
OHIO	13	740					64	1,808
OKLAHOMA							119	3,570
OREGON							392	13,600
PENNSYLVANIA							42	1,287
RHODE ISLAND							95	2,792
SOUTH CAROLINA								
SOUTH DAKOTA							130	3,380
TENNESSEE							284	10,250
TEXAS							62	2,004
UTAH							65	2,259
VERMONT	12	411	29	246	30	484	172	5,132
VIRGINIA	28	1,268					204	7,286
WASHINGTON							37	918
WEST VIRGINIA							132	5,140
WISCONSIN			7	76	7	138	12	469
WYOMING								

*Includes some co-educational teams

STATE	Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	18	137	105	1,095	60	770	195	4,162
ALASKA	25	413	5	92			45	1,021
ARIZONA	56	1,077	104	1,727			156	5,238
ARKANSAS	23	230	118	1,235			272	9,109
CALIFORNIA	524	12,898	683	14,434			761	34,303
COLORADO	99	2,019	100	2,313			263	6,589
CONNECTICUT	90	1,498	145	2,241	80	2,030	153	5,254
DELAWARE	16	317	28	446	24	440	31	888
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	7	105	12	100	11	175	12	200
FLORIDA	254	3,863	328	3,656			364	10,100
GEORGIA	160	1,001	306	3,470			218	7,953
HAWAII	36	306	62	705			52	1,460
IDAHO	3	23	41	760			124	3,393
ILLINOIS	238	4,944	281	6,150			594	20,813
INDIANA	189	3,951	292	5,175			370	11,148
IOWA	52	1,160	112	2,309	95	2,621	386	9,178
KANSAS	41	716	125	2,192			360	8,697
KENTUCKY	104	1,075	213	910			231	3,517
LOUISIANA	63	945	188	1,310	102	1,122	406	8,526
MAINE	32	445	68	882	37	804	88	2,708
MARYLAND	51	980	140	1,911	99	2,415	135	3,794
MASSACHUSETTS	89	1,413	195	3,021	150	4,721	230	8,055
MICHIGAN	224	4,730	350	7,643	49	1,153	642	20,227
MINNESOTA	134	2,011	169	3,376			420	8,285
MISSISSIPPI			132	952	12	120	220	3,642
MISSOURI	67	1,672	177	3,205			426	11,847
MONTANA	17	191	29	478			167	3,468
NEBRASKA	37	493	48	776			342	7,822
NEVADA	26	400	28	333			66	1,926
NEW HAMPSHIRE	12	133	43	670	34	833	48	1,555
NEW JERSEY	95	2,469	313	5,467	190	5,277	333	12,755
NEW MEXICO	26	424	46	542			120	3,160
NEW YORK	245	4,988	462	8,202	249	6,130	532	15,528
NORTH CAROLINA	123	1,197	267	3,309	72	1,181	292	9,387
NORTH DAKOTA	11	232	18	308			192	2,459
OHIO	240	2,745	416	6,363	141	3,566	737	20,728
OKLAHOMA	40	510	98	931	30	345	324	3,809
OREGON	93	1,395	110	880			241	12,050
PENNSYLVANIA	222	3,300	355	5,330	151	3,020	497	15,060
RHODE ISLAND	22	319	37	786	23	952	36	1,325
SOUTH CAROLINA			121	1,409			172	5,329
SOUTH DAKOTA			17	354			182	3,556
TENNESSEE			214	4,234			202	5,858
TEXAS	241	7,175	951	19,520			1,109	43,000
UTAH	48	1,152	74	1,100			104	3,814
VERMONT			26	368	2	36	37	980
VIRGINIA	57	1,220	224	2,792	144	3,800	263	7,863
WASHINGTON	113	3,199	217	4,824			324	10,702
WEST VIRGINIA	7	75	78	853			106	2,425
WISCONSIN			159	3,949			383	10,972
WYOMING	24	342	14	286	10	137	71	1,813

STATE	Volleyball		Weight Lifting		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA					47	1,141
ALASKA	*21	*150			86	1,216
ARIZONA	5	141			140	4,446
ARKANSAS	71	1,275				
CALIFORNIA	352	8,590			594	19,585
COLORADO	6	65	9	117	202	5,069
CONNECTICUT					94	2,405
DELAWARE					41	1,182
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA					3	16
FLORIDA	68	1,423	141	3,990	244	7,519
GEORGIA	2	194	43	2,124	174	4,845
HAWAII	49	782			44	806
IDAHO	2	22			85	2,751
ILLINOIS	66	1,077			380	15,641
INDIANA					307	8,473
IOWA			29	1,319	293	7,505
KANSAS			47	1,826	175	5,001
KENTUCKY					59	867
LOUISIANA					44	968
MAINE	15	253	1	98	48	1,036
MARYLAND	21	106			133	3,960
MASSACHUSETTS	38	975			112	3,017
MICHIGAN	19	465	22	740	436	10,793
MINNESOTA					333	5,480
MISSISSIPPI						
MISSOURI	15	148			174	6,573
MONTANA					75	1,720
NEBRASKA					209	3,925
NEVADA					51	1,588
NEW HAMPSHIRE	2	43	1	4	18	575
NEW JERSEY	10	308			324	8,397
NEW MEXICO					47	1,501
NEW YORK	165	4,615			454	12,460
NORTH CAROLINA					234	6,036
NORTH DAKOTA					71	1,137
OHIO	44	983	58	3,907	544	14,320
OKLAHOMA					136	2,974
OREGON					169	4,225
PENNSYLVANIA	109	1,475			475	11,975
RHODE ISLAND	16	332			30	966
SOUTH CAROLINA					79	2,463
SOUTH DAKOTA					90	1,782
TENNESSEE					102	3,876
TEXAS						
UTAH					88	3,145
VERMONT	1	15	3	52	19	336
VIRGINIA	9	149			213	6,263
WASHINGTON					248	9,594
WEST VIRGINIA			15	542	79	1,518
WISCONSIN					339	7,559
WYOMING					50	1,278

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants	SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona		3	FOOTBALL (6-man)	Colorado	20	354
	Iowa	3	151		Montana	8	57
	New York	1	8		Nebraska	32	471
	North Carolina		20		New Mexico	11	176
					Texas	86	3,250
BADMINTON	California	*121	*2,180	HEPTATHLON	New Hampshire	1	2
	Iowa	1	50		Vermont	1	1
	Maryland	9	96				
	New York	10	72				
BOWLING	Florida	48	436	JUDO	Hawaii	10	124
	Hawaii	40	359		Ohio	1	32
	Idaho	5	54	RIFLERY	Alaska	9	113
	Iowa	36	481		Georgia	20	310
	Maine	1	14		Hawaii	10	102
	Michigan	11	175		Maine	3	39
	Nevada	14	168		New York	42	628
	New Jersey	134	1,960		Ohio	5	73
	New York	269	3,259		Pennsylvania	39	500
	Ohio	26	345		Vermont	1	10
	Pennsylvania	55	540		Virginia	6	56
	South Carolina	8	67	RODEO	Idaho	2	13
	West Virginia	2	28				
CANOEING	Hawaii	8	147	SKI JUMP	New Hampshire	2	22
TENNIS (Coed Team)	Texas	316	7,765	SQUASH	Delaware	1	35
CREW	Delaware	1	48	SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	California	10	313
	District of Columbia	1	46		Colorado	5	131
	Michigan	4	130		Idaho	4	37
	New Hampshire	1	15		Maine	1	1
	Ohio	6	120		Michigan	11	277
	Virginia	14	501		Missouri	30	311
	West Virginia	1	19	SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Georgia	8	156
					Michigan	1	11
DECATHLON	Alabama	16	62		Mississippi	3	27
	Florida	43	374	WATER POLO	California	317	8,809
	Iowa	2	21		Florida	25	403
	Maine	3	25		Hawaii	4	100
	Michigan	9	9		Maine	1	14
	New Hampshire	5	13		Michigan	10	206
	Tennessee	60	90		Missouri	15	406
					Ohio	9	185
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	14	78		Pennsylvania	10	150
FENCING	Michigan	3	9				
	New Jersey	21	343				
	New York	13	276				
	Ohio	4	115				
	Vermont	3	74				
FIELD HOCKEY	California	1	40				
FOOTBALL (9-man)	California	1	15				
	Michigan	1	59				
	Minnesota	61	1,217				
	North Dakota	120	1,751				
	South Dakota	113	2,355				
	Wyoming	9	194				

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	310	4,644	24	221			21	44
ALASKA	116	1,664	109	632				
ARIZONA	174	4,761	115	1,148			39	230
ARKANSAS	346	8,548	77	638			67	137
CALIFORNIA	883	22,897	647	9,916	55	1,801	79	379
COLORADO	277	6,751	148	1,459			49	485
CONNECTICUT	168	3,730	149	1,637	74	2,729	38	95
DELAWARE	40	953	28	339	38	1,398		**18
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	13	178	11	115				
FLORIDA	411	7,454	289	2,957			144	897
GEORGIA	337	8,153	188	1,823			47	92
HAWAII	55	1,215	52	566			20	44
IDAHO	131	3,451	62	525			54	257
ILLINOIS	654	15,402	331	4,109			182	965
INDIANA	403	10,322	334	3,213			169	1,532
IOWA	413	11,087	262	2,264			*317	*3,963
KANSAS	360	7,735	200	1,488			59	595
KENTUCKY	270	5,780	202	1,420			148	1,072
LOUISIANA	376	9,400	204	1,224			22	44
MAINE	132	3,584	106	879	74	2,708	34	85
MARYLAND	148	3,694	121	1,977	111	3,547	61	107
MASSACHUSETTS	317	8,923	215	2,438	190	4,635	44	135
MICHIGAN	688	18,243	516	5,005	9	305	179	2,162
MINNESOTA	431	7,631	278	1,937			317	2,145
MISSISSIPPI	262	4,187	32	389			3	23
MISSOURI	529	11,514	228	3,049	21	632	72	606
MONTANA	182	3,849	65	541			64	496
NEBRASKA	243	7,134	131	859			66	552
NEVADA	67	1,917	43	517			33	324
NEW HAMPSHIRE	82	2,151	62	654	51	1,796	12	53
NEW JERSEY	374	7,837	243	2,950	193	7,284	33	202
NEW MEXICO	124	3,981	70	640			37	208
NEW YORK	662	14,954	397	3,947	219	7,391	55	333
NORTH CAROLINA	323	6,448	180	1,557			18	82
NORTH DAKOTA	209	3,631	40	232			61	339
OHIO	782	17,803	619	5,180	30	1,035	137	479
OKLAHOMA	473	8,508	79	722			90	376
OREGON	249	6,225	169	2,535			95	570
PENNSYLVANIA	618	15,845	415	4,190	242	9,910	193	1,970
RHODE ISLAND	46	976	35	514	20	545		
SOUTH CAROLINA	197	4,645	66	704	1	22		
SOUTH DAKOTA	182	3,566	91	491			65	551
TENNESSEE	326	9,055	179	2,327			171	684
TEXAS	1,140	45,000	818	20,000			670	16,500
UTAH	99	2,278	78	912			12	20
VERMONT	67	1,587	39	300	33	1,143	18	58
VIRGINIA	275	6,257	193	1,907	73	2,279		
WASHINGTON	343	10,728	250	3,670			177	1,615
WEST VIRGINIA	142	2,445	57	403			10	15
WISCONSIN	416	11,330	317	3,055			72	698
WYOMING	69	1,561	28	234			23	131

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STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing - Cross Country		Skiing - Alpine		Soccer	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	10	157					28	701
ALASKA	9	164	45	287			11	421
ARIZONA							27	716
ARKANSAS	14	387						
CALIFORNIA	71	1,553	6	53	14	205	584	16,597
COLORADO	74	1,007	10	50	11	85	110	3,432
CONNECTICUT	46	557					126	4,454
DELAWARE	3	32					2	56
DIST. OF COLUMBIA					4	40	1	22
FLORIDA	10	105					225	5,424
GEORGIA	28	288					123	2,240
HAWAII	3	24					47	917
IDAHO	1	6					12	210
ILLINOIS	102	1,967					124	2,883
INDIANA	90	1,242						
IOWA					1	54	45	1,037
KANSAS	19	219					23	913
KENTUCKY								
LOUISIANA	18	216					23	345
MAINE	21	186	37	334	39	344	115	3,158
MARYLAND	23	354					92	3,171
MASSACHUSETTS	80	1,162	18	243	43	445	224	7,400
MICHIGAN	73	1,142	2	22	74	739	174	5,772
MINNESOTA	160	1,763	75	832	48	425	79	2,364
MISSISSIPPI							13	292
MISSOURI	6	74					87	2,843
MONTANA								
NEBRASKA	18	148					37	1,108
NEVADA					13	144	14	532
NEW HAMPSHIRE	11	138	32	236	39	345	50	1,583
NEW JERSEY	85	996			6	52	246	8,270
NEW MEXICO							28	760
NEW YORK	124	1,966	88	1,181			539	17,899
NORTH CAROLINA							78	1,655
NORTH DAKOTA	18	91					11	256
OHIO	122	1,088			4	72	204	6,120
OKLAHOMA							44	1,100
OREGON							85	2,125
PENNSYLVANIA	44	750					173	2,705
RHODE ISLAND	15	170					31	796
SOUTH CAROLINA							25	718
SOUTH DAKOTA	35	430						
TENNESSEE							82	1,968
TEXAS							198	6,750
UTAH							49	1,297
VERMONT	9	112	29	237	27	253	61	1,978
VIRGINIA	78	952					122	2,841
WASHINGTON	70	1,619					180	5,936
WEST VIRGINIA	1	15					19	40
WISCONSIN	104	1,646					83	3,092
WYOMING	9	123	7	65	7	72	11	405

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STATE	Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			309	5,241	16	138	95	969
ALASKA	7	133			25	394	6	132
ARIZONA	155	4,338			56	1,263	108	1,754
ARKANSAS					23	218	118	1,167
CALIFORNIA	862	23,513			550	17,282	896	14,717
COLORADO	72	1,757			105	2,995	107	2,783
CONNECTICUT	169	4,474			67	1,665	121	2,076
DELAWARE	36	1,162			17	562	30	514
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	12	180			7	50	12	75
FLORIDA	125	2,718	281	5,543	245	4,323	320	3,257
GEORGIA			273	4,633	179	1,000	293	3,594
HAWAII	46	734			39	438	65	802
IDAHO			55	1,299	1	7	41	758
ILLINOIS	561	13,291			234	4,726	273	5,475
INDIANA	278	6,736			197	3,877	307	5,364
IOWA	399	8,994	15	385	59	1,321	*112	*2,521
KANSAS	89	2,612			45	1,132	115	1,946
KENTUCKY			246	4,875	104	840	211	875
LOUISIANA	278	4,170			36	360	149	1,043
MAINE	118	3,150			37	649	70	994
MARYLAND	143	3,698			51	1,094	137	1,699
MASSACHUSETTS	295	6,825			100	2,276	200	3,291
MICHIGAN	613	18,950	18	441	183	5,022	317	7,177
MINNESOTA	335	6,919			151	2,470	189	3,258
MISSISSIPPI			119	1,703			151	794
MISSOURI	371	7,086			67	1,844	153	2,599
MONTANA	23	579			17	246	55	949
NEBRASKA					38	678	48	1,051
NEVADA	45	945			26	450	28	411
NEW HAMPSHIRE	82	2,277			12	200	42	602
NEW JERSEY	370	12,239			86	3,026	300	4,859
NEW MEXICO	40	882			26	430	48	599
NEW YORK	649	17,682			242	5,120	401	7,594
NORTH CAROLINA			324	6,764	110	1,603	238	2,929
NORTH DAKOTA					13	259	19	377
OHIO	616	14,142	81	2,374	264	3,494	370	5,648
OKLAHOMA	182	2,900	123	1,488	40	510	103	986
OREGON	158	4,740			95	1,425	115	920
PENNSYLVANIA	542	13,315			223	4,040	348	5,030
RHODE ISLAND	17	461	33	725			37	671
SOUTH CAROLINA	173	3,225					96	1,231
SOUTH DAKOTA							19	317
TENNESSEE	286	4,210					216	3,094
TEXAS					239	7,095	942	19,225
UTAH	76	1,629			48	935	64	901
VERMONT	66	1,834					26	503
VIRGINIA	238	5,123			55	1,472	211	2,924
WASHINGTON	59	2,201	216	7,423	116	3,210	225	5,312
WEST VIRGINIA	87	1,649			9	138	78	871
WISCONSIN	342	10,037			108	2,683	156	2,553
WYOMING					24	530	14	242

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STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	42	428	170	2,569	240	3,719
ALASKA			45	782	*87	*15,443
ARIZONA			155	3,717	175	5,502
ARKANSAS			272	4,811		
CALIFORNIA			751	23,774	906	24,758
COLORADO			266	5,169	282	8,220
CONNECTICUT	75	1,666	147	4,933	122	2,906
DELAWARE	27	378	32	824	27	766
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	110	12	120	12	150
FLORIDA			357	7,506	381	7,780
GEORGIA			209	6,591	39	821
HAWAII			51	883	58	1,180
IDAHO			124	2,529	130	3,795
ILLINOIS			574	15,214	704	18,447
INDIANA			384	9,359	407	10,487
IOWA	89	2,089	386	7,810	414	9,949
KANSAS			359	6,696	351	9,577
KENTUCKY			227	2,511	71	800
LOUISIANA	82	820	367	4,037	164	2,296
MAINE	36	679	90	2,229	19	319
MARYLAND	101	2,133	135	3,177	142	3,461
MASSACHUSETTS	137	3,335	215	7,612	124	3,038
MICHIGAN	43	920	636	17,099	655	17,920
MINNESOTA			420	6,526	429	10,197
MISSISSIPPI	5	53	220	2,470	27	306
MISSOURI			426	9,451	391	9,599
MONTANA			167	2,592	144	3,284
NEBRASKA			343	5,987	344	9,065
NEVADA			63	1,475	66	2,130
NEW HAMPSHIRE	33	822	48	1,535	44	1,007
NEW JERSEY	163	4,194	311	10,559	126	2,251
NEW MEXICO			120	2,372	127	2,697
NEW YORK	225	4,617	507	13,223	574	13,787
NORTH CAROLINA	72	749	292	6,953	291	5,254
NORTH DAKOTA			192	2,003	108	2,428
OHIO	133	2,965	737	17,296	799	18,110
OKLAHOMA	19	182	296	3,184	36	594
OREGON			241	7,230	251	5,020
PENNSYLVANIA	144	2,580	471	12,450	388	7,595
RHODE ISLAND	19	388	29	863	39	901
SOUTH CAROLINA			175	4,362	152	2,571
SOUTH DAKOTA			178	2,754	115	3,000
TENNESSEE			199	4,577	192	4,784
TEXAS			1,108	38,000	759	3,000
UTAH			103	2,721	103	2,425
VERMONT	3	27	36	1,018	1	8
VIRGINIA	130	2,619	257	6,434	182	3,847
WASHINGTON			324	8,616	341	11,093
WEST VIRGINIA			105	2,099	74	1,438
WISCONSIN			380	9,071	413	14,385
WYOMING	11	114	70	1,410	69	1,838

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants	SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	9	80	FOOTBALL (11-Man)	Alaska		**3
	Iowa	3	187		California		**14
	New York	1	8		Colorado	**12	**68
	North Carolina		2		Georgia	**7	**11
BADMINTON					Maine	**2	**14
	Arizona	9	80		Michigan	**6	**7
	California	*121	*3,810	FOOTBALL (9-Man)	California		**1
	Illinois	69	1,865				
	Iowa	1	59	FOOTBALL (8-Man)	California		**2
	Maryland	9	78				
BASEBALL	Michigan	1	15	HEPTATHLON	Alabama	16	52
	New York	35	590		Florida	33	129
					New Hampshire	2	5
			**1				
			**1	ICE HOCKEY	Alaska	**2	**2
	California	**37	**203		Colorado	**1	**2
	Colorado		**125		Connecticut		**1
	Connecticut		**1		Iowa	**1	**14
	Georgia	**9	**66		Maine	**9	**12
	Idaho	**2	**18		Massachusetts	**12	**20
	Maine	**7	**40		New Hampshire	**4	**24
	Michigan	**4	**71		Vermont		**2
	Oklahoma		**2	JUDO	Hawaii	5	12
	Texas		**10				
	Vermont		**1	LACROSSE	Delaware	7	219
	West Virginia	**1	**2		Maine	7	148
BOWLING					Maryland	53	1,953
	Florida	67	571		Massachusetts	16	752
	Hawaii	36	309		Michigan	5	185
	Illinois	80	1,142		New Hampshire	3	83
	Iowa	34	448		New Jersey	33	1,900
	Maine	1	8		New York	51	2,168
	Michigan	11	158		Ohio	10	507
	Nevada	14	140		Pennsylvania	53	1,800
	New Jersey	114	1,184		Vermont	6	149
	New York	180	1,804		Virginia	14	680
	Ohio	13	150	PENTATHLON	Iowa	1	5
	Pennsylvania	60	590		Tennessee	50	75
CANOEING	South Carolina	8	60		Vermont	1	3
	West Virginia	2	23	RIFLERY	Alaska	9	79
					Georgia	9	31
	Hawaii	11	197		Hawaii	8	29
					Maine	3	13
	Delaware	1	50		New York	10	42
CREW	District of Columbia	1	46		Ohio	2	8
	Michigan	3	87		Pennsylvania	37	410
	New Hampshire	1	17		Vermont	1	1
	Ohio	7	126	SQUASH	Delaware	1	18
	Virginia	14	572				
	West Virginia	1	37	SWIMMING (Synchronized)	Minnesota	15	135
DECATHLON	Iowa	2	11				
	Maine	3	19	WATER POLO	California	93	840
	Michigan	7	7		Florida	17	280
	New Hampshire	2	4		Hawaii	3	12
	Vermont	3	13		Michigan	1	15
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	20	140		Ohio	6	87
	Ohio	1	1		Pennsylvania	2	26
FENCING							
	Michigan	3	8				
	New Jersey	22	264				
	New York	9	127				
	Ohio	2	18				
	Vermont	2	15				

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants	SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
WEIGHT LIFTING	Colorado	**7	**35	WEIGHT LIFTING	Colorado	**7	**35
	Georgia	**2	**173		Georgia	**2	**173
	Iowa	**18	**240		Iowa	**18	**240
	Kansas	**47	**393		Kansas	**47	**393
	Michigan	**9	**173		Michigan	**9	**173
	New Hampshire	**1	**1		New Hampshire	**1	**1
	Ohio	**25	**1,182		Ohio	**25	**1,182
	Vermont	**3	**26		Vermont	**3	**26
WRESTLING	West Virginia	**2	**33	WRESTLING	West Virginia	**2	**33
	Alaska	**4	**12		Alaska	**4	**12
	California		**54		California		**54
	Colorado	**11	**37		Colorado	**11	**37
	Connecticut		**5		Connecticut		**5
	Georgia	**9	**43		Georgia	**9	**43
	Maine	**2	**3		Maine	**2	**3
	Maryland		**14		Maryland		**14
	Michigan	**10	**10		Michigan	**10	**10
	New Hampshire	**2	**5		New Hampshire	**2	**5
	Ohio	**7	**38		Ohio	**7	**38
	Vermont	**2	**2		Vermont	**2	**2
	West Virginia	**3	**9		West Virginia	**3	**9

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1993 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the Interscholastic Level in 1992-93 School Year

	BOYS		GIRLS	
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants
ARCHERY	9	18	6	71
BADMINTON	*162	2,732	*341	7,148
BASEBALL	13,780	430,401	57	**400
BASKETBALL	16,416	521,023	15,968	397,586
BOWLING	635	7,384	616	6,980
CANOEING	1	12	1	12
CREW	33	921	30	894
CROSS COUNTRY	10,504	159,536	9,741	116,221
DECATHLON	184	664	29	18
EQUESTRIAN	16	89	21	148
FENCING	45	861	40	523
FIELD HOCKEY	1	40	1,423	51,092
FOOTBALL—11-man	12,847	886,840	26	**186
9-man	265	6,092		**1
8-man	614	12,879	4	**14
6-man	153	4,596	1	**3
GOLF	*10,256	129,129	*4,541	38,269
GYMNASTICS	237	2,939	1,602	21,216
HEPTATHLON	5	5	57	192
ICE HOCKEY	926	22,116	44	**120
JUDO	13	203	8	47
LACROSSE	447	21,253	301	11,945
PENTATHLON	1	1	92	148
RIFLERY	162	1,907	97	641
SKIING (Cross Country)	350	3,823	329	3,249
(Alpine)	362	5,456	350	3,664
SOCCER	7,137	242,095	4,976	149,053
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	62	1,246	9,157	225,638
(Slow Pitch)	8	77	2,071	42,884
SWIMMING & DIVING	*4,351	78,474	4,380	93,545
TENNIS	*9,001	138,177	*8,899	136,919
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor)	1,771	42,893	1,605	34,543
(Outdoor)	14,123	412,638	13,902	334,942
VOLLEYBALL	*1,122	22,624	*12,237	313,055
WATER POLO	387	9,985	117	1,260
WEIGHT LIFTING	442	16,461	140	2,479
WRESTLING	8,438	222,025	50	**404
OTHER	*353	8,774	152	1,979

*Includes some co-educational teams

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NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

SUMMARY

1992-93 SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,416	1. Football	910,407
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,123	2. Basketball	521,023
3. Football	13,879	3. Baseball	430,401
4. Baseball	13,780	4. Track & Field (Outdoor)	412,638
5. Cross Country	10,504	5. Soccer	242,095
6. Golf	10,256	6. Wrestling	222,025
7. Tennis	9,001	7. Cross Country	159,536
8. Wrestling	8,438	8. Tennis	138,177
9. Soccer	7,137	9. Golf	129,001
10. Swimming & Diving	4,351	10. Swimming & Diving	78,474

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	15,968	1. Basketball	397,586
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,902	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	334,942
3. Volleyball	12,237	3. Volleyball	313,055
4. Cross Country	9,741	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	225,638
5. Softball (Fast Pitch)	9,157	5. Soccer	149,053
6. Tennis	8,849	6. Tennis	136,919
7. Soccer	4,976	7. Cross Country	116,221
8. Golf	4,541	8. Swimming & Diving	93,545
9. Swimming & Diving	4,380	9. Field Hockey	51,092
10. Softball (Slow Pitch)	2,071	10. Softball (Slow Pitch)	42,884

SPORTS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489

1993 SUMMARY OF SPORTS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants
1.	Texas	528,476	27.	Nebraska	73,255
2.	California	462,107	28.	Alabama	70,380
3.	New York	296,440	29.	Arizona	69,568
4.	Ohio	277,191	30.	Oklahoma	64,072
5.	Michigan	261,460	31.	South Carolina	62,066
6.	Pennsylvania	211,800	32.	Arkansas	59,634
7.	Illinois	195,423	33.	Kentucky	57,078
8.	New Jersey	188,147	34.	Maine	50,189
9.	Wisconsin	157,406	35.	Utah	42,415
10.	Florida	150,287	36.	Mississippi	41,752
11.	Washington	140,073	37.	Idaho	38,421
12.	Indiana	139,926	38.	Montana	32,640
13.	Massachusetts	139,216	39.	West Virginia	31,694
14.	Iowa	134,514	40.	New Hampshire	31,160
15.	Missouri	132,406	41.	South Dakota	30,638
16.	North Carolina	115,318	42.	New Mexico	29,002
17.	Georgia	113,704	43.	Nevada	26,233
18.	Virginia	111,196	44.	North Dakota	26,055
19.	Minnesota	109,371	45.	Vermont	20,584
20.	Tennessee	97,578	46.	Rhode Island	18,634
21.	Kansas	94,123	47.	Delaware	18,573
22.	Colorado	91,029	48.	Wyoming	17,466
23.	Oregon	88,812	49.	Alaska	16,258
24.	Louisiana	79,108	50.	Hawaii	15,395
25.	Maryland	78,925	51.	District of Columbia	2,963
26.	Connecticut	73,717	TOTAL		5,413,878

BOYS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Baseball		Basketball		Cross Country		Football 11-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	336	7,755	395	11,411	33	293	374	21,590
ALASKA	13	315	121	2,364	89	865	20	1,398
ARIZONA	170	6,223	176	6,552	125	1,754	144	12,593
ARKANSAS	269	7,056	338	9,948	91	728	199	14,259
CALIFORNIA	892	34,692	936	33,523	713	15,246	777	78,873
COLORADO	223	7,003	277	8,743	150	2,128	192	13,097
CONNECTICUT	169	5,482	170	4,989	158	2,511	121	7,217
DELAWARE	40	1,470	41	1,310	31	539	38	2,433
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	12	147	16	426	10	71	13	526
FLORIDA	426	11,704	439	12,381	318	3,967	370	29,416
GEORGIA	325	11,093	333	10,842	231	3,516	315	22,958
HAWAII	35	1,149	37	1,027	38	482	32	2,684
IDAHO	72	2,011	132	4,590	69	978	121	7,874
ILLINOIS	634	16,485	727	17,852	387	5,188	548	32,275
INDIANA	392	12,317	402	13,352	386	5,277	325	21,633
IOWA	400	11,643	408	17,265	267	3,086	359	20,810
KANSAS	131	4,466	362	11,009	222	2,471	249	13,990
KENTUCKY	269	5,580	276	8,280	206	1,480	206	10,124
LOUISIANA	308	8,008	408	12,240	306	3,366	293	16,107
MAINE	131	3,874	140	4,581	117	1,302	57	3,331
MARYLAND	166	5,049	166	4,963	136	1,816	157	11,348
MASSACHUSETTS	300	11,400	320	10,350	245	3,650	268	15,005
MICHIGAN	619	19,681	691	24,625	542	7,496	613	41,227
MINNESOTA	383	8,980	425	9,855	281	2,672	327	15,645
MISSISSIPPI	240	4,920	261	5,422	82	805	236	12,500
MISSOURI	406	11,315	544	14,840	211	3,850	306	19,810
MONTANA			180	4,781	53	698	87	5,215
NEBRASKA	27	1,317	340	8,763	144	1,579	182	12,651
NEVADA	55	1,394	70	2,142	43	1,265	48	5,413
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,583	85	2,712	64	882	34	2,219
NEW JERSEY	377	13,745	372	11,987	282	5,927	364	24,926
NEW MEXICO	81	1,830	128	3,614	77	974	90	5,229
NEW YORK	695	21,701	712	20,769	498	6,946	535	34,100
NORTH CAROLINA	316	10,112	320	9,600	228	3,420	311	20,037
NORTH DAKOTA	51	735	185	4,328	40	397	61	3,078
OHIO	766	23,379	788	25,737	670	7,979	707	44,143
OKLAHOMA	419	11,540	469	8,563	105	1,192	258	10,124
OREGON	208	9,360	259	9,324	173	2,595	188	11,280
PENNSYLVANIA	579	19,040	626	17,755	438	6,035	540	25,680
RHODE ISLAND	45	1,195	45	1,060	38	771	39	1,676
SOUTH CAROLINA	189	5,344	198	6,696	99	1,592	196	15,619
SOUTH DAKOTA			189	4,784	107	902	62	3,740
TENNESSEE	315	8,694	323	10,852	174	3,027	290	22,098
TEXAS	924	40,575	1,153	58,123	815	22,704	958	107,264
UTAH	98	2,725	108	3,401	87	1,547	84	7,579
VERMONT	63	1,935	66	1,925	38	461	24	1,410
VIRGINIA	276	7,870	278	8,470	231	3,194	275	19,094
WASHINGTON	304	10,194	349	11,893	247	4,707	266	20,103
WEST VIRGINIA	139	3,070	146	4,164	63	680	133	6,450
WISCONSIN	407	12,245	417	14,809	317	4,141	405	26,400
WYOMING			69	2,031	29	384	50	2,589

STATE	Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			115	1,008				
ALASKA							22	532
ARIZONA	20	505	110	1,326				
ARKANSAS			142	1,126				
CALIFORNIA	58	1,422	532	7,449	9	183		
COLORADO	39	805	115	1,474			12	218
CONNECTICUT			147	1,718			62	1,177
DELAWARE			24	246	1	12		
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA								
FLORIDA			316	3,017	6	126		
GEORGIA			277	2,580	6	30		
HAWAII			36	224				
IDAHO	24	689	55	764	2	12		
ILLINOIS			411	5,187	56	1,147		
INDIANA			359	4,266				
IOWA			*470	6,107				
KANSAS	107	2,329	210	3,162	1	5		
KENTUCKY			215	1,525				
LOUISIANA			163	1,141	6	54		
MAINE			84	924	8	38	39	1,069
MARYLAND			115	1,067	10	73		
MASSACHUSETTS			215	2,875	15	201	197	6,229
MICHIGAN			492	6,809	9	68	89	1,907
MINNESOTA			342	3,289			186	3,503
MISSISSIPPI	1	18	105	826				
MISSOURI	19	372	233	3,482				
MONTANA	64	1,236	59	871				
NEBRASKA	128	2,918	180	2,904	10	42		
NEVADA	17	221	41	534				
NEW HAMPSHIRE			34	517	4	46	20	580
NEW JERSEY			161	2,682	22	202	57	1,481
NEW MEXICO			49	503				
NEW YORK			469	5,596	24	317	87	1,965
NORTH CAROLINA			263	2,893				
NORTH DAKOTA			87	1,071			15	504
OHIO			639	7,719	27	141	36	747
OKLAHOMA	55	660	168	1,196				
OREGON	44	880	140	1,120				
PENNSYLVANIA			419	4,395				
RHODE ISLAND			37	380			26	585
SOUTH CAROLINA			144	1,495				
SOUTH DAKOTA			80	965				
TENNESSEE			228	2,736				
TEXAS			841	16,696				
UTAH			82	1,048				
VERMONT			37	436			25	470
VIRGINIA			224	2,284	16	169		
WASHINGTON	38	824	201	2,656				
WEST VIRGINIA			86	825	1	27		
WISCONSIN			280	5,489			53	1,149
WYOMING			24	526	4	46		

*Includes some co-educational teams

STATE	Lacrosse		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine		Soccer	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA							71	1,776
ALASKA			24	299			11	457
ARIZONA							86	2,618
ARKANSAS								
CALIFORNIA			7	94	16	310	749	26,466
COLORADO			10	60	10	175	120	4,289
CONNECTICUT							167	6,134
DELAWARE	16	495					38	1,454
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA					4	22	8	127
FLORIDA							325	9,168
GEORGIA							190	5,488
HAWAII							31	785
IDAHO			11	95			15	269
ILLINOIS							254	9,023
INDIANA								
IOWA							69	2,367
KANSAS							54	2,245
KENTUCKY							132	4,224
LOUISIANA							84	1,260
MAINE	11	359	40	411	41	537	123	4,310
MARYLAND	76	3,138					147	5,369
MASSACHUSETTS	35	2,178	22	348	50	827	265	10,575
MICHIGAN	16	837			79	1,148	290	9,567
MINNESOTA			79	649	52	654	97	3,346
MISSISSIPPI							61	1,403
MISSOURI							132	5,422
MONTANA							9	221
NEBRASKA							40	1,269
NEVADA					12	363	32	1,252
NEW HAMPSHIRE	9	386	33	282	41	557	80	2,679
NEW JERSEY	49	1,933			18	262	334	14,914
NEW MEXICO							46	1,333
NEW YORK	180	9,441	89	1,467			590	21,159
NORTH CAROLINA	2	85					193	5,597
NORTH DAKOTA							12	245
OHIO	14	779	1	5	3	61	401	12,768
OKLAHOMA							64	1,800
OREGON							127	3,810
PENNSYLVANIA							404	13,840
RHODE ISLAND							43	1,312
SOUTH CAROLINA							99	2,761
SOUTH DAKOTA								
TENNESSEE							135	3,726
TEXAS							299	12,013
UTAH							65	2,112
VERMONT	10	335	27	39	29	399	60	2,252
VIRGINIA	29	1,287					177	5,312
WASHINGTON							215	6,818
WEST VIRGINIA							40	962
WISCONSIN							141	5,278
WYOMING			7	74	7	141	12	520

*Includes some co-educational teams

STATE	Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	18	137	105	1,095	60	770	195	4,163
ALASKA	25	430	6	120			43	906
ARIZONA	59	1,362	107	1,577			158	5,140
ARKANSAS	25	188	121	1,136			277	8,688
CALIFORNIA	524	12,898	683	14,434			761	34,303
COLORADO	97	1,855	105	2,435			262	6,932
CONNECTICUT	92	1,591	147	2,309	88	2,171	157	5,220
DELAWARE	18	383	28	412	24	461	29	890
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	7	80	12	100	11	171	12	198
FLORIDA	254	3,863	328	3,656			364	10,100
GEORGIA	95	1,184	308	3,542			315	8,511
HAWAII	26	233	34	362			38	1,059
IDAHO	3	79	41	821			124	3,279
ILLINOIS	232	3,230	276	5,102			559	14,579
INDIANA	200	4,118	306	5,265			381	11,307
IOWA	52	1,136	*183	2,262	95	2,568	382	8,994
KANSAS	41	786	126	2,243			355	8,889
KENTUCKY	104	1,075	214	915			231	3,510
LOUISIANA	63	945	188	1,310	102	1,122	413	8,596
MAINE	35	490	77	1,077	43	1,015	92	2,771
MARYLAND	51	1,018	154	2,053	103	2,413	151	4,284
MASSACHUSETTS	93	1,587	193	2,963	150	4,630	215	8,017
MICHIGAN	224	4,660	347	7,518			641	21,520
MINNESOTA	133	1,453	177	2,598			414	6,741
MISSISSIPPI	18	180	132	959	11	115	220	3,653
MISSOURI	64	1,645	163	3,134			408	11,841
MONTANA	18	182	31	413			181	3,607
NEBRASKA	35	582	49	842			337	7,895
NEVADA	27	416	30	344			67	1,972
NEW HAMPSHIRE	11	171	45	630	27	752	59	1,649
NEW JERSEY	104	2,570	315	4,682	196	6,091	332	11,720
NEW MEXICO	26	419	48	432			125	2,473
NEW YORK	240	4,261	500	8,383	249	6,769	550	16,617
NORTH CAROLINA	112	2,016	261	3,393	99	1,782	289	9,248
NORTH DAKOTA	10	231	18	249			163	2,311
OHIO	240	2,984	428	6,198	142	3,701	748	20,636
OKLAHOMA	40	505	98	920	30	345	322	3,760
OREGON	99	1,485	110	880			242	12,100
PENNSYLVANIA	226	3,380	354	5,315	155	3,085	500	15,120
RHODE ISLAND	16	312	38	777	23	763	36	1,285
SOUTH CAROLINA			116	1,467			185	5,510
SOUTH DAKOTA			20	367			186	3,653
TENNESSEE			222	4,422			203	6,130
TEXAS	228	4,354	951	15,124			1,114	44,960
UTAH	53	1,200	78	1,138			104	4,147
VERMONT			24	349	2	27	35	964
VIRGINIA	61	1,241	226	2,852	152	3,980	267	8,215
WASHINGTON	108	2,858	220	4,640			318	9,270
WEST VIRGINIA	9	114	82	893			105	2,414
WISCONSIN	112	2,116	161	3,767			390	11,118
WYOMING	23	471	15	302	9	162	68	1,773

STATE	Volleyball		Weight Lifting		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA					43	1,044
ALASKA	*34	253			68	1,254
ARIZONA	6	198			142	4,469
ARKANSAS						
CALIFORNIA	352	8,590			594	19,585
COLORADO					202	5,010
CONNECTICUT					95	2,456
DELAWARE					40	1,116
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA						
FLORIDA	68	1,423	141	3,990	244	7,319
GEORGIA	4	53	41	2,893	185	4,807
HAWAII	35	505			35	814
IDAHO			6	71	86	2,990
ILLINOIS	79	2,266			387	10,520
INDIANA					319	8,644
IOWA					294	7,354
KANSAS			48	2,149	181	5,135
KENTUCKY					56	840
LOUISIANA					50	1,004
MAINE	10	216	9	256	50	1,115
MARYLAND	*51	376			141	4,059
MASSACHUSETTS	37	775			111	2,864
MICHIGAN	8	80	35	1,030	431	10,768
MINNESOTA					328	4,136
MISSISSIPPI			46	473		
MISSOURI	42	537			159	6,323
MONTANA					77	1,720
NEBRASKA					218	4,200
NEVADA					59	1,407
NEW HAMPSHIRE	3	49	2	46	20	560
NEW JERSEY	15	241			313	8,309
NEW MEXICO					46	1,155
NEW YORK	182	3,786			459	12,106
NORTH CAROLINA			35	1,599	236	6,136
NORTH DAKOTA					57	1,086
OHIO	50	1,342	58	3,113	543	14,286
OKLAHOMA					136	2,960
OREGON					172	4,300
PENNSYLVANIA	116	1,495			471	11,965
RHODE ISLAND	18	232			30	866
SOUTH CAROLINA					82	2,558
SOUTH DAKOTA					94	1,657
TENNESSEE					114	4,019
TEXAS						
UTAH					88	3,157
VERMONT					20	374
VIRGINIA	12	207			213	6,238
WASHINGTON					255	8,796
WEST VIRGINIA			21	841	77	1,440
WISCONSIN					368	7,795
WYOMING					49	1,309

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants	SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	North Carolina	9	18	FOOTBALL (6-man)	Colorado	20	290
BADMINTON	California	*21	313		Montana	6	90
	Maryland	9	91		Nebraska	28	406
	New York	11	148		New Mexico	10	120
					Texas	89	3,690
BOWLING	Florida	48	436	GOALBALL	West Virginia	1	7
	Hawaii	28	233				
	Idaho	5	51	HEPTATHLON	New Hampshire	5	5
	Iowa	36	471				
	Michigan	10	175	JUDO	Hawaii	13	203
	Nevada	14	168				
	New Jersey	138	1,988	PENTATHLON	New Hampshire	1	1
	New York	264	2,839				
	North Carolina	6	107	RIFLERY	Alaska	8	130
	Ohio	24	319		Georgia	52	461
	Pennsylvania	53	520		Hawaii	4	40
	South Carolina	8	68		Maine	1	7
	West Virginia	1	9		Michigan	1	37
CANOEING	New Hampshire	1	12		New York	37	508
COMPETITION CHEERLEADING	Maine	15	46		North Carolina	9	97
					Ohio	2	31
CREW	Delaware	1	53		Pennsylvania	39	495
	District of Columbia	1	30	SKI JUMPING	Vermont	2	32
	Maine	2	28		Virginia	7	69
	Michigan	4	130				
	New Hampshire	1	8		New Hampshire	3	23
	Ohio	7	117	SOFT TENNIS	Hawaii	17	119
	Virginia	16	537				
	West Virginia	1	18	SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	California	10	313
DECATHLON	Alabama	19	71		Maine	2	62
	Arkansas	37	62		Missouri	31	465
	Florida	43	374		Ohio	18	405
	Maine	1	7		West Virginia	1	1
	Michigan	8	8	SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Georgia	6	48
	New Hampshire	10	27		Ohio	2	29
	Ohio	1	5	SQUASH	Delaware	1	15
	Tennessee	63	104				
	Vermont	2	6	TENNIS (CO-ED TEAM)	Texas	*311	8,504
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	16	89				
FENCING	Michigan	1	4	WATER POLO	California	317	8,809
	Missouri	1	6		Florida	25	403
	New Jersey	25	421		Michigan	10	21
	New York	13	305		Missouri	17	436
	North Carolina	1	3		Ohio	9	191
	Ohio	3	115		Pennsylvania	9	125
	Vermont	1	7				
FIELD HOCKEY	California	1	40				
FOOTBALL (9-man)	California	1	15				
	Minnesota	60	1,620				
	North Dakota	78	1,653				
	South Dakota	118	2,645				
	Wyoming	8	159				

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

STATE	Basketball		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	310	4,644	26	239			21	44
ALASKA	126	1,972	88	656				
ARIZONA	176	4,910	118	1,300			35	298
ARKANSAS	336	8,332	80	608			80	126
CALIFORNIA	883	22,897	647	9,916	55	1,801	79	379
COLORADO	274	7,079	150	1,641			37	296
CONNECTICUT	169	3,754	144	1,652	74	2,804	28	90
DELAWARE	40	991	30	388	36	1,300	10	18
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	13	204	11	85				
FLORIDA	411	7,454	289	2,957			144	897
GEORGIA	324	8,552	205	2,340			68	131
HAWAII	38	948	38	456			15	26
IDAHO	131	3,784	69	631			55	317
ILLINOIS	640	11,939	352	3,587			203	894
INDIANA	401	10,774	339	3,546			176	1,637
IOWA	409	10,865	267	2,218			*457	3,885
KANSAS	362	8,347	222	1,630			55	578
KENTUCKY	270	6,210	202	1,410			148	1,060
LOUISIANA	376	9,400	204	1,224			22	44
MAINE	139	3,893	113	978	74	2,730	39	73
MARYLAND	166	4,146	132	1,352	106	3,543	62	85
MASSACHUSETTS	315	8,850	212	2,475	185	4,535	40	117
MICHIGAN	686	18,811	516	5,322	9	331	183	2,629
MINNESOTA	425	7,266	281	1,655			331	1,957
MISSISSIPPI	261	4,198	32	403			4	27
MISSOURI	514	11,397	193	2,653	21	621	59	593
MONTANA	180	3,899	67	592			70	803
NEBRASKA	339	7,397	137	1,048			65	684
NEVADA	70	1,994	43	464			34	355
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,188	62	642	52	1,786	16	24
NEW JERSEY	367	8,798	242	3,889	192	8,907	31	170
NEW MEXICO	128	2,964	72	716			44	341
NEW YORK	675	15,605	422	4,210	221	7,488	52	328
NORTH CAROLINA	320	7,018	202	2,222				
NORTH DAKOTA	180	3,631	32	202			55	406
OHIO	782	17,904	634	5,456	30	1,080	173	393
OKLAHOMA	469	8,490	79	725			91	380
OREGON	252	6,300	171	2,565			110	660
PENNSYLVANIA	621	15,935	415	4,195	242	9,905	181	1,845
RHODE ISLAND	45	908	34	551	19	600		
SOUTH CAROLINA	198	4,976	76	784	1	43		
SOUTH DAKOTA	189	3,811	105	587			71	613
TENNESSEE	326	9,126	176	1,830			180	720
TEXAS	1,146	48,241	830	23,332			689	11,892
UTAH	102	2,494	85	1,008			17	25
VERMONT	65	1,682	37	328	30	1,161	19	50
VIRGINIA	276	6,438	212	2,103	76	2,457		
WASHINGTON	341	10,084	250	3,549			181	1,452
WEST VIRGINIA	132	2,486	54	431			15	20
WISCONSIN	415	11,911	321	3,230			75	775
WYOMING	70	1,689	23	240			21	132

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STATE	Gymnastics		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine		Soccer	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	10	157					32	802
ALASKA	9	192	22	264			10	472
ARIZONA							27	869
ARKANSAS	16	324						
CALIFORNIA	71	1,553	6	53	14	205	584	16,597
COLORADO	72	994	9	53	9	94	113	3,782
CONNECTICUT	57	574					131	3,790
DELAWARE	2	19					1	75
DIST. OF COLUMBIA					4	33	1	6
FLORIDA	10	105					225	5,424
GEORGIA	26	251					149	3,217
HAWAII							30	662
IDAHO	2	24	11	56				
ILLINOIS	107	1,552					145	5,096
INDIANA	89	1,198						
IOWA							45	1,016
KANSAS	19	215					27	1,107
KENTUCKY							35	945
LOUISIANA	18	216					23	345
MAINE	19	201	39	349	42	353	115	3,304
MARYLAND	24	352					106	3,315
MASSACHUSETTS	84	1,206	19	262	45	795	230	8,075
MICHIGAN	75	1,264			78	829	183	6,499
MINNESOTA	164	1,188	81	805	52	356	82	2,294
MISSISSIPPI							17	348
MISSOURI							80	2,847
MONTANA							9	200
NEBRASKA	16	155					43	1,198
NEVADA					12	132	15	532
NEW HAMPSHIRE	10	110	30	206	41	363	42	1,582
NEW JERSEY	85	1,274			18	125	255	8,899
NEW MEXICO							29	810
NEW YORK	117	1,516	78	906			547	18,676
NORTH CAROLINA	7	83					108	2,808
NORTH DAKOTA	15	98					10	365
OHIO	115	1,144			3	68	211	6,449
OKLAHOMA							46	1,130
OREGON							95	2,375
PENNSYLVANIA	32	340					194	3,015
RHODE ISLAND	12	141					32	929
SOUTH CAROLINA							36	836
SOUTH DAKOTA	35	384						
TENNESSEE							98	2,234
TEXAS							273	9,850
UTAH							56	1,566
VERMONT	10	151	27	207	25	240	56	1,910
VIRGINIA	78	1,010					137	3,078
WASHINGTON	64	1,427					168	5,683
WEST VIRGINIA							24	45
WISCONSIN	123	1,678					90	3,582
WYOMING	9	120	7	88	7	71	11	414

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STATE	Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA			325	5,513	16	138	95	969
ALASKA	8	242			24	482	6	97
ARIZONA	159	4,456			59	1,531	107	1,770
ARKANSAS					23	216	120	1,012
CALIFORNIA	862	23,513			550	17,282	896	14,717
COLORADO	78	2,104			104	3,311	106	2,973
CONNECTICUT	170	4,615			70	1,701	118	1,985
DELAWARE	35	1,126			20	560	29	459
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	12	139			7	44	12	58
FLORIDA	125	2,718	281	5,543	245	4,323	320	3,257
GEORGIA			285	6,665	96	1,400	310	3,664
HAWAII	33	543			28	366	36	393
IDAHO			63	1,501			41	740
ILLINOIS	534	11,434			230	3,845	273	5,010
INDIANA	290	7,053			205	4,049	307	5,445
IOWA	391	8,814			60	1,294	*180	2,470
KANSAS	105	2,944			44	1,106	113	2,037
KENTUCKY			245	4,865	104	840	211	875
LOUISIANA	278	4,170			36	360	149	1,043
MAINE	119	3,189	2	27	40	810	78	1,187
MARYLAND	154	3,737			57	1,231	144	2,088
MASSACHUSETTS	270	6,230			108	2,585	201	3,323
MICHIGAN	616	16,131			181	5,243	317	7,406
MINNESOTA	339	6,615			152	1,997	196	3,098
MISSISSIPPI			123	1,806	18	25	151	790
MISSOURI	200	7,029			67	1,833	136	2,505
MONTANA	25	791			19	245	58	628
NEBRASKA					37	864	47	978
NEVADA	46	1,087			27	468	29	430
NEW HAMPSHIRE	85	2,336			11	238	43	617
NEW JERSEY	369	11,263			95	3,630	301	5,798
NEW MEXICO	41	816			26	385	48	404
NEW YORK	657	17,590			249	5,075	409	7,345
NORTH CAROLINA			314	7,222	111	1,887	243	3,159
NORTH DAKOTA					12	272	18	389
OHIO	622	15,058	93	2,487	264	3,995	376	5,881
OKLAHOMA	182	2,900	123	1,476	40	505	103	980
OREGON	166	4,980			100	1,500	116	928
PENNSYLVANIA	551	13,495			227	4,125	347	5,015
RHODE ISLAND	17	427	31	665			38	713
SOUTH CAROLINA	179	3,417					99	1,361
SOUTH DAKOTA							20	284
TENNESSEE	290	4,466					225	3,284
TEXAS	213	5,516			231	4,262	942	14,960
UTAH	77	1,730			54	1,107	69	948
VERMONT	60	1,654					27	506
VIRGINIA	240	5,343			61	1,613	217	2,953
WASHINGTON	100	3,681	186	5,114	118	3,199	221	4,988
WEST VIRGINIA	100	1,813			8	98	75	809
WISCONSIN	359	10,473			123	2,957	162	3,936
WYOMING					23	548	14	254

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STATE	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
ALABAMA	42	428	170	2,569	240	3,719
ALASKA			42	782	*106	1,717
ARIZONA			156	4,000	178	5,424
ARKANSAS			276	4,600	58	1,180
CALIFORNIA			751	23,774	906	24,758
COLORADO			263	5,718	278	8,338
CONNECTICUT	81	1,813	153	4,963	123	2,974
DELAWARE	25	431	31	791	27	760
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	11	113	12	153	12	181
FLORIDA			357	7,506	381	7,780
GEORGIA			313	7,435	51	1,099
HAWAII			38	784	37	817
IDAHO			124	2,712	134	4,080
ILLINOIS			545	11,082	692	14,565
INDIANA			385	9,502	403	10,539
IOWA	89	2,047	383	7,653	407	9,750
KANSAS			355	6,737	353	10,053
KENTUCKY			227	2,510	72	810
LOUISIANA	82	820	367	4,037	164	2,296
MAINE	40	790	92	2,528	19	387
MARYLAND	104	2,118	149	3,469	*177	4,022
MASSACHUSETTS	144	4,483	210	7,946	118	3,038
MICHIGAN			639	18,059	663	18,457
MINNESOTA			412	6,288	423	10,541
MISSISSIPPI	4	48	220	2,477	29	356
MISSOURI			406	9,725	383	9,722
MONTANA			182	2,804	155	3,644
NEBRASKA			338	6,257	340	9,306
NEVADA			67	1,620	67	2,120
NEW HAMPSHIRE	25	726	58	1,649	42	1,046
NEW JERSEY	168	4,994	309	9,871	128	2,801
NEW MEXICO			125	1,937	124	2,547
NEW YORK	229	5,436	531	13,899	575	13,777
NORTH CAROLINA	90	1,260	280	7,280	298	5,960
NORTH DAKOTA			167	2,084	110	2,720
OHIO	117	2,580	751	17,490	777	18,409
OKLAHOMA	19	180	295	3,151	36	590
OREGON			243	7,290	254	5,080
PENNSYLVANIA	147	2,635	475	12,580	397	7,710
RHODE ISLAND	34	593	33	1,030	41	863
SOUTH CAROLINA			183	4,647	164	2,825
SOUTH DAKOTA			184	2,885	127	3,361
TENNESSEE			205	5,002	204	5,021
TEXAS			1,112	43,721	773	32,695
UTAH			104	2,971	106	2,512
VERMONT	2	23	36	1,044	1	9
VIRGINIA	143	2,874	260	6,807	187	4,019
WASHINGTON			321	7,986	337	10,151
WEST VIRGINIA			108	2,242	78	1,592
WISCONSIN			390	9,521	413	15,036
WYOMING	9	151	69	1,374	69	1,898

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants	SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	6	71	FOOTBALL (11-Man)	Alaska	1	**1
BADMINTON	Arizona	36	584		Arizona		**19
	California	*51	1,270		California		**14
	Illinois	71	1,815		Colorado	8	**18
	Maryland	22	231		Connecticut	2	**4
	Michigan	1	12		Georgia	8	**62
	New York	39	696		Hawaii	1	**1
					Idaho	3	**3
					Indiana		**1
BASEBALL	California		**203		New Hampshire		**14
	Colorado	40	93		Ohio	3	**49
	Connecticut	1	**1				
	Georgia	6	59	FOOTBALL (9-Man)	California		**1
	Hawaii	1	**1				
	Maine	3	**16				
	New Hampshire		**10	FOOTBALL (8-Man)	California		**2
	Vermont	2	**4				
	West Virginia	4	**13		Colorado	4	**12
BOWLING	Florida	67	571	FOOTBALL (6-Man)	Colorado	1	**3
	Hawaii	28	237				
	Illinois	84	1,750				
	Iowa	34	439	GOALBALL	West Virginia	1	5
	Michigan	10	158				
	Nevada	14	140	HEPTATHLON	Alabama	17	45
	New Jersey	116	1,235		Florida	33	129
	New York	177	1,633		New Hampshire	5	10
	North Carolina	6	58		Vermont	2	8
	Ohio	15	137				
	Pennsylvania	56	550	ICE HOCKEY	Alaska	3	**5
	South Carolina	8	67		Colorado	4	**6
	West Virginia	1	5		Connecticut	1	**1
					Maine	12	**17
CANOEING	New Hampshire	1	12		Massachusetts	12	**23
					Michigan	1	**1
COMPETITION CHEERLEADING	Maine	92	1,235		New Hampshire	4	**59
					Ohio	3	**3
					Vermont	4	**5
CREW	Delaware	1	48				
	District of Columbia	1	49	JUDO	Hawaii	8	47
	Maine	2	5				
	New Hampshire	1	4	LACROSSE	Delaware	10	295
	Ohio	7	109		Maine	7	199
	Virginia	17	636		Maryland	50	2,037
	West Virginia	1	43		Massachusetts	17	799
					Michigan	5	277
DANCE	Maryland	12	80		New Hampshire	4	120
					New Jersey	51	2,064
DECATHLON	Maine	1	3		New York	68	2,889
	Michigan	9	9		Ohio	10	488
	New Hampshire	19	6		Pennsylvania	53	1,790
					Vermont	6	141
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	21	148		Virginia	20	846
FENCING	Michigan	3	12	PENTATHLON	Arkansas	30	45
	Missouri	1	3		New Hampshire	4	9
	New Jersey	23	348		Tennessee	56	87
	New York	10	142		Vermont	2	7
	North Carolina	1	2				
	Ohio	1	8	RIFLERY	Alaska	8	37
	Vermont	1	8		Georgia	34	83

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SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
RIFLERY (Cont.)	Hawaii	4	39
	Maine	1	2
	Michigan	1	4
	New York	5	46
	North Carolina	4	19
	Ohio	2	4
	Pennsylvania	36	395
	Vermont	2	12
SKI JUMPING	New Hampshire	1	1
SOFT TENNIS	Hawaii	17	153
SQUASH	Delaware	1	17
SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING	Minnesota	15	170
WATER POLO	California	93	840
	Florida	17	280
	Ohio	5	115
	Pennsylvania	2	25
WEIGHT LIFTING	Georgia	16	562
	Kansas	48	490
	Maine	7	78
	Michigan	18	269
	New Hampshire	2	18
	North Carolina	15	197
	Ohio	25	690
	West Virginia	9	175
WRESTLING	Alaska	4	16
	Arizona		**19
	California		**54
	Connecticut	15	**21
	Delaware	3	**6
	Georgia	16	178
	Hawaii		**3
	Indiana		**3
	Maine	3	**9
	Maryland		**2
	New Hampshire	5	**8
	Ohio		**70
	Vermont	2	**13
	West Virginia	2	**2

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Sport (number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		TOTAL
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Participants
ADAPTED SPORTS ¹					
FLOOR HOCKEY (1/1)	33		33		187
SOCCER (1/1)	30		30		204
SOFTBALL (1/1)	28		28		188
ARCHERY (2/3)	7	49	11	70	119
BADMINTON (5/7)	*183	3,053	*347	7,310	10,363
BASEBALL (48/12)	13,962	438,846	80	**353	439,199
BASKETBALL (51/51)	16,451	530,068	16,016	412,576	942,644
BOWLING (12/14)	657	7,480	630	6,860	14,340
CANOEING (1/1)	6	161	6	148	309
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS (12/17)	*85	**213	1,422	27,555	27,768
CREW (8/8)	38	1,116	36	1,121	2,237
CROSS COUNTRY (51/51)	10,693	162,188	10,142	124,700	286,888
DECATHLON (7/4)	130	417	7	21	438
EQUESTRIAN (2/4)	19	105	28	214	319
FENCING (6/6)	58	1,121	43	613	1,734
FIELD HOCKEY (1/19)	1	**1	1,452	53,747	53,748
FOOTBALL - 11-man (51/19)	13,029	903,971	70	**334	904,305
9-man (5/0)	264	6,715			6,715
8-man (14/1)	590	12,761	1	**1	12,762
6-man (6/1)	155	4,687	1	**16	4,703
GOLF (50/47)	*10,605	131,207	*4,957	**36,601	167,808
GYMNASTICS (18/35)	202	2,409	1,582	20,029	22,438
HEPTATHLON (1/4)	1	1	43	157	158
ICE HOCKEY (15/10)	935	22,032	39	**194	22,226
JUDO (1/0)	21	184			184
LACROSSE (13/14)	474	22,003	334	**12,342	34,345
PENTATHLON (0/1)			62	104	104
RIFLERY (12/10)	161	1,706	96	590	2,296
SKIING - CROSS COUNTRY (11/11)	340	3,796	321	3,260	7,056
SKIING - ALPINE (14/14)	377	5,521	359	3,641	9,162
SOCCER (48/48)	7,445	255,538	5,463	**166,173	421,711
SOFTBALL - FAST PITCH (4/44)	62	1,228	10,243	257,118	258,346
SOFTBALL - SLOW PITCH (2/13)	16	198	1,925	41,118	41,316
SWIMMING AND DIVING (47/47)	4,595	**81,328	*4,643	**102,652	183,980
TEAM TENNIS ² (1/1)	313		313		11,119
TENNIS (51/51)	*9,069	135,702	*8,780	**136,239	271,941
TRACK & FIELD - INDOOR (21/21)	1,746	40,866	1,608	34,533	75,399
TRACK & FIELD - OUTDOOR (51/51)	14,192	419,758	14,027	345,700	765,458
VOLLEYBALL (22/50)	*1,207	**26,208	12,403	327,616	353,824
WATER POLO (5/6)	412	10,562	259	**2,225	12,787
WEIGHT LIFTING (12/10)	469	15,780	129	**2,486	18,266
WRESTLING (47/27)	8,538	223,433	220	**783	224,216
OTHER	43	555	67	1,115	1,670

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

¹ Number of schools offering coeducational programs adapted for participants with disabilities.

² Number of schools offering coeducational team tennis.

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SUMMARY
1993-94 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY**

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	16,451	1.	Football	928,134
2.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,192	2.	Basketball	530,068
3.	Football	14,038	3.	Baseball	438,846
4.	Baseball	13,962	4.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	419,758
5.	Cross Country	10,693	5.	Soccer	255,538
6.	Golf	10,605	6.	Wrestling	233,433
7.	Tennis	9,069	7.	Cross County	162,188
8.	Wrestling	8,538	8.	Tennis	135,702
9.	Soccer	7,445	9.	Golf	131,207
10.	Swimming & Diving	4,595	10.	Swimming & Diving	81,328

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	16,016	1.	Basketball	412,576
2.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,027	2.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	345,700
3.	Volleyball	12,403	3.	Volleyball	327,616
4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	10,243	4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	257,118
5.	Cross Country	10,142	5.	Soccer	166,173
6.	Tennis	8,780	6.	Tennis	136,239
7.	Soccer	5,463	7.	Cross Country	124,700
8.	Golf	4,957	8.	Swimming & Diving	102,652
9.	Swimming & Diving	4,643	9.	Field Hockey	53,747
10.	Track & Field (Indoor)	1,948	10.	Softball (Slow Pitch)	41,118

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,478,530 ♦	1993-94	2,124,755 ♦

♦ Total does not include 11,698 participants in coeducational sports.

1993-94 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants§
1	Texas	567,470
2	California	489,617
3	New York	296,438
4	Ohio	277,526
5	Michigan	261,573
6	Illinois	253,408
7	Pennsylvania	220,552
8	New Jersey	180,613
9	Wisconsin	159,951
10	Florida	157,325
11	Massachusetts	150,495
12	Washington	145,878
13	Indiana	140,779
14	Missouri	139,510
15	Iowa	131,705
16	North Carolina	114,887
17	Georgia	113,704
18	Virginia	113,290
19	Minnesota	106,073
20	Tennessee	98,647
21	Kansas	93,276
22	Colorado	90,087
23	Oregon	89,940
24	Louisiana	80,578
25	Maryland	77,427
26	Nebraska	73,703
27	Kentucky	72,901
28	Connecticut	72,418
29	Arizona	71,408
30	Alabama	71,276
31	Oklahoma	68,666
32	South Carolina	63,988
33	Mississippi	55,748
34	Arkansas	52,101
35	Maine	48,473
36	Utah	44,199
37	Idaho	38,595
38	West Virginia	34,665
39	New Hampshire	32,784
40	Montana	32,544
41	New Mexico	31,460
42	South Dakota	31,051
43	North Dakota	26,748
44	Nevada	26,357
45	Hawaii	20,881
46	Vermont	19,864
47	Delaware	19,303
48	Rhode Island	18,699
49	Wyoming	17,400
50	Alaska	15,600
51	Dist. of Columbia	3,399
		5,614,980

§ Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports -- three times, etc.

State	BOYS PARTICIPATION				Competitive Spirit	
	Baseball		Basketball		Squads	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	359	8,286	393	11,354		
Alaska	14	324	117	2,172		
Arizona	169	6,492	177	6,640		
Arkansas	274	5,433	335	8,715		
California	945	36,433	981	35,881		
Colorado	228	6,937	274	8,167		**19
Connecticut	170	5,597	170	5,084		
Delaware	40	1,454	41	1,309	1	2
District of Columbia	13	160	16	435		**10
Florida	435	12,262	444	13,032		
Georgia	325	11,093	333	10,842		
Hawaii	54	1,562	58	1,473		
Idaho	70	2,228	131	4,610		
Illinois	638	22,266	723	24,004		
Indiana	387	12,297	397	13,436		
Iowa	396	11,410	403	16,920		
Kansas	140	4,717	364	10,651		
Kentucky	268	7,070	278	7,961	9	18
Louisiana	308	8,008	408	12,240		
Maine	127	3,752	136	4,401	14	25
Maryland	168	4,815	168	4,660	23	11
Massachusetts	306	11,607	309	11,169		
Michigan	624	19,337	694	23,366		
Minnesota	381	8,611	415	9,420		
Mississippi	249	5,830	261	5,720		
Missouri	429	11,395	546	15,118		
Montana			180	4,714		
Nebraska	28	1,317	341	8,763		
Nevada	59	1,760	72	2,272		
New Hampshire	85	2,560	85	2,705	8	16
New Jersey	376	13,862	371	11,659		
New Mexico	85	2,437	128	3,614		
New York	695	21,701	712	20,769		
North Carolina	317	9,966	321	9,043	2	23
North Dakota	49	798	186	4,350		
Ohio	764	23,730	787	25,757		
Oklahoma	413	9,814	469	9,907	8	**45
Oregon	207	9,315	259	9,324		
Pennsylvania	584	18,688	626	18,780		
Rhode Island	44	1,177	43	1,070		
South Carolina	190	5,626	197	6,641		
South Dakota			188	4,768		
Tennessee	318	8,754	323	10,552	*	12
Texas	943	39,191	1,155	60,149		
Utah	99	2,716	109	3,296		
Vermont	59	1,570	65	1,846	7	14
Virginia	275	7,887	279	8,545		
Washington	308	10,670	350	11,977		
West Virginia	134	3,144	146	4,193	*13	18
Wisconsin	413	12,787	417	14,525		
Wyoming			70	2,069		

*Includes some co-educational teams

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

State	Cross Country		Football 11-Man		Football 8-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	50	444	370	21,359		
Alaska	85	815	20	1,401		
Arizona	128	1,706	145	12,915	23	654
Arkansas	82	561	198	12,761		
California	769	15,184	823	79,605	48	1,096
Colorado	150	1,884	192	12,624	38	871
Connecticut	158	2,516	123	7,047		
Delaware	33	589	38	2,441		
District of Columbia	11	90	12	567		
Florida	325	4,088	373	29,943		
Georgia	231	3,516	315	22,958		
Hawaii	54	342	52	3,516		
Idaho	74	995	121	7,378	24	732
Illinois	385	7,084	544	46,077		
Indiana	385	5,295	324	21,229		
Iowa	271	3,024	353	20,394		
Kansas	220	2,466	248	13,971	109	2,283
Kentucky	210	2,310	209	11,466		
Louisiana	306	3,366	293	16,107		
Maine	112	1,219	54	3,073		
Maryland	146	2,092	157	10,460		
Massachusetts	254	4,315	254	15,882		
Michigan	545	6,781	614	40,190		
Minnesota	280	2,605	352	14,611		
Mississippi	97	1,903	241	16,605	1	24
Missouri	226	3,968	311	19,914	18	461
Montana	62	633	93	5,171	63	1,163
Nebraska	148	1,579	269	12,651	124	2,918
Nevada	39	547	49	5,144	17	430
New Hampshire	64	857	36	2,298		
New Jersey	279	5,399	363	24,508		
New Mexico	77	974	90	5,229		
New York	498	6,946	535	34,100		
North Carolina	225	2,851	310	20,361		
North Dakota	47	385	60	3,180		
Ohio	664	7,916	704	43,898		
Oklahoma	120	1,260	261	10,005	52	642
Oregon	174	2,610	188	11,280	42	840
Pennsylvania	444	4,440	538	24,210		
Rhode Island	36	680	38	1,595		
South Carolina	104	1,532	195	15,666		
South Dakota	108	922	64	3,876		
Tennessee	180	3,231	291	22,270		
Texas	816	24,898	958	109,166		
Utah	88	1,520	84	7,420		
Vermont	36	420	21	1,284	2	58
Virginia	231	3,312	275	19,520		
Washington	252	4,784	285	20,674	29	589
West Virginia	64	652	128	6,280		
Wisconsin	320	4,282	405	27,157		
Wyoming	30	400	53	2,534		

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State	Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	115	1,008				
Alaska					22	596
Arizona	114	1,297				
Arkansas	151	1,231				
California	594	7,413	7	90		
Colorado	116	1,441			12	227
Connecticut	151	1,696			66	1,215
Delaware	28	294				
District of Columbia	4	33				
Florida	335	2,981				
Georgia	277	2,580	6	30		
Hawaii	49	282				
Idaho	55	841				
Illinois	420	7,014	53	1,092		
Indiana	360	4,344				
Iowa	*474	6,087				
Kansas	183	2,749	2	6		
Kentucky	236	2,082	1	14		
Louisiana	163	1,141	6	54		
Maine	82	970	5	9	38	965
Maryland	111	985	6	55		
Massachusetts	229	3,181	12	198	189	5,999
Michigan	508	7,102	8	102	94	1,888
Minnesota	338	3,093			187	3,609
Mississippi	121	1,186				
Missouri	250	3,623				
Montana	60	754				
Nebraska	189	2,904	9	42		
Nevada	46	569				
New Hampshire	39	495	3	14	23	576
New Jersey	161	2,995	21	120	60	1,369
New Mexico	54	671				
New York	469	5,596	24	317	87	1,965
North Carolina	274	2,830	1	1		
North Dakota	89	1,137			17	569
Ohio	653	8,068	23	104	36	758
Oklahoma	205	1,355				
Oregon	147	1,176				
Pennsylvania	432	4,320				
Rhode Island	*35	413			28	674
South Carolina	146	1,521				
South Dakota	85	1,029				
Tennessee	243	2,867				
Texas	867	14,512				
Utah	80	971				
Vermont	34	362	1	14	23	437
Virginia	235	2,446	14	147		
Washington	203	2,834				
West Virginia	88	864				
Wisconsin	281	5,286			53	1,185
Wyoming	26	578				

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State	Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama						
Alaska			9	142	24	335
Arizona						
Arkansas						
California	12	522	1	13	9	118
Colorado					13	79
Connecticut						
Delaware	17	536				
District of Columbia						
Florida						
Georgia			52	461		
Hawaii			11	62		
Idaho					11	72
Illinois						
Indiana						
Iowa						
Kansas						
Kentucky						
Louisiana						
Maine	13	427	2	27	34	335
Maryland	74	2,809				
Massachusetts	41	2,211			20	260
Michigan	18	920	1	29		
Minnesota					76	604
Mississippi						
Missouri						
Montana						
Nebraska						
Nevada						
New Hampshire	12	536			28	230
New Jersey	48	1,901				
New Mexico						
New York	180	9,441	37	508	89	1,467
North Carolina	2	50	9	72		
North Dakota						
Ohio	14	774	1	16		
Oklahoma						
Oregon						
Pennsylvania			30	300		
Rhode Island						
South Carolina						
South Dakota						
Tennessee						
Texas						
Utah						
Vermont	10	455	2	17	29	232
Virginia	33	1,421	6	59		
Washington						
West Virginia						
Wisconsin						
Wyoming					7	64

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State	Skiing		Soccer		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			77	1,926	34	137
Alaska			14	494	27	409
Arizona			89	3,028	61	1,160
Arkansas					22	162
California	20	371	804	27,533	580	13,540
Colorado	13	150	119	4,112	95	1,756
Connecticut			165	5,915	91	**1,428
Delaware			38	1,469	22	371
District of Columbia	5	33	8	160	7	85
Florida			337	9,560	270	3,738
Georgia			190	5,488	95	1,184
Hawaii			47	1,396	48	476
Idaho			15	447	6	86
Illinois			260	11,024	235	4,888
Indiana					196	4,099
Iowa			69	2,320	52	1,136
Kansas			55	2,306	42	738
Kentucky	1	12	138	3,768	92	868
Louisiana			93	1,395	63	945
Maine	40	487	123	4,089	35	432
Maryland			159	5,386	69	997
Massachusetts	51	895	284	10,799	98	1,635
Michigan	75	1,104	301	9,600	223	4,456
Minnesota	55	661	101	3,185	132	1,311
Mississippi			86	2,305	36	320
Missouri			145	5,442	69	1,650
Montana			9	265	19	178
Nebraska			43	1,269	38	582
Nevada	14	394	28	773	33	318
New Hampshire	39	497	80	2,887	13	128
New Jersey	17	194	333	14,196	100	2,304
New Mexico			46	1,333	26	419
New York			590	21,159	240	4,261
North Carolina			198	5,720	143	1,785
North Dakota			14	318	11	220
Ohio	4	90	413	12,999	244	3,171
Oklahoma			72	1,440	39	495
Oregon			132	3,960	102	1,530
Pennsylvania			432	15,120	231	4,158
Rhode Island			42	1,124	21	175
South Carolina			95	2,948		
South Dakota						
Tennessee			147	4,557		
Texas			326	18,284	253	5,253
Utah			64	2,123	56	1,268
Vermont	34	483	64	2,124		
Virginia			184	5,648	63	1,160
Washington			216	7,048	114	3,377
West Virginia			42	994	14	111
Wisconsin			144	5,488	112	1,986
Wyoming	9	150	14	614	23	442

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State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	105	1,095	49	628	195	4,163
Alaska	6	112			43	887
Arizona	108	1,546			162	5,201
Arkansas	121	1,062			266	6,543
California	722	14,301			809	33,699
Colorado	108	2,297			260	6,542
Connecticut	143	2,175	78	1,718	156	5,025
Delaware	29	425	24	443	33	951
District of Columbia	15	145	13	175	12	201
Florida	332	3,368			366	10,145
Georgia	308	3,542			315	8,511
Hawaii	48	571			58	784
Idaho	41	731			124	3,191
Illinois	275	6,023			575	20,125
Indiana	305	5,171			385	11,326
Iowa	*181	2,218	93	2,517	374	8,814
Kansas	121	2,030			363	8,258
Kentucky	214	2,172			234	4,809
Louisiana	188	1,310	102	1,122	408	8,596
Maine	74	998	39	844	92	2,514
Maryland	159	2,058	110	2,682	153	4,024
Massachusetts	205	2,995	152	5,044	237	8,817
Michigan	346	7,302			638	19,509
Minnesota	177	2,560			402	6,337
Mississippi	139	1,280	23	324	235	4,635
Missouri	170	3,180			411	12,448
Montana	31	438			178	3,811
Nebraska	51	842			339	7,895
Nevada	28	372			68	2,295
New Hampshire	46	636	33	757	56	1,646
New Jersey	314	4,467	194	5,700	331	10,750
New Mexico	48	432			126	2,477
New York	500	8,383	249	6,769	550	16,617
North Carolina	268	3,294	105	1,400	294	9,273
North Dakota	16	248			148	2,347
Ohio	430	6,122	125	3,116	748	20,199
Oklahoma	103	910	30	340	317	3,672
Oregon	115	920			244	12,200
Pennsylvania	359	3,590	145	2,610	497	15,904
Rhode Island	38	708	24	657	37	1,225
South Carolina	113	1,933			182	5,438
South Dakota	20	326			186	3,592
Tennessee	217	3,343			201	5,829
Texas	934	14,505			1,096	51,863
Utah	76	1,082			104	4,074
Vermont	23	383	3	77	37	755
Virginia	219	2,705	146	3,810	266	7,791
Washington	222	4,692			324	9,457
West Virginia	82	796			102	2,349
Wisconsin	162	3,643			388	10,575
Wyoming	14	265	9	133	67	1,669

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State	Volleyball		Weight Lifting		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					44	1,068
Alaska	*27	154			41	1,112
Arizona	11	383			144	4,097
Arkansas						
California	391	9,789			604	20,105
Colorado					203	5,039
Connecticut					97	2,391
Delaware	1	36			41	1,138
District of Columbia						
Florida	95	1,746	144	3,745	258	7,385
Georgia	4	53	41	2,893	185	4,807
Hawaii	48	778			48	1,134
Idaho			6	29	86	2,726
Illinois	82	1,205			387	15,906
Indiana					319	8,709
Iowa					293	7,207
Kansas		**4	43	1,867	176	4,908
Kentucky					60	1,293
Louisiana					50	1,004
Maine	18	388	5	222	47	1,072
Maryland	29	280			152	3,945
Massachusetts	43	935			131	3,236
Michigan	15	604	45	1,147	437	10,231
Minnesota					325	3,996
Mississippi			86	978		
Missouri					173	6,622
Montana					74	1,672
Nebraska					221	4,200
Nevada	14	358			56	1,537
New Hampshire	4	52	4	93	21	580
New Jersey	14	312			314	8,027
New Mexico					47	1,159
New York	182	3,786			459	12,106
North Carolina			25	1,311	246	5,958
North Dakota					55	1,028
Ohio	38	1,160	51	2,741	567	13,599
Oklahoma					130	2,600
Oregon					178	4,450
Pennsylvania	132	2,376			468	9,360
Rhode Island	19	372			30	899
South Carolina					82	2,469
South Dakota					97	1,729
Tennessee					118	4,136
Texas						
Utah					89	3,163
Vermont			1	15	21	303
Virginia	12	198			212	6,143
Washington					257	9,006
West Virginia			18	739	78	1,563
Wisconsin	28	1,239			365	7,370
Wyoming					52	1,245

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SPORT	State	Schools	Particip.
ARCHERY	Kentucky	1	6
	North Carolina	6	43
JUNTA	California	*163	2,816
	Kentucky	1	10
	Maine	1	20
	Maryland	7	59
	New York	11	148
BOWLING	California	1	10
	Florida	60	534
	Hawaii	43	327
	Iowa	36	462
	Michigan	9	211
	Nevada	14	178
	New Jersey	135	1,891
	New York	264	2,839
	North Carolina	6	56
	Ohio	27	358
	Pennsylvania	54	540
	South Carolina	8	68
CANOEING	Hawaii	6	161
CREW	California	2	81
	Delaware	1	46
	Dist. of Columbia	1	35
	Michigan	9	318
	New Hampshire	2	24
	Ohio	6	96
	Virginia	16	501
	West Virginia	1	15
DECATHLON	Alabama	18	82
	Florida	30	187
	Maine	1	5
	New Hampshire	8	18
	North Carolina	1	6
	Tennessee	68	115
	Vermont	4	4
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	18	104
	Vermont	1	1
FENCING	California	7	94
	Michigan	7	70
	New Hampshire	1	10
	New Jersey	24	432
	New York	13	305
	Ohio	6	210
Y HOCKEY	Delaware	1	**1

SPORT	State	Schools	Particip.
FOOTBALL (9-man)	California	2	134
	Minnesota	61	2,135
	North Dakota	74	1,747
	South Dakota	120	2,542
	Wyoming	7	157
FOOTBALL (6-man)	California	2	33
	Colorado	21	380
	Montana	6	55
	Nebraska	26	406
	New Mexico	13	195
	Texas	87	3,618
GOALBALL	West Virginia	1	6
HEPTATHLON	New Hampshire	1	1
JUDO	Hawaii	21	184
SAILING	California	1	9
SAND GOLF	Kansas	32	405
SKEET SHOOTING	North Carolina	1	10
SKI JUMPING	New Hampshire	4	30
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch)	California	1	12
	Maine	6	144
	Missouri	20	256
	Ohio	35	816
SOFTBALL (Slow Pitch)	Georgia	6	48
	Ohio	10	150
SQUASH	Delaware	1	22
SURFING	California	3	73
WATER POLO	California	337	9,185
	Hawaii	3	61
	Missouri	18	447
	Ohio	8	177
	Pennsylvania	9	135

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	308	4,620			43	395
Alaska	112	1,786			85	700
Arizona	174	5,294			117	1,326
Arkansas	333	6,690			74	421
California	940	26,002			748	11,334
Colorado	272	6,867	103	1,844	147	1,639
Connecticut	167	3,722			147	1,721
Delaware	41	1,048	2	54	31	409
District of Columbia	14	215	14	150	9	88
Florida	427	8,319			301	3,596
Georgia	324	8,552			205	2,340
Hawaii	58	1,297	61	732	54	368
Idaho	131	3,733			74	668
Illinois	633	14,939			364	4,514
Indiana	396	11,109			350	3,693
Iowa	402	10,648			262	2,174
Kansas	363	8,223			201	1,699
Kentucky	274	5,426	253	4,961	205	1,812
Louisiana	376	9,400			204	1,224
Maine	132	3,662	71	984	108	932
Maryland	168	4,089	33	830	146	1,503
Massachusetts	307	9,719			225	3,016
Michigan	689	19,143	173	6,304	518	5,182
Minnesota	419	7,222			281	1,728
Mississippi	261	4,600			40	820
Missouri	521	11,832	150	2,550	215	2,830
Montana	180	3,944			178	553
Nebraska	339	7,397			149	1,048
Nevada	68	1,930			38	557
New Hampshire	85	2,390	35	749	63	713
New Jersey	368	8,646			241	3,626
New Mexico	127	3,020	65	843	63	658
New York	675	15,605			422	4,210
North Carolina	321	7,107	11	194	210	2,121
North Dakota	178	3,450			35	273
Ohio	778	18,182			635	5,546
Oklahoma	469	9,560	130	1,950	90	910
Oregon	256	6,400			176	2,640
Pennsylvania	618	18,540			422	4,220
Rhode Island	45	893			35	616
South Carolina	196	4,998			98	962
South Dakota	191	3,924			106	600
Tennessee	326	9,216	64	768	184	2,060
Texas	1,144	51,307			855	26,053
Utah	102	2,603	85	1,678	85	1,000
Vermont	66	1,610	28	243	33	295
Virginia	273	6,648			209	2,190
Washington	348	10,586			253	3,720
West Virginia	135	2,711	144	2,721	57	455
Wisconsin	416	12,071			323	3,300
Wyoming	70	1,681			28	242

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State	Field Hockey		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			21	44	9	141
Alaska					9	157
Arizona			40	215		
Arkansas			87	182	16	280
California	61	2,090	229	**487	60	1,464
Colorado			55	360	66	863
Connecticut	71	2,712	37	123	58	533
Delaware	40	1,399	12	17		
District of Columbia				**5		
Florida			172	1,142		
Georgia			68	131	26	251
Hawaii			21	34		
Idaho			55	276	7	64
Illinois			201	1,065	102	1,958
Indiana			187	1,705	94	1,140
Iowa			*477	3,492		
Kansas			60	598	18	236
Kentucky	14	567	168	697	1	24
Louisiana			22	44	18	216
Maine	76	3,017	38	76	15	166
Maryland	108	3,333	83	83	28	143
Massachusetts	182	7,621	51	242	82	1,216
Michigan	11	222	166	2,429	73	1,108
Minnesota			324	1,983	166	1,191
Mississippi			8	60		
Missouri	19	772	60	633	4	65
Montana			69	509		
Nebraska			71	684	17	155
Nevada			28	308		
New Hampshire	52	1,847	12	19	11	125
New Jersey	195	8,461	29	239	87	867
New Mexico			43	341		
New York	221	7,488	52	328	117	1,516
North Carolina	1	80	18	45	6	46
North Dakota			64	501	15	85
Ohio	31	1,159	179	478	111	1,028
Oklahoma			125	495		
Oregon			120	960		
Pennsylvania	243	8,505	190	1,900	27	270
Rhode Island	19	569			16	148
South Carolina	1	61				
South Dakota			78	622	35	319
Tennessee			192	792		
Texas			710	9,749		
Utah			14	17		
Vermont	28	1,113	20	53	10	132
Virginia	79	2,731			75	908
Washington			181	1,529	70	1,431
West Virginia			18	36	1	15
Wisconsin			78	707	123	1,606
Wyoming			24	166	9	162

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State	Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine		Soccer	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					35	877
Alaska	24	278			12	406
Arizona					36	1,185
Arkansas						
California	7	91	16	203	683	20,349
Colorado	10	66	13	108	115	3,980
Connecticut					132	3,813
Delaware					11	247
District of Columbia			5	40	1	**27
Florida					252	**6,337
Georgia					149	3,217
Hawaii					44	1,269
Idaho	11	39			15	284
Illinois					163	3,798
Indiana						
Iowa					45	1,016
Kansas					32	1,315
Kentucky			1	10	68	1,981
Louisiana					38	570
Maine	31	289	34	349	119	3,288
Maryland					121	3,470
Massachusetts	18	202	47	743	251	8,159
Michigan			74	817	191	6,711
Minnesota	82	876	56	461	87	2,358
Mississippi					27	620
Missouri					89	3,268
Montana					9	259
Nebraska					45	1,198
Nevada			14	163	15	540
New Hampshire	27	225	36	275	58	1,834
New Jersey			17	115	262	8,312
New Mexico					34	826
New York	78	906			547	18,676
North Carolina					117	3,269
North Dakota					11	460
Ohio			3	68	235	7,203
Oklahoma					55	1,100
Oregon					99	2,475
Pennsylvania					252	8,820
Rhode Island					35	1,111
South Carolina					49	1,092
South Dakota						
Tennessee					110	2,442
Texas					247	10,480
Utah					60	1,758
Vermont	26	203	34	227	65	1,925
Virginia					99	3,205
Washington					196	5,966
West Virginia					28	**69
Wisconsin					104	4,071
Wyoming	7	85	9	62	15	537

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State	Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			335	5,682	29	138
Alaska	12	320			27	492
Arizona	163	4,743			60	1,410
Arkansas					24	170
California	924	26,346			601	19,786
Colorado	79	2,236			104	3,242
Connecticut	169	4,603			73	*1,783
Delaware	36	1,127			23	595
District of Columbia	12	185			6	40
Florida	393	8,265	24	331	268	5,151
Georgia			285	6,665	96	1,400
Hawaii	54	818			49	488
Idaho	3	49	61	1,611		
Illinois	596	14,066			238	4,808
Indiana	303	7,560			209	4,116
Iowa	391	8,638			58	1,268
Kansas	126	3,526			45	1,089
Kentucky	1	20	259	5,157	92	958
Louisiana	352	5,280			36	360
Maine	112	3,068	8	168	37	699
Maryland	159	3,893			61	1,310
Massachusetts	295	6,498			110	2,768
Michigan	619	16,006			189	5,183
Minnesota	339	6,280			156	1,950
Mississippi	18	540	136	2,607	36	332
Missouri	355	7,603			76	2,025
Montana	27	562			20	210
Nebraska	29	445			39	864
Nevada	52	1,179			33	657
New Hampshire	85	2,362			15	253
New Jersey	370	11,011			90	3,460
New Mexico	41	816			26	385
New York	657	17,590			249	5,075
North Carolina			317	7,725	143	2,111
North Dakota					12	281
Ohio	644	15,113	86	2,287	262	4,327
Oklahoma	220	3,586	216	3,240	39	495
Oregon	166	4,980			102	1,530
Pennsylvania	559	17,888			232	4,176
Rhode Island	20	448	28	625	*21	187
South Carolina	184	3,667				
South Dakota						
Tennessee	298	4,611				
Texas	408	15,369			248	5,705
Utah	78	1,764			56	1,207
Vermont	51	1,361	8	205	2	7
Virginia	243	5,763			69	1,705
Washington	138	4,241	162	4,815	120	4,692
West Virginia	101	1,859			12	119
Wisconsin	361	10,833			124	3,084
Wyoming					26	561

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State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	95	969	46	468	170	2,569
Alaska	6	90			40	731
Arizona	107	1,763			159	4,062
Arkansas	121	1,247			271	4,661
California	720	14,762			803	25,536
Colorado	111	2,639			258	5,449
Connecticut	120	1,995	73	1,600	157	4,904
Delaware	27	432	27	370	36	804
District of Columbia		**42	11	128	12	161
Florida	329	3,306			364	8,164
Georgia	310	3,664			313	7,435
Hawaii	48	587			56	667
Idaho	41	751			124	2,579
Illinois	271	5,420			560	14,840
Indiana	305	5,526			384	9,530
Iowa	*189	2,469	87	2,006	375	7,500
Kansas	118	2,156			362	6,346
Kentucky	209	2,036			231	3,769
Louisiana	149	1,043	82	820	367	4,037
Maine	74	1,203	37	682	94	2,484
Maryland	155	2,060	110	2,190	156	3,331
Massachusetts	209	3,506	140	4,446	238	8,856
Michigan	319	7,284			635	16,950
Minnesota	197	2,997			405	5,621
Mississippi	158	996	15	178	235	3,423
Missouri	144	2,645			413	10,188
Montana	59	1,161			178	2,858
Nebraska	50	978			340	6,257
Nevada	28	308			66	1,895
New Hampshire	44	632	33	720	59	1,721
New Jersey	302	4,036	167	5,304	310	10,106
New Mexico	48	404			125	1,937
New York	409	7,343	229	5,436	531	13,899
North Carolina	246	3,173	97	988	294	7,571
North Dakota	14	398			156	2,085
Ohio	373	5,783	119	2,626	751	17,675
Oklahoma	105	927	18	175	288	3,015
Oregon	120	960			243	7,290
Pennsylvania	348	3,480	136	2,448	484	15,488
Rhode Island	38	702	22	576	32	1,222
South Carolina	102	1,336			184	4,976
South Dakota	20	248			186	2,880
Tennessee	219	2,984			204	5,018
Texas	937	15,284			1,088	43,327
Utah	65	883			104	3,077
Vermont	26	462	7	53	35	787
Virginia	214	2,965	143	3,195	264	6,756
Washington	225	5,147			329	8,363
West Virginia	79	867			104	2,306
Wisconsin	162	3,962			388	9,224
Wyoming	15	228	9	124	66	1,370

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Volleyball		
State	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	244	3,781
Alaska	*82	1,584
Arizona	177	5,589
Arkansas	70	1,982
California	935	26,873
Colorado	277	8,106
Connecticut	125	3,065
Delaware	27	817
District of Columbia	14	149
Florida	410	8,606
Georgia	51	1,099
Hawaii	54	883
Idaho	134	4,243
Illinois	694	18,183
Indiana	397	10,494
Iowa	403	9,555
Kansas	354	10,214
Kentucky	82	1,600
Louisiana	164	2,296
Maine	26	556
Maryland	155	3,641
Massachusetts	130	3,350
Michigan	664	18,507
Minnesota	419	9,849
Mississippi	41	462
Missouri	393	10,564
Montana	155	3,630
Nebraska	339	9,309
Nevada	67	1,726
New Hampshire	42	1,006
New Jersey	129	2,481
New Mexico	124	2,547
New York	575	13,777
North Carolina	298	6,029
North Dakota	109	2,888
Ohio	771	18,337
Oklahoma	52	728
Oregon	255	5,100
Pennsylvania	423	7,614
Rhode Island	40	833
South Carolina	166	3,002
South Dakota	138	3,674
Tennessee	204	4,986
Texas	785	37,638
Utah	106	2,568
Vermont		
Virginia	198	4,359
Washington	342	10,280
West Virginia	81	1,624
Wisconsin	414	15,570
Wyoming	68	1,862

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SPORT	State	Schools	Particip.
ARCHERY	Arizona	7	58
	Kentucky	1	6
	North Carolina	3	6
BADMINTON	Arizona	37	608
	California	*179	3,800
	Illinois	67	1,916
	Kentucky	1	8
	Maine	1	22
	Maryland	23	260
	New York	39	696
BASEBALL	Alaska		**1
	California	15	**37
	Colorado	50	113
	Connecticut		**2
	Georgia	6	59
	Kansas		**18
	Kentucky	3	**3
	Maine	6	111
	Maryland		**3
	New Hampshire		**2
	North Carolina		**2
	West Virginia		**2
BOWLING	California	1	10
	Florida	58	437
	Hawaii	44	332
	Idaho	5	64
	Illinois	84	1,193
	Iowa	34	430
	Michigan	9	195
	Nevada	14	147
	New Jersey	113	1,558
	New York	177	1,633
	North Carolina	6	40
	Ohio	21	199
	Pennsylvania	57	570
	South Carolina	7	52
CANOEING	Hawaii	6	148

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SPORT	State	Schools	Particip.
CREW	California	3	75
	Delaware	1	46
	Dist. of Columbia	1	40
	Michigan	6	198
	New Hampshire	2	32
	Ohio	6	105
	Virginia	16	585
	West Virginia	1	40
DECATHLON	Maine	1	8
	New Hampshire	3	7
	North Carolina	1	3
	Vermont	2	3
DRILL	New Mexico	41	743
EQUESTRIAN	California	2	30
	Maine	1	7
	Michigan	24	170
	Vermont	1	7
FENCING	California	7	47
	Michigan	2	17
	New Hampshire	1	9
	New Jersey	22	389
	New York	10	142
	Ohio	1	9
FOOTBALL (11-man)	Alaska		**4
	Arizona		**16
	California	43	**71
	Colorado	7	**47
	Connecticut		**1
	Delaware	1	**3
	Georgia	8	62
	Idaho		**8
	Kansas		**5
	Kentucky	2	**3
	Maine	3	**6
	Maryland		**3
	Missouri		**6
	Montana		**4
	New Hampshire		**12
	North Carolina		**2
	Ohio	3	78
	Utah	2	**2
	Vermont	1	**1

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SPORT	State	Schools	Particip.
FOOTBALL (8-man)	Colorado	1	**1
FOOTBALL (6-man)	California	1	**16
GOALBALL	West Virginia	1	6
HEPTATHLON	Alabama	16	42
	Florida	20	94
	New Hampshire	6	18
	Vermont	1	3
ICE HOCKEY	Alaska		**4
	Colorado	2	**2
	Connecticut		**3
	Maine	17	38
	Massachusetts	6	8
	Michigan	4	37
	Minnesota		**41
	New Hampshire	4	22
	Ohio		**16
	Vermont	6	**23
LACROSSE	California	8	220
	Delaware	14	385
	Maine	8	171
	Maryland	52	1,963
	Massachusetts	19	967
	Michigan	7	130
	New Hampshire	7	133
	New Jersey	52	1,916
	New York	68	2,889
	North Carolina		**1
	Ohio	10	503
	Pennsylvania	56	1,792
	Vermont	10	285
	Virginia	23	987
PENTATHLON	Tennessee	62	104
POM PON	Idaho	4	129

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SPORT	State	Schools	Particip.
RIFLERY	Alaska	9	55
	Georgia	34	83
	Hawaii	11	76
	Maine	2	11
	Michigan	1	24
	New York	5	46
	North Carolina	4	10
	Ohio	1	4
	Pennsylvania	28	280
	Vermont	1	1
SAILING	California	1	6
SKI JUMPING	New Hampshire	1	1
SQUASH	Delaware	1	21
SURFING	California	2	10
SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING	Minnesota	16	199
WATER POLO	California	224	**1,601
	Florida	23	379
	Hawaii	3	67
	Michigan	2	25
	Ohio	5	123
	Pennsylvania	2	30
WEIGHTLIFTING	Florida		**45
	Georgia	16	562
	Idaho	6	**27
	Kansas	43	479
	Maine	4	55
	Michigan	18	366
	New Hampshire	3	24
	North Carolina	10	309
	Ohio	19	517
	West Virginia	10	102

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SPORT	State	Schools	Particip.
WRESTLING	Alaska	12	39
	Arizona		20
	California	112	**225
	Connecticut		**31
	Delaware	1	**2
	Florida		**24
	Georgia	16	178
	Hawaii	4	6
	Idaho		**4
	Kansas		**13
	Kentucky	3	**4
	Maine	1	**3
	Maryland		**4
	Michigan	48	52
	Missouri		**5
	New Hampshire	2	7
	North Carolina	2	2
	Ohio	7	135
	Utah	5	**9
	Vermont	7	11
	West Virginia		**9

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Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 1994-95 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Participants
Adapted Sports ¹					
Floor Hockey (1/1)	31		31		245
Soccer (1/1)	28		28		208
Softball (1/1)	30		30		258
Archery (3/2)	8	97	7	63	160
Badminton (5/7)	*183	3,060	*353	7,592	10,652
Baseball (48/13)	14,078	440,503	*82	**309	440,812
Basketball (51/51)	16,480	540,269	16,029	426,947	967,216
Bowling (11/13)	700	7,667	723	7,152	14,819
Canoeing (3/2)	10	238	12	213	451
Competitive Spirit Squads (12/18)	*188	**864	1,804	30,090	30,954
Crew (7/7)	31	971	28	858	1,829
Cross Country (51/51)	11,196	163,829	10,599	133,551	297,380
Decathlon (4/4)	52	155	6	20	175
Equestrian (1/2)	22	89	29	298	387
Fencing (6/4)	43	1,086	34	523	1,609
Field Hockey (1/18)	4	33	1,457	54,359	54,392
Football - 11-man (51/18)	12,902	931,495	*86	**295	931,790
- 9-man (6/0)	242	6,258			6,258
- 8-man (14/1)	589	12,971		**16	12,987
- 6-man (6/2)	144	4,523	*2	**17	4,540
Golf (50/48)	10,954	133,705	*5,426	**38,704	172,409
Gymnastics (17/35)	191	2,745	1,561	20,277	23,022
Heptathlon (1/3)	1	1	34	70	71
Ice Hockey (15/11)	932	22,454	96	**647	23,101
Judo (1/1)	10	142	5	23	165
Lacrosse (13/12)	508	22,783	343	13,083	35,866
Pentathlon (0/1)			1	8	8
Rifery (12/9)	181	1,761	110	563	2,324
Skiing - Cross Country (12/12)	353	4,016	347	3,701	7,717
Skiing - Alpine (15/15)	383	5,531	354	3,913	9,444
Soccer (49/49)	7,905	**272,810	6,057	**191,350	464,160
Softball - Fast Pitch (4/47)	49	882	10,938	283,226	284,108
Softball - Slow Pitch (1/10)	2	43	1,661	35,691	35,734
Swimming and Diving (47/45)	*4,763	**80,089	4,817	**106,467	186,556
Team Tennis ² (1/1)	379		379		16,898
Tennis (51/51)	*9,058	**132,735	*10,270	**139,157	271,892
Track and Field - Indoor (21/21)	1,857	40,679	1,763	**35,204	75,883
Track and Field - Outdoor (51/51)	14,248	**430,807	13,940	360,223	791,030
Volleyball (21/51)	*1,306	28,716	*12,537	340,176	368,892
Water Polo (7/6)	412	10,599	269	2,129	12,728
Weight Lifting (10/8)	464	14,972	112	2,396	17,368
Wrestling (48/21)	8,559	216,453	*249	**804	217,257
Other	32	328	23	346	674

*Includes some coeducational teams.

**Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams.

¹ Number of schools offering coeducational programs adapted for participants with disabilities.

² Number of schools offering coeducational team tennis.

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SUMMARY
1994-95 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS SPORTS

SCHOOLS			PARTICIPANTS		
1.	Basketball	16,480	1.	Football	955,247
2.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,248	2.	Basketball	540,269
3.	Baseball	14,078	3.	Baseball	440,503
4.	Football	13,877	4.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	430,807
5.	Cross Country	11,196	5.	Soccer	272,810
6.	Golf	10,954	6.	Wrestling	216,453
7.	Tennis	9,058	7.	Cross Country	163,829
8.	Wrestling	8,559	8.	Golf	133,705
9.	Soccer	7,905	9.	Tennis	132,735
10.	Swimming & Diving	4,763	10.	Swimming & Diving	80,089

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS SPORTS

SCHOOLS			PARTICIPANTS		
1.	Basketball	16,029	1.	Basketball	426,947
2.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	13,940	2.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	360,223
3.	Volleyball	12,537	3.	Volleyball	340,176
4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	10,708	4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	278,395
5.	Cross Country	10,599	5.	Soccer	191,350
6.	Tennis	10,270	6.	Tennis	139,157
7.	Soccer	6,057	7.	Cross Country	133,551
8.	Golf	5,426	8.	Swimming & Diving	106,467
9.	Swimming & Diving	4,817	9.	Field Hockey	54,359
10.	Competitive Spirit Squads	1,804	10.	Softball (Slow Pitch)	35,691

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boy Participants	Year	Girl Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,472,967 ♦	1993-94	2,130,315 ♦
1994-95	3,536,359 ●	1994-95	2,240,461 ●

♦Total does not include 11,698 participants in coeducational sports.

●Total does not include 17,609 participants in coeducational sports.

1994-95 Summary of Athletics Participation Totals by State

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants
1	Texas	664,088
2	California	488,411
3	New York	301,702
4	Illinois	283,594
5	Ohio	282,778
6	Michigan	263,020
7	Pennsylvania	224,388
8	New Jersey	175,483
9	Wisconsin	163,358
10	Florida	159,850
11	Massachusetts	150,849
12	Indiana	149,743
13	Washington	147,979
14	Missouri	144,186
15	Iowa	131,731
16	Georgia	122,087
17	North Carolina	119,793
18	Virginia	112,786
19	Minnesota	107,997
20	Kansas	96,553
21	Oregon	92,141
22	Colorado	90,893
23	Louisiana	80,578
24	Nebraska	77,156
25	Maryland	76,890
26	Tennessee	76,637
27	Connecticut	75,544
28	Kentucky	74,570
29	Arizona	74,129
30	Alabama	72,608
31	Oklahoma	67,810
32	South Carolina	64,521
33	Mississippi	57,708
34	Arkansas	56,536
35	Maine	48,746
36	Utah	48,608
37	Idaho	40,649
38	New Mexico	36,178
39	West Virginia	36,438
40	New Hampshire	33,172
41	Montana	32,620
42	South Dakota	30,734
43	Nevada	27,521
44	North Dakota	26,900
45	Hawaii	21,428
46	Delaware	20,301
47	Rhode Island	18,970
48	Wyoming	17,818
49	Vermont	17,468
50	Alaska	11,398
51	District of Columbia	3,273
Total:		5,794,429
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Total Number of Participants reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports -- three times, etc.

State	BOYS PARTICIPATION				Competitive Spirit	
	Baseball		Basketball		Squads	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	363	8,378	396	11,411		
Alaska	11	269	89	1,636		
Arizona	172	6,379	178	6,727		
Arkansas	274	5,473	333	9,395		
California	945	36,433	981	35,881		
Colorado	233	7,018	276	8,237		**34
Connecticut	170	5,665	170	5,142		
Delaware	40	1,455	41	1,378	1	**1
District of Columbia	12	185	16	393		
Florida	436	12,294	453	12,923		
Georgia	335	11,276	344	11,029	28	77
Hawaii	51	1,648	55	1,573		
Idaho	78	2,355	131	4,667		
Illinois	645	24,529	720	25,494		
Indiana	385	12,103	395	13,267		
Iowa	398	11,295	401	16,750	*35	560
Kansas	150	4,866	363	11,113		
Kentucky	268	7,070	278	7,961	9	18
Louisiana	308	8,008	408	12,240		
Maine	126	3,471	136	4,133	13	30
Maryland	170	4,956	170	4,630		
Massachusetts	306	11,607	309	11,178		
Michigan	630	19,566	702	24,707		
Minnesota	380	8,669	427	9,277		
Mississippi	249	6,230	261	6,120		
Missouri	441	11,736	549	16,595		
Montana			181	4,896		
Nebraska	25	1,585	340	9,315		
Nevada	62	1,696	74	2,331		
New Hampshire	85	2,443	85	2,686	69	**12
New Jersey	389	12,904	383	11,205		
New Mexico	90	2,653	124	3,786	1	2
New York	696	21,253	726	21,135		
North Carolina	317	9,935	321	9,406	11	47
North Dakota	52	885	172	4,324		
Ohio	764	23,730	787	26,143		
Oklahoma	409	9,743	472	9,846	6	**38
Oregon	212	9,540	263	9,468		
Pennsylvania	590	18,880	626	18,780		
Rhode Island	44	1,121	43	1,046		
South Carolina	196	5,693	200	6,673		
South Dakota			186	4,708		
Tennessee	316	7,486	323	8,440		
Texas	977	39,720	1,158	66,038		
Utah	100	2,841	111	3,520		
Vermont	49	1,446	49	1,565	4	26
Virginia	278	8,023	282	8,514		
Washington	314	10,293	364	12,229		
West Virginia	132	3,037	141	4,006	11	**19
Wisconsin	405	12,662	418	14,415		
Wyoming			69	1,937		

*Includes some coeducational teams.

**Includes girls playing on boy's teams and boys playing on girls' teams.

State	Cross Country		Football 11-Man		Football 8-Man	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	55	488	374	21,590		
Alaska	67	530	13	923		
Arizona	130	1,730	146	13,212	25	705
Arkansas	84	766	198	13,711		
California	769	15,184	823	79,605	48	1,096
Colorado	160	1,985	202	13,399	34	778
Connecticut	156	2,329	118	7,337		
Delaware	33	579	38	2,490		
District of Columbia	11	46	12	765		
Florida	343	3,968	374	29,911		
Georgia	259	3,815	322	22,905		
Hawaii	54	337	47	3,685		
Idaho	79	975	121	7,735	24	714
Illinois	437	7,538	547	44,273		
Indiana	381	5,067	322	21,103		
Iowa	275	3,085	353	20,190		
Kansas	255	2,535	247	14,055	110	2,513
Kentucky	210	2,310	209	11,466		
Louisiana	306	3,366	293	16,107		
Maine	109	1,262	54	2,976		
Maryland	143	1,870	160	10,234		
Massachusetts	254	4,315	251	15,849		
Michigan	556	7,011	617	41,744		
Minnesota	285	2,589	330	14,877		
Mississippi	101	2,108	241	16,820	1	24
Missouri	240	4,124	312	20,869	18	438
Montana	65	766	90	5,342	67	1,025
Nebraska	156	1,560	184	12,865	121	3,101
Nevada	49	564	51	4,977	16	400
New Hampshire	66	803	36	2,247		
New Jersey	351	4,889	339	21,428		
New Mexico	77	1,121	91	5,277		
New York	512	6,670	532	33,721		
North Carolina	246	3,206	312	21,493		
North Dakota	41	413	62	3,297		
Ohio	663	8,057	703	43,736		
Oklahoma	118	1,242	259	9,068	51	632
Oregon	180	2,700	190	11,400	42	840
Pennsylvania	448	4,480	538	24,210		
Rhode Island	36	588	38	1,754		
South Carolina	111	1,683	197	15,769		
South Dakota	108	934	60	3,791		
Tennessee	177	2,479	287	15,732		
Texas	990	26,211	973	141,298		
Utah	92	1,599	86	7,631		
Vermont	30	336	16	939	2	73
Virginia	243	3,381	279	19,355		
Washington	262	4,823	286	20,727	30	632
West Virginia	67	669	128	6,588		
Wisconsin	325	4,311	389	28,347		
Wyoming	31	432	52	2,672		

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State	Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	115	1,008			11	407
Alaska						
Arizona	118	1,335				
Arkansas	161	1,334				
California	594	7,413	7	90	12	214
Colorado	127	1,487			55	1,284
Connecticut	145	1,712				
Delaware	30	322				
District of Columbia	5	16				
Florida	336	2,858				
Georgia	297	2,801				
Hawaii	52	369	1	2		
Idaho	66	906				
Illinois	456	7,962	64	1,502		
Indiana	360	4,352				
Iowa	*472	5,924				
Kansas	197	2,850	1	14		
Kentucky	236	2,082	1	14		
Louisiana	163	1,141	6	54		
Maine	87	883	4	17	42	969
Maryland	118	1,051	6	42		
Massachusetts	229	3,190	13	208	189	5,979
Michigan	510	7,185	7	49	98	1,900
Minnesota	342	3,314			194	3,737
Mississippi	123	1,204				
Missouri	256	3,668				
Montana	60	670				
Nebraska	194	3,021	10	32		
Nevada	48	640				
New Hampshire	43	544	3	14	21	561
New Jersey	167	3,150	17	121	56	1,549
New Mexico	53	685				
New York	486	5,816	23	268	91	2,141
North Carolina	273	2,937				
North Dakota	86	979			17	537
Ohio	660	8,328	10	107	40	850
Oklahoma	203	1,311				
Oregon	149	1,192				
Pennsylvania	442	4,420				
Rhode Island	34	364			28	653
South Carolina	152	1,583				
South Dakota	84	1,092				
Tennessee	235	2,330				
Texas	1,017	14,411				
Utah	*82	1,071				
Vermont	32	401	2	36	21	384
Virginia	242	2,483	16	175		
Washington	218	2,901				
West Virginia	87	849				
Wisconsin	283	5,580			57	1,289
Wyoming	29	580				

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State	Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing-Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama						
Alaska			8	114	27	285
Arizona						
Arkansas						
California					9	118
Colorado					7	50
Connecticut	30	1,313				
Delaware	18	581				
District of Columbia						
Florida						
Georgia			63	459		
Hawaii			14	134		
Idaho					7	112
Illinois						
Indiana						
Iowa						
Kansas						
Kentucky						
Louisiana						
Maine	17	545	4	34	34	378
Maryland	71	2,762				
Massachusetts	42	2,229			22	248
Michigan	19	380	1	24		
Minnesota					76	707
Mississippi						
Missouri						
Montana						
Nebraska						
Nevada			7	42		
New Hampshire	9	535			45	352
New Jersey	47	1,825				
New Mexico						
New York	193	9,710	28	407	92	1,394
North Carolina	2	75	13	128		
North Dakota						
Ohio	17	889	4	49	2	81
Oklahoma						
Oregon						
Pennsylvania			32	320		
Rhode Island						
South Carolina						
South Dakota						
Tennessee						
Texas						
Utah						
Vermont	9	432	1	4	25	197
Virginia	34	1,507	6	46		
Washington						
West Virginia						
Wisconsin						
Wyoming					7	94

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State	Skiing - Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			79	1,976	28	213
Alaska			11	358	16	249
Arizona			96	3,184	64	1,284
Arkansas					22	190
California	20	371	804	27,533	580	13,540
Colorado	12	212	125	4,287	92	1,634
Connecticut			165	**6,168	89	**1,361
Delaware			39	1,415	23	369
District of Columbia	7	50	8	151	6	71
Florida			349	10,250	270	3,593
Georgia			221	6,533	106	1,205
Hawaii			46	1,112	39	329
Idaho			21	496	6	119
Illinois			294	13,532	261	5,200
Indiana			190	5,754	198	4,117
Iowa			79	2,668	51	1,125
Kansas			58	2,596	35	718
Kentucky	1	12	138	3,768	92	868
Louisiana			93	1,395	63	945
Maine	44	565	123	4,244	40	520
Maryland			153	5,504	63	976
Massachusetts	51	881	299	10,832	101	1,668
Michigan	75	1,158	322	10,374	222	4,376
Minnesota	59	718	105	3,521	132	1,285
Mississippi			86	2,385	39	360
Missouri			147	5,632	74	1,637
Montana			10	243	18	155
Nebraska			47	1,732	39	537
Nevada	14	280	36	1,092	33	351
New Hampshire	45	510	82	2,933	14	128
New Jersey	17	236	338	13,608	172	2,222
New Mexico			48	1,628	30	416
New York			611	21,849	252	4,133
North Carolina	2	18	208	6,687	125	1,539
North Dakota			10	279	12	225
Ohio	2	49	428	14,063	252	3,006
Oklahoma			67	1,375	38	483
Oregon			130	3,900	107	1,605
Pennsylvania			448	15,680	240	4,320
Rhode Island			44	1,451	*28	349
South Carolina			105	3,140		
South Dakota						
Tennessee			148	4,186		
Texas			352	18,256	300	4,803
Utah			68	2,338	63	1,226
Vermont	26	329	49	1,901		
Virginia			193	5,842	65	1,187
Washington			222	7,169	116	2,953
West Virginia			51	1,243	19	158
Wisconsin			144	5,898	106	1,905
Wyoming	8	142	15	649	22	436

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State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	105	1,095	49	629	195	4,162
Alaska	4	78			31	675
Arizona	109	1,639			160	5,526
Arkansas	124	1,142			265	6,447
California	722	14,301			809	33,699
Colorado	101	2,024			257	6,455
Connecticut	142	**2,150	93	2,201	156	**5,073
Delaware	29	392	27	543	32	1,018
District of Columbia	10	51	10	124	14	192
Florida	333	3,248			383	10,419
Georgia	321	3,441			324	8,128
Hawaii	48	613			52	824
Idaho	42	788			126	3,438
Illinois	310	7,069			570	20,954
Indiana	303	4,900			383	11,113
Iowa	*194	2,240	92	2,475	378	8,726
Kansas	125	1,889			363	8,454
Kentucky	214	2,172			234	4,809
Louisiana	188	1,310	102	1,122	408	8,596
Maine	77	886	43	839	92	2,359
Maryland	158	1,791	120	2,516	158	4,315
Massachusetts	205	2,965	154	5,094	240	8,877
Michigan	344	7,034			640	19,684
Minnesota	179	2,519			400	6,230
Mississippi	140	1,294	23	324	235	4,685
Missouri	173	3,179			421	12,577
Montana	31	457			179	3,638
Nebraska	52	865			338	7,898
Nevada	32	362			69	2,132
New Hampshire	46	622	30	802	59	1,672
New Jersey	315	4,473	245	5,201	344	11,149
New Mexico	46	546			115	3,279
New York	489	7,804	256	6,598	564	16,654
North Carolina	265	3,257	112	1,519	297	9,382
North Dakota	17	268			122	2,394
Ohio	424	6,157	127	2,884	748	20,725
Oklahoma	101	869	30	340	317	3,600
Oregon	110	880			243	12,150
Pennsylvania	356	3,560	144	2,592	500	16,000
Rhode Island	40	719	27	748	33	1,222
South Carolina	111	1,317			183	5,400
South Dakota	20	322			179	3,592
Tennessee	214	1,965			192	4,180
Texas	888	14,656			1,151	60,690
Utah	75	1,032			104	3,972
Vermont	22	328	7	72	26	694
Virginia	224	2,595	156	3,874	272	7,798
Washington	221	4,659			329	9,869
West Virginia	81	746			107	2,293
Wisconsin	163	3,776			381	11,257
Wyoming	15	290	10	182	70	1,732

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State	Volleyball		Weight Lifting		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					45	1,092
Alaska	*31	120			64	829
Arizona	14	445			142	4,085
Arkansas						
California	391	9,789			604	20,105
Colorado					206	4,963
Connecticut					97	2,131
Delaware					40	1,122
District of Columbia					3	16
Florida	99	1,710	150	3,740	253	6,854
Georgia			33	1,974	198	5,197
Hawaii	49	794			46	1,161
Idaho					88	2,870
Illinois	88	2,984			389	13,373
Indiana					316	8,635
Iowa					293	7,062
Kansas		1	47	2,606	183	4,771
Kentucky					60	1,293
Louisiana					50	1,004
Maine	18	294	5	269	46	999
Maryland	31	390			151	3,780
Massachusetts	45	965			133	3,270
Michigan			40	951	433	10,561
Minnesota					331	3,634
Mississippi			96	1,098		
Missouri					180	6,739
Montana					75	1,448
Nebraska					218	4,312
Nevada	14	460			60	1,646
New Hampshire	4	61	3	54	23	495
New Jersey	41	422			312	7,065
New Mexico					48	1,405
New York	178	3,830			463	11,414
North Carolina	2	43	36	1,815	248	5,727
North Dakota					55	998
Ohio	77	1,701	43	2,042	567	13,599
Oklahoma					130	2,575
Oregon					176	4,400
Pennsylvania	142	2,556			470	9,400
Rhode Island	20	388			31	817
South Carolina					87	2,507
South Dakota					92	1,589
Tennessee					105	2,959
Texas						
Utah					94	3,519
Vermont	1	30			19	273
Virginia	31	537			218	6,045
Washington					254	8,838
West Virginia			11	423	75	1,444
Wisconsin	30	1,196			336	7,189
Wyoming					52	1,243

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BOYS PARTICIPATION

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Kentucky	1	6
	North Carolina	5	26
	Ohio	2	65
BADMINTON	California	*163	2,816
	Kentucky	1	10
	Maryland	9	72
	New York	9	115
	Ohio	1	47
BOWLING	Florida	45	614
	Hawaii	40	432
	Iowa	36	448
	Michigan	15	291
	Nevada	14	184
	New Jersey	197	1,868
	New York	261	2,864
	North Carolina	5	47
	Ohio	26	320
	Pennsylvania	54	540
	South Carolina	7	59
CANOEING	Hawaii	8	189
	North Carolina	1	3
	Ohio	1	46
CREW	Delaware	1	46
	District of Columbia	1	26
	Maine	1	14
	New Hampshire	1	18
	Ohio	10	286
	Virginia	16	559
	West Virginia	1	22
DECATHLON	Alabama	37	96
	Maine	2	16
	New Hampshire	10	34
	Vermont	3	9
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	22	89
FENCING	New Hampshire	1	3
	New Jersey	19	465
	New York	15	242
	North Carolina	2	20
	Ohio	5	351
	Vermont	1	5

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BOYS PARTICIPATION

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
FIELD HOCKEY	Maine	4	33
FOOTBALL	California	2	134
(9-man)	Minnesota	53	1,961
	North Dakota	64	1,586
	South Dakota	114	2,384
	Vermont	1	33
	Wyoming	8	160
FOOTBALL	California	2	33
(6-MAN)	Colorado	18	420
	Montana	6	72
	Nebraska	23	334
	New Mexico	12	198
	Texas	83	3,466
GOALBALL	West Virginia	1	1
HEPTATHLON	New Hampshire	1	1
JUDO	Hawaii	10	142
ROWING	Maine	1	10
SAILING	Maine	1	7
SAND GOLF	Kansas	26	272
SKI JUMPING	New Hampshire	2	14
SOFTBALL	California	1	12
(Fast Pitch)	Maine	4	45
	Missouri	20	250
	Ohio	24	575
SOFTBALL	Ohio	2	43
(Slow Pitch)			
SQUASH	Delaware	1	24
WATER POLO	California	337	9,185
	Florida	25	393
	Hawaii	4	107
	Missouri	19	511
	Nevada	7	42
	Ohio	8	181
	Pennsylvania	12	180

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	310	4,644			50	460
Alaska	86	1,223			64	437
Arizona	175	5,301			120	1,332
Arkansas	331	7,401			82	513
California	940	26,002			748	11,334
Colorado	274	7,021	103	1,412	154	1,741
Connecticut	168	3,821			147	1,716
Delaware	41	1,017	3	171	33	426
District of Columbia	14	187	9	131	10	74
Florida	426	8,728			326	3,660
Georgia	335	8,951	210	3,546	234	2,694
Hawaii	55	1,382	63	751	54	346
Idaho	131	3,967			74	800
Illinois	638	17,474			421	6,363
Indiana	394	11,881			357	3,732
Iowa	401	10,755			266	2,217
Kansas	361	8,468			221	1,773
Kentucky	274	5,426	253	4,961	205	1,812
Louisiana	376	9,400			204	1,224
Maine	131	3,347	71	956	105	839
Maryland	169	3,963	33	860	138	1,455
Massachusetts	303	9,719			225	3,216
Michigan	696	19,463	203	2,154	534	5,446
Minnesota	420	6,968			282	1,809
Mississippi	261	4,650			42	840
Missouri	524	12,222	160	1,600	234	3,109
Montana	181	4,056			76	685
Nebraska	338	7,771			154	1,210
Nevada	69	1,978			46	453
New Hampshire	85	2,365	69	1,199	63	633
New Jersey	369	8,177			328	3,399
New Mexico	127	3,199	76	1,553	70	756
New York	696	16,154			461	4,689
North Carolina	321	7,193	31	600	228	2,403
North Dakota	166	3,616			43	316
Ohio	775	18,588			635	5,806
Oklahoma	472	9,702	138	2,071	94	947
Oregon	260	6,760			180	2,700
Pennsylvania	620	18,600			434	4,340
Rhode Island	45	921			36	578
South Carolina	200	5,112			100	1,030
South Dakota	186	3,858			98	579
Tennessee	319	5,970			172	1,858
Texas	1,154	62,273			1,028	30,156
Utah	106	2,767	85	1,727	90	1,111
Vermont	47	1,254	13	176	30	245
Virginia	280	6,079			226	2,319
Washington	357	10,476	142	3,426	259	3,676
West Virginia	138	2,660	142	2,796	60	454
Wisconsin	415	12,308			329	3,561
Wyoming	69	1,729			29	279

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State	Field Hockey		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			21	44	10	157
Alaska					7	144
Arizona			40	355		
Arkansas			103	206	34	361
California	61	2,090	*229	487	60	1,464
Colorado			56	379	68	761
Connecticut	72	2,727	42	128	57	552
Delaware	38	1,374	14	25		
District of Columbia			1	2		
Florida			186	1,280		
Georgia			121	228	28	321
Hawaii			21	47	3	26
Idaho			55	313	8	82
Illinois			247	1,109	110	2,101
Indiana			194	1,724	93	1,184
Iowa			*460	3,957		
Kansas			64	**630	18	241
Kentucky	14	567	168	697	1	24
Louisiana			22	44	18	216
Maine	71	2,730	38	75	12	129
Maryland	110	3,421	82	85	13	198
Massachusetts	184	7,771	55	267	82	1,220
Michigan	11	220	171	2,343	76	1,213
Minnesota			332	2,095	170	1,268
Mississippi			8	65		
Missouri	19	765	72	737	2	35
Montana			60	478		
Nebraska			77	723	18	195
Nevada			43	351		
New Hampshire	51	1,807	13	59	9	93
New Jersey	196	8,549	13	255	80	1,007
New Mexico			47	397		
New York	223	8,004	75	347	117	1,414
North Carolina			53	136	8	85
North Dakota			63	499	14	89
Ohio	31	1,146	155	619	111	978
Oklahoma			128	542		
Oregon			119	952		
Pennsylvania	246	8,610	206	2,060	18	180
Rhode Island	20	658			16	141
South Carolina	1	50	9	78		
South Dakota			72	645	39	391
Tennessee			173	658		
Texas			969	9,879		
Utah			20	31		
Vermont	25	954	16	79	5	62
Virginia	84	2,916			77	845
Washington			193	1,569	70	1,435
West Virginia			22	32		
Wisconsin			72	801	99	1,508
Wyoming			26	192	10	157

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State	Skiing-Cross Country		Skiing - Alpine		Soccer	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					49	1,226
Alaska	23	237			11	308
Arizona					44	1,477
Arkansas						
California	7	91	16	203	683	20,349
Colorado	8	39	13	120	118	3,756
Connecticut					126	**4,147
Delaware					29	673
District of Columbia			7	72	1	20
Florida					286	7,960
Georgia					185	4,375
Hawaii					47	1,106
Idaho	9	90			15	326
Illinois					190	8,490
Indiana					118	3,037
Iowa					55	1,168
Kansas					35	1,606
Kentucky			1	10	68	1,981
Louisiana					38	570
Maine	34	359	39	297	115	3,485
Maryland					122	3,690
Massachusetts	18	198	47	745	254	8,192
Michigan			76	926	214	7,684
Minnesota	83	990	54	447	90	2,561
Mississippi					29	660
Missouri					101	3,466
Montana					10	183
Nebraska					48	1,451
Nevada			14	273	28	903
New Hampshire	44	256	44	339	49	1,996
New Jersey			9	120	276	8,871
New Mexico					42	1,107
New York	91	1,114			585	19,664
North Carolina			1	6	150	3,756
North Dakota					10	323
Ohio	2	57	2	42	257	8,208
Oklahoma					60	1,204
Oregon					107	3,210
Pennsylvania					280	9,800
Rhode Island					37	1,115
South Carolina					55	1,325
South Dakota						
Tennessee					108	2,686
Texas					300	14,495
Utah					65	2,083
Vermont	21	173	24	250	49	1,750
Virginia					141	3,368
Washington					206	6,190
West Virginia					41	311
Wisconsin					116	4,455
Wyoming	7	97	7	63	14	583

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State	Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	41	656	311	5,241	30	258
Alaska	12	314			16	338
Arizona	163	5,114			62	1,731
Arkansas					21	206
California	924	26,346			601	19,786
Colorado	93	2,591			104	3,326
Connecticut	169	4,620			70	**1,795
Delaware	36	1,122			23	635
District of Columbia	15	196			6	47
Florida	407	8,959			271	5,039
Georgia	53	1,140	283	6,734	106	1,760
Hawaii	46	741			42	433
Idaho	38	985	34	978		
Illinois	603	18,192			273	6,104
Indiana	312	7,957			207	4,195
Iowa	386	8,810			60	1,255
Kansas	135	3,659			47	1,052
Kentucky	231	4,851	95	1,995	92	958
Louisiana	352	5,280			36	360
Maine	123	3,165			42	719
Maryland	161	4,032			57	1,251
Massachusetts	293	6,468			110	2,745
Michigan	621	16,187			190	5,444
Minnesota	348	6,683			161	2,101
Mississippi	18	563	140	2,710	39	372
Missouri	374	7,919			83	2,203
Montana	28	617			19	336
Nebraska	31	796			39	825
Nevada	57	1,452			33	717
New Hampshire	85	2,365			19	258
New Jersey	363	11,187			169	3,427
New Mexico	44	1,118			25	511
New York	698	17,985			257	5,436
North Carolina	28	350	318	7,584	117	1,970
North Dakota					12	275
Ohio	644	15,889	76	2,383	269	4,378
Oklahoma	220	3,594	217	3,271	38	483
Oregon	181	5,430			110	1,650
Pennsylvania	566	18,112			248	4,464
Rhode Island	20	470	28	581		
South Carolina	187	3,864				
South Dakota						
Tennessee	294	5,456				
Texas	541	20,719			298	7,096
Utah	79	1,919			62	1,290
Vermont	48	1,399				
Virginia	255	5,775			70	1,831
Washington	144	5,097	159	4,214	124	3,331
West Virginia	103	2,302			19	197
Wisconsin	368	10,780			116	3,284
Wyoming					24	595

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State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	95	969	46	469	170	2,569
Alaska	4	73			33	599
Arizona	108	1,898			157	4,374
Arkansas	123	1,227			269	4,852
California	720	14,762			803	25,536
Colorado	109	2,419			260	5,590
Connecticut	120	**2,099	91	**2,066	153	4,965
Delaware	28	473	29	517	34	836
District of Columbia	10	57	12	106	14	141
Florida	327	3,295			369	8,118
Georgia	322	4,026			318	7,221
Hawaii	50	649			51	716
Idaho	41	815			124	2,668
Illinois	305	7,031			576	17,105
Indiana	305	5,455			214	9,556
Iowa	*192	1,929	87	1,977	379	7,425
Kansas	1,282	**2,167			361	6,491
Kentucky	209	2,036			231	3,769
Louisiana	149	1,043	82	820	367	4,037
Maine	77	1,109	44	709	90	2,085
Maryland	155	1,826	117	2,035	156	3,364
Massachusetts	210	3,508	141	4,400	240	8,800
Michigan	315	7,481			639	16,917
Minnesota	179	3,162			403	5,787
Mississippi	159	1,010	15	178	235	3,520
Missouri	151	2,846			419	10,521
Montana	58	927			179	3,028
Nebraska	53	1,081			338	6,388
Nevada	32	404			66	1,637
New Hampshire	45	607	29	765	59	1,657
New Jersey	312	5,109	238	4,923	332	10,507
New Mexico	40	607			112	2,604
New York	427	7,480	258	6,140	552	15,013
North Carolina	253	3,132	96	1,101	284	7,311
North Dakota	17	406			142	2,061
Ohio	373	6,033	124	2,200	753	18,440
Oklahoma	105	927	20	184	290	3,033
Oregon	118	944			244	7,320
Pennsylvania	352	3,520	138	2,484	492	15,744
Rhode Island	38	708	34	735	33	935
South Carolina	103	1,451			179	4,683
South Dakota	21	277			185	2,907
Tennessee	219	2,180			201	4,284
Texas	1,151	15,586			1,151	53,884
Utah	73	945			104	3,296
Vermont	28	387	7	99	28	723
Virginia	224	2,769	146	3,142	271	6,253
Washington	230	5,051			328	8,073
West Virginia	80	892			106	2,302
Wisconsin	160	4,127			377	9,206
Wyoming	13	242	9	154	69	1,372

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Volleyball

State	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	240	3,719
Alaska	*71	1,160
Arizona	178	5,629
Arkansas	71	2,311
California	935	26,873
Colorado	277	8,396
Connecticut	125	2,995
Delaware	29	818
District of Columbia	14	133
Florida	421	9,155
Georgia	71	1,642
Hawaii	52	1,092
Idaho	134	4,291
Illinois	692	21,417
Indiana	397	10,611
Iowa	403	9,268
Kansas	355	10,268
Kentucky	82	1,600
Louisiana	164	2,296
Maine	25	423
Maryland	159	3,665
Massachusetts	132	3,380
Michigan	673	19,547
Minnesota	420	9,551
Mississippi	41	488
Missouri	400	10,789
Montana	161	3,598
Nebraska	340	9,559
Nevada	69	1,960
New Hampshire	44	964
New Jersey	133	2,512
New Mexico	121	3,328
New York	583	13,862
North Carolina	307	6,401
North Dakota	115	3,130
Ohio	771	18,474
Oklahoma	52	730
Oregon	255	5,100
Pennsylvania	434	7,812
Rhode Island	41	908
South Carolina	167	3,063
South Dakota	136	3,665
Tennessee	208	3,788
Texas	799	43,563
Utah	108	2,680
Vermont	1	20
Virginia	213	4,003
Washington	348	10,348
West Virginia	88	1,782
Wisconsin	415	15,503
Wyoming	67	1,906

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
ARCHERY	Arizona	6	57
	Kentucky	1	6
BADMINTON	Arizona	35	610
	California	*179	3,800
	Illinois	69	2,050
	Kentucky	1	8
	Maryland	25	274
	New York	43	810
	Ohio	1	40
BASEBALL	California	*15	37
	Colorado	45	**82
	Connecticut	1	**1
	Georgia	12	**64
	Kansas		**16
	Kentucky	3	**3
	Maine	5	**8
	Minnesota		**43
	New Hampshire		**1
	New Jersey		**4
	North Carolina		**3
	Ohio		**46
	West Virginia	1	**1
BOWLING	Florida	59	605
	Hawaii	38	418
	Idaho	4	50
	Illinois	129	1,748
	Iowa	34	422
	Michigan	9	181
	Nevada	14	144
	New Jersey	178	1,194
	New York	177	1,670
	North Carolina	5	41
	Ohio	14	78
	Pennsylvania	56	560
	South Carolina	6	41
CANOEING	Hawaii	11	199
	Maine	1	14
CREW	Delaware	1	48
	District of Columbia	1	21
	Maine	1	2
	New Hampshire	1	12
	Ohio	7	119
	Virginia	16	621
	West Virginia	1	35
DECATHLON	Maine	2	6

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
	New Hampshire	2	5
	Ohio	1	8
	Vermont	1	1
EQUESTRIAN	Michigan	28	296
	New Hampshire	1	2
FENCING	New Jersey	21	399
	New York	10	113
	North Carolina	2	7
	Vermont	1	4
FOOTBALL (11-man)	California	*43	71
	Colorado	6	**20
	Connecticut	5	**5
	Georgia	11	**28
	Idaho	7	**9
	Kansas		**10
	Kentucky	2	**3
	Maine	5	**11
	Minnesota		**77
	Missouri		**10
	New Hampshire		**18
	New Jersey		**5
	New Mexico	2	**2
	North Carolina		**1
	Ohio		**15
	Utah	1	**1
	West Virginia	2	**3
FOOTBALL (8-man)	Kansas		**16
FOOTBALL (6-man)	California	*1	16
	Colorado	1	**1
GOAL BALL	West Virginia	1	6
HEPTATHLON	Alabama	29	56
	New Hampshire	4	10
	Vermont	1	4
ICE HOCKEY	Alaska	7	**13
	Colorado	4	**6
	Connecticut	8	**11
	Maine	18	**36
	Massachusetts	7	**14
	Michigan	3	**3
	Minnesota	35	454
	New Hampshire	8	**49
	New Jersey		**27

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
	Ohio		**4
	Vermont	6	**33
JUDO	Hawaii	5	23
LACROSSE	Delaware	15	408
	Maine	15	349
	Maryland	56	1,878
	Massachusetts	18	951
	Michigan	7	140
	New Hampshire	6	131
	New Jersey	39	1,917
	New York	85	3,789
	Ohio	10	460
	Pennsylvania	56	1,792
	Vermont	12	315
	Virginia	24	953
PENTATHLON	New Hampshire	1	8
RIFLERY	Alaska	6	35
	Georgia	45	117
	Hawaii	8	34
	Maine	3	9
	Michigan	1	12
	Nevada	7	15
	North Carolina	6	21
	Ohio	4	20
	Pennsylvania	30	300
ROWING	Maine	1	4
SAILING	Maine	1	13
SAND GOLF	Kansas		**52
SKI JUMPING	New Hampshire	1	2
SQUASH	Delaware	1	20
SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING	Minnesota	18	249
WATER POLO	California	224	1,601
	Florida	23	276
	Hawaii	3	14
	Nevada	7	27
	Ohio	6	121
	Pennsylvania	6	90
WEIGHTLIFTING	Georgia	13	322

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

SPORT	State	Schools	Participants
	Kansas	44	825
	Maine	4	59
	Michigan	13	259
	New Hampshire	2	17
	North Carolina	16	340
	Ohio	13	413
	West Virginia	7	161
WRESTLING	Alaska	20	**38
	California	*112	225
	Colorado	21	**36
	Connecticut	17	**3
	Delaware	1	**3
	Georgia	21	**78
	Kansas		**26
	Maine	3	**10
	Maryland	4	**4
	Michigan	20	**20
	Minnesota		**3
	Missouri		**9
	Nevada		**8
	New Hampshire	7	**13
	New Jersey		**114
	North Carolina	13	**42
	Ohio		**101
	Utah	4	**9
	Vermont	4	**27
	West Virginia	2	**4

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Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS ¹					
Bowling (1/1)	9	62	9	51	113
Floor Hockey (1/1)	43		43		318
Soccer (2/2)	43	55	43	46	414
Softball (2/2)	44	49	44	32	372
ARCHERY (1/1)	16	107	5	10	117
BADMINTON (4/6)	*197	3,313	*364	8,058	11,371
BASEBALL (48/14)	14,174	444,476	75	**1,340	445,816
BASKETBALL (51/51)	16,574	545,596	16,198	445,869	991,465
BOWLING (12/13)	709	8,100	715	7,322	15,422
CANOEING (2/2)	9	191	12	271	462
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS (10/18)	*246	**521	1,913	32,758	33,279
CREW (8/8)	42	1,037	36	966	2,003
CROSS COUNTRY (51/51)	11,360	168,203	10,774	140,187	308,390
DECATHLON (4/2)	36	128	4	12	140
EQUESTRIAN (1/1)	23	78	33	344	422
FENCING (3/3)	38	692	34	527	1,219
FIELD HOCKEY (0/17)			1,460	56,142	56,142
FOOTBALL (11 players) (51/19)	13,004	957,573	79	**791	958,364
(9 players) (6/0)	223	6,179			6,179
(8 players) (14/1)	599	13,369	2	**15	13,384
(6 players) (6/0)	138	4,359	2	**13	4,372
GOLF (50/48)	11,394	140,011	5,469	**39,634	179,645
GYMNASTICS (15/35)	177	2,635	*1,522	19,398	22,033
HEPTATHLON (0/2)			16	63	63
ICE HOCKEY (16/11)	* 985	**24,281	165	** 1,471	25,752
JUDO (1/1)	10	142	5	23	165
LACROSSE (14/13)	539	24,114	375	**14,704	38,818
PENTATHLON (1/2)	1	15	2	4	19
RIFLERY (11/7)	194	1,882	125	622	2,504
SKIING (Cross Country) (12/12)	361	4,153	354	4,036	8,189
(Alpine) (14/15)	365	5,809	347	4,509	10,318
SOCCER (49/48)	*8,182	**283,728	6,526	**209,287	493,015
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch) (5/45)	83	1,932	11,452	305,217	307,149
(Slow Pitch) (2/14)	8	161	1,523	34,195	34,356
SWIMMING & DIVING (47/46)	* 4,852	** 81,000	4,948	**111,360	192,360
TEAM TENNIS ² (1/1)	381		381		16,979
TENNIS (51/51)	9,214	**136,534	9,165	146,573	283,107
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor) (21/21)	1,861	41,950	1,770	37,385	79,335
(Outdoor) (51/51)	14,505	454,645	14,410	379,060	833,705
VOLLEYBALL (19/50)	*1,381	**31,553	*12,669	357,576	389,129
WATER POLO (7/6)	430	10,238	173	**4,564	14,802
WEIGHT LIFTING (10/9)	449	13,615	112	2,169	15,784
WRESTLING (49/18)	8,677	**221,162	225	**1,164	222,326
OTHER	67	404	63	168	572

*includes some coeducational teams

** Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

1 Number of schools offering coeducational programs adapted for participants with disabilities.

2 Number of schools offering coeducational team tennis.

**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS SUMMARY
1995-96 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY**

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

SCHOOLS		PARTICIPANTS	
1. Basketball	16,574	1. Football	957,573
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,505	2. Basketball	545,596
3. Baseball	14,174	3. Track & Field (Outdoor)	454,645
4. Football	13,004	4. Baseball	444,476
5. Golf	11,394	5. Soccer	283,728
6. Cross Country	11,360	6. Wrestling	221,162
7. Tennis	9,214	7. Cross Country	168,203
8. Wrestling	8,677	8. Golf	140,011
9. Soccer	8,182	9. Tennis	136,534
10. Swimming & Diving	4,852	10. Swimming & Diving	81,000

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

SCHOOLS		PARTICIPANTS	
1. Basketball	16,198	1. Basketball	445,869
2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	14,410	2. Track & Field (Outdoor)	379,060
3. Volleyball	12,669	3. Volleyball	357,576
4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	11,452	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	305,217
5. Cross Country	10,774	5. Soccer	209,287
6. Tennis	9,165	6. Tennis	146,573
7. Soccer	6,526	7. Cross Country	140,187
8. Golf	5,469	8. Swimming & Diving	111,360
9. Swimming & Diving	4,948	9. Field Hockey	56,142
10. Competitive Spirit Squads	1,913	10. Golf	39,634

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,472,967	1993-94	2,130,315
1994-95	3,536,359	1994-95	2,240,461
1995-96	•3,634,052	1995-96	•2,367,936

• Total does not include a portion total of 17,901 participants in coeducational sports.

**1995-96 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION
TOTALS BY STATE**

Rank State	Total Number of Participants ³	Rank State	Total Number of Participants ³
1. Texas	706,847	27. Alabama	78,609
2. California	514,139	28. Connecticut	77,256
3. New York	301,702	29. Arizona	76,536
4. Illinois	296,840	30. Kentucky	74,148
5. Ohio	277,993	31. Oklahoma	71,070
6. Michigan	270,420	32. South Carolina	67,353
7. Pennsylvania	226,361	33. Mississippi	65,033
8. New Jersey	198,065	34. Arkansas	60,634
9. Wisconsin	164,090	35. Maine	49,485
10. Massachusetts	162,909	36. Utah	47,169
11. Florida	160,585	37. Idaho	39,959
12. Indiana	152,776	38. New Mexico	37,571
13. Missouri	148,128	39. West Virginia	36,832
14. Iowa	145,428	40. Montana	34,880
15. Washington	138,902	41. New Hampshire	33,072
16. Minnesota	131,673	42. South Dakota	29,713
17. North Carolina	122,940	43. Nevada	28,924
18. Georgia	122,087	44. North Dakota	27,547
19. Virginia	115,529	45. Hawaii	21,428
20. Oregon	99,597	46. Delaware	20,256
21. Kansas	96,696	47. Rhode Island	19,666
22. Colorado	92,156	48. Wyoming	18,314
23. Maryland	82,334	49. Vermont	17,468
24. Louisiana	80,578	50. Alaska	15,835
25. Tennessee	80,253	51. District of Columbia	3,143
26. Nebraska	78,960	TOTAL	6,019,889

Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports – three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Spirit Squads		Competitive Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	367	8,470	396	11,411			51	647
Alaska	18	482	100	1,959			74	731
Arizona	174	6,295	182	6,960			136	1,818
Arkansas	274	5,927	333	9,843			84	746
California	980	36,727	1,035	36,897			818	15,914
Colorado	238	7,316	273	8,349	27	63	156	2,014
Connecticut	169	5,419	170	5,099			159	2,443
Delaware	40	1,435	41	1,391			33	572
Dist. of Columbia	13	200	16	281			11	55
Florida	437	12,020	465	12,709			355	4,201
Georgia	335	11,276	334	11,029	28	77	259	3,815
Hawaii	51	1,648	55	1,573			54	337
Idaho	100	2,196	162	4,757	6	84	85	1,029
Illinois	645	23,262	712	27,018			427	6,990
Indiana	373	12,106	382	13,206			370	5,236
Iowa	395	12,217	400	14,290	6	14	289	3,658
Kansas	158	4,913	365	11,025			230	2,688
Kentucky	268	7,070	275	7,876			209	2,299
Louisiana	308	8,008	408	12,240			306	3,366
Maine	130	3,513	138	4,386	24	74	110	1,187
Maryland	171	5,179	171	4,824			144	1,992
Massachusetts	305	11,762	310	11,634			256	4,286
Michigan	635	19,571	707	24,422			563	7,269
Minnesota	395	9,715	432	10,433			284	3,925
Mississippi	250	6,450	261	6,330	5	50	108	2,308
Missouri	450	11,736	552	16,595			240	4,124
Montana			182	4,913			62	762
Nebraska	27	1,630	337	9,516			165	1,724
Nevada	62	2,009	73	2,226			53	599
New Hampshire	85	2,504	85	2,692	120	41	67	791
New Jersey	378	14,636	381	12,892			351	5,348
New Mexico	80	3,473	126	3,845			81	1,128
New York	696	21,253	726	21,135			512	6,670
North Carolina	316	9,951	320	9,392	7	19	251	3,471
North Dakota	45	951	169	4,403			42	433
Ohio	751	23,576	782	25,640			632	7,694
Oklahoma	407	9,700	471	9,805	6	38	171	1,242
Oregon	222	9,990	276	9,936			196	2,940
Pennsylvania	595	19,040	630	18,900			455	4,550
Rhode Island	44	1,304	43	1,087			38	545
South Carolina	194	5,653	200	6,686			119	1,783
South Dakota			175	4,447			98	804
Tennessee	319	7,558	327	8,544		**16	187	2,619
Texas	988	38,168	1,164	66,846			1,011	26,393
Utah	102	2,913	111	3,452			92	1,647
Vermont	49	1,446	49	1,565	4	26	30	336
Virginia	280	8,175	282	8,678			240	3,347
Washington	316	10,023	364	11,815			266	4,219
West Virginia	133	3,338	139	4,193	13	19	67	698
Wisconsin	406	12,272	418	14,455			328	4,330
Wyoming			69	1,996			35	480

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State	Football 11-Man		Football 8-Man		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	369	21,301			205	1,796		
Alaska	18	1,309						
Arizona	151	13,746	23	565	122	1,418		
Arkansas	198	14,684			161	1,343		
California	850	82,053	47	977	651	8,562	12	58
Colorado	196	13,270	34	738	128	1,558		
Connecticut	118	7,507			148	1,784		
Delaware	38	2,494			30	311		
Dist. of Columbia	12	685			4	16		
Florida	376	30,576			349	2,970		
Georgia	322	22,905			297	2,801		
Hawaii	47	3,685			52	369	1	2
Idaho	115	6,995	31	736	78	916		
Illinois	542	47,106			452	7,767	58	1,486
Indiana	308	21,294			360	4,416		
Iowa	353	20,334	1	15	351	6,713		
Kansas	246	13,944	106	2,667	230	3,176	1	11
Kentucky	211	11,575			239	2,108	1	14
Louisiana	293	16,107			163	1,141	6	54
Maine	57	3,184			93	982	1	3
Maryland	162	11,026			123	1,103	6	40
Massachusetts	264	16,915			237	3,414	12	171
Michigan	617	41,393			523	7,380	5	60
Minnesota	367	16,485			341	3,406		
Mississippi	241	18,926	1	28	125	1,264		
Missouri	313	20,483	18	460	269	3,903		
Montana	88	5,167	69	1,480	65	923		
Nebraska	187	13,256	120	3,065	196	3,177	9	13
Nevada	52	4,545	15	390	49	750		
New Hampshire	37	2,335			45	551		23
New Jersey	346	23,500			270	3,613	13	129
New Mexico	99	5,275			56	756		
New York	532	33,721			486	5,816	23	268
North Carolina	311	20,737			275	2,838		
North Dakota	61	3,194			85	1,019		
Ohio	686	42,914			663	8,341	10	101
Oklahoma	261	9,028	58	650	233	1,105		
Oregon	198	11,880	48	960	160	1,280		
Pennsylvania	540	24,300			452	4,520		
Rhode Island	39	1,730			36	413		
South Carolina	197	16,115			150	1,643		
South Dakota	64	3,965			84	1,041		
Tennessee	291	16,005			240	2,360		
Texas	976	154,288			1,120	14,630		
Utah	86	7,914			85	1,105		
Vermont	16	939	2	73	32	401	2	36
Virginia	279	19,443			238	2,468	17	166
Washington	295	19,416	26	565	236	3,033		
West Virginia	131	6,902			87	903		
Wisconsin	390	28,271			287	6,046		
Wyoming	58	2,751			33	662		

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State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	20	601			12	158	28	354
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California							9	112
Colorado	14	226					7	44
Connecticut	57	1,282	32	1,343				
Delaware			19	628				
Dist. of Columbia								
Florida			8	254				
Georgia					63	459		
Hawaii					14	134		
Idaho							4	84
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa	4	48			1	9		
Kansas								
Kentucky								
Louisiana								
Maine	44	967	18	577	5	43	36	353
Maryland			74	2,882				
Massachusetts	209	6,476	48	2,424			24	318
Michigan	98	2,178	20	350	1	39		
Minnesota	196	4,030					79	869
Mississippi								
Missouri								
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					7	45		
New Hampshire	22	586	14	706			49	271
New Jersey	62	1,765	49	2,312				
New Mexico								
New York	91	2,141	193	9,710	28	407	92	1,394
North Carolina			2	66	28	236		
North Dakota	17	559						
Ohio	41	961	20	938	2	28	1	60
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					32	320		
Rhode Island	*28	634						
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	21	384	9	432	1	4	25	197
Virginia			33	1,492				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	61	1,443						
Wyoming							7	97

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State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			82	2,051	26	198	135	1,407
Alaska			17	613	22	339	7	112
Arizona			103	3,247	67	1,119	110	1,694
Arkansas					22	157	124	1,095
California	28	441	879	30,727	599	12,667	741	14,046
Colorado	13	159	122	4,425	97	1,607	106	2,097
Connecticut			166	**6,199	88	**1,318	143	**2,169
Delaware			38	1,504	20	380	29	416
Dist. of Columbia	7	50	*6	128	7	82	11	47
Florida			365	10,077	273	3,413	340	3,023
Georgia			221	6,533	106	1,205	321	3,441
Hawaii			46	1,112	39	329	48	613
Idaho			17	468	6	106	50	760
Illinois			305	14,537	249	5,538	306	7,509
Indiana			195	6,176	196	4,240	298	4,953
Iowa	1	39	87	3,105	52	1,026	118	2,189
Kansas			60	2,480	44	710	115	1,870
Kentucky	1	12	143	3,904	96	905	211	2,142
Louisiana			93	1,395	63	945	188	1,310
Maine	44	527	129	4,272	37	434	83	1,187
Maryland			152	5,445	59	923	157	2,545
Massachusetts	63	1,078	287	11,275	119	1,705	209	3,073
Michigan	78	1,196	338	10,930	228	6,181	351	7,154
Minnesota	62	816	109	3,924	138	2,125	181	3,080
Mississippi			88	2,455	42	420	143	1,380
Missouri			153	6,048	77	1,666	173	3,207
Montana			14	350	19	148	32	590
Nebraska			46	1,755	33	503	52	834
Nevada	14	300	37	1,423	32	411	32	287
New Hampshire		489	82	2,909			48	643
New Jersey	17	231	356	14,592	173	2,529	318	5,341
New Mexico			51	1,715	26	339	44	524
New York			611	21,849	252	4,133	489	7,804
North Carolina			218	6,673	133	1,547	264	3,094
North Dakota			12	482	12	300	17	241
Ohio	2	34	431	13,182	247	2,727	400	6,131
Oklahoma			80	1,535	40	492	104	889
Oregon			139	4,170	112	1,680	119	952
Pennsylvania			465	16,275	242	4,356	356	3,560
Rhode Island			43	1,374	*20	155	39	717
South Carolina			114	3,423	17	136	115	1,383
South Dakota							20	331
Tennessee			149	4,214			224	2,057
Texas			362	18,666	308	4,548	1,046	15,729
Utah			69	2,354	62	1,223	73	1,082
Vermont	26	329	49	1,901			22	328
Virginia			197	6,134	79	1,366	221	2,686
Washington			234	7,561	120	2,278	224	4,148
West Virginia			51	1,322	21	155	79	833
Wisconsin			157	6,216	109	1,769	164	3,591
Wyoming	9	108	14	623	23	467	14	240

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State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	42	539	272	5,805				
Alaska			38	817	5	185		
Arizona			161	5,685	*25	434		
Arkansas			265	6,422				
California			838	34,145	456	10,687		
Colorado			263	6,613				
Connecticut	101	2,485	154	5,158				
Delaware	25	475	32	984				
Dist. of Columbia	10	130	14	200				
Florida			386	9,488	84	1,397	159	3,561
Georgia			324	8,128			33	1,974
Hawaii			52	824	49	794		
Idaho			139	3,385				
Illinois			567	21,733	93	3,153		
Indiana			370	11,361				
Iowa	62	1,826	379	10,830			10	586
Kansas			363	8,473		**1	46	2,224
Kentucky			236	4,850				
Louisiana	102	1,122	408	8,596				
Maine	37	294	96	2,648	20	330	2	25
Maryland	116	2,855	156	4,768				
Massachusetts	170	5,293	244	8,734	53	1,121		
Michigan			647	20,129	21	1,469	35	742
Minnesota			404	8,436				
Mississippi	30	426	236	4,710			99	1,184
Missouri			423	11,961	33	746		
Montana			182	3,575				
Nebraska			338	8,086				
Nevada			70	2,480	16	672		
New Hampshire	38	729	63	1,604				
New Jersey	253	6,229	346	12,808	46	922		
New Mexico			114	3,410				
New York	256	6,598	564	16,654	178	3,830		
North Carolina	119	1,895	299	9,350	5	55	31	1,891
North Dakota			127	2,382				
Ohio	137	3,440	732	20,331	53	1,120	32	1,398
Oklahoma	30	340	381	3,950				
Oregon			276	13,800				
Pennsylvania	138	2,484	500	16,000	142	2,556		
Rhode Island	30	860	38	1,348	20	370		
South Carolina			190	5,572				
South Dakota			172	3,552				
Tennessee			205	4,462				
Texas			1,155	72,872				
Utah			102	4,094				
Vermont	7	72	26	694	1	30		
Virginia	148	3,677	267	7,949	40	693		
Washington			340	9,712				
West Virginia			104	2,438			2	30
Wisconsin			380	10,921	31	988		
Wyoming	10	181	67	1,718				

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State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	49	1,189
Alaska	63	1,155
Arizona	141	4,377
Arkansas		
California	652	20,894
Colorado	205	4,972
Connecticut	94	2,204
Delaware	40	1,089
Dist. of Columbia	1	30
Florida	265	6,887
Georgia	198	5,197
Hawaii	46	1,161
Idaho	109	2,847
Illinois	389	14,630
Indiana	314	9,012
Iowa	299	6,823
Kansas	187	4,894
Kentucky	62	1,336
Louisiana	50	1,004
Maine	52	1,075
Maryland	152	3,865
Massachusetts	130	3,101
Michigan	441	10,364
Minnesota	328	4,855
Mississippi	1	15
Missouri	186	**6,955
Montana	76	1,573
Nebraska	224	4,412
Nevada	60	1,430
New Hampshire	25	588
New Jersey	309	8,046
New Mexico	48	1,392
New York	463	11,414
North Carolina	249	6,399
North Dakota	52	971
Ohio	545	13,099
Oklahoma	132	2,582
Oregon	185	4,625
Pennsylvania	466	8,388
Rhode Island	32	872
South Carolina	91	2,627
South Dakota	86	1,570
Tennessee	118	3,324
Texas		
Utah	93	3,509
Vermont	19	273
Virginia	218	5,994
Washington	266	7,806
West Virginia	75	1,565
Wisconsin	334	7,500
Wyoming	57	1,272

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Archery	North Carolina	16	107	Football (6 player)	California	2	14
Badminton	California	*169	3,033		Colorado	17	264
	Florida	9	90		Maine	1	10
	Maryland	10	75		Montana	10	164
	New York	9	115		Nebraska	23	339
Bowling					New Mexico		38
	Florida	72	668		Texas	85	3,530
	Hawaii	40	432	Judo	Hawaii	10	142
	Iowa	32	327	Pentathlon	Maine	1	15
	Maine	3	36	Rodeo	Idaho	19	388
	Michigan	17	280		Iowa	2	10
	Nevada	15	225	Ski Jumping	New Hampshire	1	6
	New Jersey	195	2,425	Softball (Fast Pitch)	Alaska	1	17
	New York	261	2,864		California	37	1,031
	Ohio	17	290		Maine	3	100
	Pennsylvania	50	500		Missouri	23	323
	South Carolina	6	45		Ohio	19	461
	West Virginia	1	8	Softball (Slow Pitch)	Maine	3	28
Canoeing	Hawaii	8	189		Ohio	5	133
	Maine	1	2	Team Tennis	Texas	381	16,979
Crew	Delaware	1	47	Water Polo	California	349	8,858
	Dist. of Col.	1	25		Florida	29	367
	Florida	9	41		Hawaii	4	107
	Iowa	1	8		Missouri	20	516
	Maine	2	19		Nevada	7	51
	Ohio	10	309		Ohio	9	159
	Virginia	16	556		Pennsylvania	12	180
	West Virginia	2	32				
Decathlon	Alabama	21	77				
	Iowa	1	7				
	New Hampshire	11	35				
	Vermont	3	9				
Equestrian	Michigan	23	78				
Fencing	New Jersey	20	384				
	New York	15	242				
	Ohio	2	61				
	Vermont	1	5				
Football (9 player)	California	7	493				
	Minnesota	48	1,680				
	North Dakota	59	1,712				
	South Dakota	104	2,120				
	Vermont	1	33				
	Wyoming	4	141				

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country		Field Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	368	5,573			50	473		
Alaska	93	2,083			70	685		
Arizona	180	5,330			124	1,386		
Arkansas	331	7,782			82	537		
California	989	27,856			785	12,193	61	1,956
Colorado	271	7,073	115	1,708	154	1,837		
Connecticut	169	3,994			148	1,759	71	2,826
Delaware	41	1,019			32	398	39	1,422
Dist. of Columbia	14	162	10	171	10	80		
Florida	442	9,076			344	4,020		
Georgia	335	8,951	210	3,546	234	2,694		
Hawaii	55	1,382	63	751	54	346		
Idaho	158	4,001			84	803		
Illinois	638	18,786			408	6,000		
Indiana	379	11,812			344	3,927		
Iowa	398	12,221	44	854	289	3,129		
Kansas	354	8,574			218	1,930		
Kentucky	273	5,405	255	5,001	209	1,848	14	567
Louisiana	376	9,400			204	1,224		
Maine	134	4,715	74	1,101	109	865	76	2,820
Maryland	170	4,275			140	1,589	107	3,693
Massachusetts	304	9,676			247	3,440	184	8,063
Michigan	698	20,239	161	2,379	545	5,926		
Minnesota	427	8,238			285	3,018		
Mississippi	261	4,860	99	1,300	45	910		
Missouri	524	12,677	135	1,965	235	3,336	19	748
Montana	182	4,168			76	829		
Nebraska	335	7,784			163	1,317		
Nevada	71	1,879			50	460		
New Hampshire	85	2,316	120	1,359	65	654	49	1,911
New Jersey	372	9,657			333	3,972	204	9,567
New Mexico	122	3,073	125	1,879	78	978		
New York	696	16,154			461	4,689	223	8,004
North Carolina	320	7,184	32	544	237	2,718		
North Dakota	162	3,572			35	316		
Ohio	774	18,212			590	6,153	31	1,131
Oklahoma	471	9,805	163	2,430	176	1,242		
Oregon	276	7,728			136	2,940		
Pennsylvania	625	18,750			445	4,450	250	8,750
Rhode Island	45	922			39	583	21	668
South Carolina	200	5,129			103	1,157	1	47
South Dakota	176	3,599			97	559		
Tennessee	330	6,179	*67	804	193	2,089		
Texas	1,158	67,030			1,025	29,354		
Utah	109	2,770	87	1,703	88	1,072		
Vermont	47	1,254	13	176	30	245	25	954
Virginia	281	6,308			217	2,429	85	3,015
Washington	361	10,032			266	3,065		
West Virginia	136	2,836	140	2,352	63	550		
Wisconsin	415	12,630			328	3,693		
Wyoming	67	1,738			31	320		

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State	Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	87	182	7	40				
Alaska			7	143	25	344		
Arizona	47	343						
Arkansas	103	259	34	291				
California	13	**809	66	1,300	7	58	26	275
Colorado	67	515	66	678	8	45	12	87
Connecticut	37	**106	55	508				
Delaware	12	**20						
Dist. of Columbia	2	4					7	75
Florida	215	1,304						
Georgia	121	228	28	321				
Hawaii	21	47	3	26				
Idaho	67	333	4	72	6	149		
Illinois	243	1,533	100	1,963				
Indiana	194	1,815	85	1,230				
Iowa	339	3,962					1	17
Kansas	68	**686	17	218				
Kentucky	182	755	1	24			1	10
Louisiana	22	44	18	216				
Maine	38	74	13	119	34	316	43	359
Maryland	100	114	6	73				
Massachusetts	59	254	86	1,357	21	285	61	917
Michigan	197	2,514	72	1,064			77	971
Minnesota	321	2,145	171	1,385	85	1,168	65	620
Mississippi	9	71						
Missouri	74	794	*4	56				
Montana	72	625						
Nebraska	88	876	21	208				
Nevada	43	291					14	284
New Hampshire	20	32	13	85	48	239		416
New Jersey	12	261	74	989			7	144
New Mexico	45	299						
New York	75	347	117	1,414	91	1,114		
North Carolina	63	105	16	168				
North Dakota	67	523	14	91				
Ohio	208	717	98	974	1	52	2	20
Oklahoma	154	610						
Oregon	134	1,072						
Pennsylvania	210	2,100	16	160				
Rhode Island		20	19	139				
South Carolina	9	51						
South Dakota	76	617	37	409				
Tennessee	195	742						
Texas	974	8,777						
Utah	26	33						
Vermont	16	79	5	62	21	173	24	250
Virginia			69	810				
Washington	217	1,434	72	1,348				
West Virginia	14	18						
Wisconsin	84	878	98	1,293				
Wyoming	29	216	10	164	7	93	7	64

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State	Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	57	1,426	61	976	294	4,954	28	240
Alaska	17	466			17	411	22	541
Arizona	72	1,855	168	5,313			62	1,796
Arkansas						3,302	21	242
California	799	24,353	927	26,407			636	19,979
Colorado	117	3,888	107	2,998			107	3,025
Connecticut	137	4,279	168	4,593			76	1,925
Delaware	33	**779	36	1,153			21	558
Dist. of Columbia	1	19	13	173			7	50
Florida	310	8,128	420	8,987			275	5,183
Georgia	185	4,375	53	1,140	283	6,734	106	1,760
Hawaii	47	1,106	46	741			42	433
Idaho	13	360	66	1,742	14	271		
Illinois	215	9,964	612	17,619			260	7,709
Indiana	118	3,413	323	8,535			200	4,246
Iowa	52	2,123	389	9,866			60	1,638
Kansas	38	1,597	143	3,781			45	1,055
Kentucky	89	2,593	215	4,515	38	798	96	999
Louisiana	38	570	352	5,280			36	360
Maine	125	3,735	116	2,994	8	181	40	763
Maryland	118	3,970	163	4,458			62	1,473
Massachusetts	269	9,666	297	9,882			127	3,120
Michigan	239	8,347	626	16,466			204	5,527
Minnesota	98	3,203	354	7,675			168	2,844
Mississippi	40	1,200	28	840	205	4,000	39	432
Missouri	118	4,266	389	8,646			85	2,224
Montana	14	357	29	756			18	322
Nebraska	46	1,549	34	806			34	905
Nevada	28	934	60	1,977			32	805
New Hampshire	52	2,051	85	2,420				
New Jersey	287	9,001	369	12,814			175	4,135
New Mexico	40	1,190	56	1,293			27	565
New York	585	19,664	698	17,985			257	5,436
North Carolina	172	4,723	154	3,362	173	4,110	132	2,334
North Dakota	12	579					12	307
Ohio	274	8,190	606	15,639	75	2,225	277	4,505
Oklahoma	66	1,340	241	3,957	276	4,431	40	492
Oregon	115	3,450	190	5,700			114	1,710
Pennsylvania	306	10,710	575	18,400			254	4,572
Rhode Island	38	1,072	27	612	23	461		**190
South Carolina	63	1,564	188	4,177			13	156
South Dakota								
Tennessee	119	2,958	307	5,696				
Texas	314	14,544	695	25,169			307	5,824
Utah	68	2,121	81	1,968			62	1,317
Vermont	49	1,750	48	1,399				
Virginia	129	3,894	259	6,018			74	1,968
Washington	217	6,678	197	6,746	117	2,317	129	3,522
West Virginia	46	587	109	2,310			21	262
Wisconsin	127	4,107	372	11,233			120	3,295
Wyoming	14	593					25	616

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State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	139	1,417	37	377	267	4,034	256	3,967
Alaska	6	92			36	770	*74	1,346
Arizona	105	1,882			154	4,410	181	6,148
Arkansas	123	1,141			269	4,591	71	2,272
California	762	15,628			848	27,325	989	28,035
Colorado	110	2,598			262	5,514	277	8,259
Connecticut	123	2,179	98	2,465	153	5,084	130	3,076
Delaware	30	470	27	505	32	834	29	857
Dist. of Columbia	11	53	12	100	14	156	15	146
Florida	340	3,256			378	8,435	434	9,425
Georgia	322	4,026			318	7,221	71	1,642
Hawaii	50	649			51	716	52	1,092
Idaho	50	783			138	2,726	150	3,957
Illinois	304	7,946			572	17,741	685	22,569
Indiana	302	5,437			367	9,816	382	10,545
Iowa	117	2,826	70	1,777	380	8,754	400	13,767
Kansas	120	2,164			361	6,539	359	10,340
Kentucky	206	2,006			234	3,819	88	1,717
Louisiana	149	1,043	82	820	367	4,037	164	2,296
Maine	83	1,454	34	205	95	2,383	26	417
Maryland	148	1,979	113	2,453	156	3,980	162	3,858
Massachusetts	211	3,534	165	5,025	245	9,415	148	3,728
Michigan	322	7,572			638	17,307	682	20,037
Minnesota	204	4,239			408	6,956	421	11,477
Mississippi	161	1,075	21	268	236	3,621	38	510
Missouri	151	3,104			420	11,032	404	10,557
Montana	60	1,124			182	3,013	157	4,034
Nebraska	52	1,168			338	6,591	335	9,446
Nevada	32	442			65	1,656	71	2,106
New Hampshire	45	606	35	716	65	1,584	45	1,059
New Jersey	322	5,934	237	5,574	336	11,869	133	2,358
New Mexico	41	551			113	2,596	126	3,252
New York	427	7,480	258	6,140	552	15,013	583	13,862
North Carolina	261	3,377	108	1,550	291	7,845	311	6,503
North Dakota	18	392			134	2,016	115	3,104
Ohio	385	6,061	123	2,614	735	18,528	700	18,116
Oklahoma	108	947	22	190	390	3,487	56	783
Oregon	123	984			276	8,280	276	5,520
Pennsylvania	354	3,540	136	2,448	496	15,872	438	7,884
Rhode Island	41	726	31	722	36	1,139	40	981
South Carolina	108	1,468			185	5,145	176	3,357
South Dakota	21	296			171	2,826	134	3,577
Tennessee	225	2,239			209	4,454	216	3,933
Texas	1,074	15,842			1,155	58,307	808	49,351
Utah	73	1,035			101	3,071	110	2,778
Vermont	28	387	7	99	28	723	1	20
Virginia	222	2,709	144	3,168	266	6,647	214	4,082
Washington	234	5,150			339	8,042	354	9,992
West Virginia	82	920			102	2,374	96	2,082
Wisconsin	163	4,387			377	9,305	418	15,467
Wyoming	17	255	10	169	69	1,461	68	1,889

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Archery	North Carolina	5	10	Equestrian	Michigan	33	344
Badminton	Arizona	37	666	Fencing	New Jersey	22	394
	California	*183	3,948		New York	10	113
	Florida	9	96		Ohio	1	16
	Illinois	69	2,240		Vermont	1	4
	Maryland	23	298				
	New York	43	810	Football	Alaska	1	**2
				(11 player)	Arizona		**10
Baseball	Alaska	1	**3		California		**554
	Arizona		**5		Colorado	12	**34
	California		**640		Connecticut	3	**3
	Colorado	48	**102		Delaware	1	*1
	Georgia	12	**64		Georgia	11	**28
	Kansas		**27		Idaho	7	**7
	Maine	13	**162		Kansas		**15
	Maryland		**3		Maine	5	**7
	Minnesota		**65		Massachusetts	17	**75
	New Hampshire		**58		Minnesota		**8
	New Jersey		**5		Montana	5	**5
	Ohio		**196		New Hampshire		**1
	Utah		**1		New Jersey		**6
	West Virginia	1	**9		North Carolina	14	**14
					Ohio		**17
Bowling	Florida	63	500		Utah		**1
	Hawaii	38	418		West Virginia	3	**3
	Illinois	126	2,041	Football	Colorado	2	**11
	Iowa	30	207	(8 Player)	Kansas		**4
	Maine	3	29				
	Michigan	11	180	Football	California		**10
	Nevada	15	195	(6 Player)	Maine	1	**2
	New Jersey	177	1,389		Montana	1	**1
	New York	177	1,670				
	Ohio	13	99	Heptathlon	Alabama	15	59
	Pennsylvania	55	550		Vermont	1	4
	South Carolina	6	36				
	West Virginia	1	8	Ice Hockey	Alaska	13	29
Canoeing	Hawaii	11	199		Colorado	5	14
	Iowa	1	72		Connecticut	8	**10
Crew	Delaware	1	59		Maine	21	50
	Dist. of Col.	1	25		Massachusetts	38	173
	Florida	6	37		Michigan	3	3
	Iowa	1	7		Minnesota	71	1,041
	Maine	1	2		New Hampshire		50
	Ohio	8	178		New Jersey		43
	Virginia	16	598		Ohio		3
	West Virginia	2	60		Rhode Island		**22
					Vermont	6	**33
Decathlon	Iowa	1	6	Judo	Hawaii	5	23
	New Hampshire	2	5				
	Vermont	1	1				

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	S
Lacrosse	Connecticut	2	**3	W
	Delaware	13	454	
	Florida	2	58	
	Maine	18	414	
	Maryland	64	2,282	
	Massachusetts	32	1,444	
	Michigan	8	148	
	New Jersey	41	2,241	W
	New York	85	3,789	LI
	Ohio	14	641	
	Pennsylvania	58	1,856	
	Vermont	12	315	
	Virginia	26	1,059	
Pentathlon	Iowa	1	1	
	Maine	1	3	
Riflery	Alaska	10	50	W
	Georgia	45	117	
	Hawaii	8	34	
	Maine	4	13	
	Michigan	1	5	
	Nevada	7	17	
	North Carolina	18	77	
	Ohio	2	9	
	Pennsylvania	30	300	
Rodeo	Iowa	2	2	
Sailing	Maine	1	10	
Ski Jumping	New Hampshire	1	1	
Synchronized Swimming	Minnesota	18	155	
Team Tennis	Texas	381	16,979	

State	Sch.	Particip.
California	124	**3,936
Florida	25	398
Hawaii	3	14
Nevada	7	35
Ohio	8	151
Pennsylvania	6	90
Georgia	13	322
Idaho	3	4
Iowa	7	108
Kansas	46	665
Maine	1	10
Michigan	9	116
North Carolina	21	574
Ohio	11	350
West Virginia	1	20
Alaska	18	**38
Arizona		**34
California		**541
Colorado	32	**55
Connecticut	23	**36
Delaware	1	**1
Georgia	21	**78
Iowa	12	**17
Kansas		**25
Maine	5	**11
Maryland		**19
Massachusetts	22	**75
Michigan	63	**90
Montana	1	**1
New Hampshire		**6
New Jersey		**10
North Carolina	16	**21
Ohio		**68
Utah	4	**6
Vermont	4	**27
West Virginia	3	**5

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1997 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY
Conducted By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 1996-97 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS ¹					
Bowling (1/1)	11	72	11	61	133
Floor Hockey (1/1)	56	218	56	105	323
Soccer (2/2)	56	244	56	116	360
Softball (2/2)	53	248	53	146	394
ARCHERY (1/1)	3	13	2	2	15
BADMINTON (4/7)	*190	3,250	*374	8,259	11,509
BASEBALL (48/13)	14,212	444,248	54	**1,126	445,374
BASKETBALL (51/51)	16,704	544,025	16,325	447,687	991,712
BOWLING (14/15)	728	8,552	695	7,048	15,600
CANOEING (1/2)	11	242	13	443	685
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS (14/21)	*210	**585	1,985	35,153	35,738
CREW (6/6)	42	1,122	42	1,135	2,257
CROSS COUNTRY (51/51)	11,485	174,599	10,934	145,624	320,223
DECATHLON (4/1)	29	108	1	2	110
EQUESTRIAN (2/2)	24	59	32	339	398
FENCING (4/4)	38	743	35	597	1,340
FIELD HOCKEY (1/16)	**8	**12	1,462	56,502	56,514
FOOTBALL — (11 player) (51/18)	13,119	957,507	**70	**740	958,247
(9 player) (4/0)	218	6,354			6,354
(7 player) (15/1)	591	12,778		*3	12,781
(6 player) (6/1)	156	5,151		*10	5,161
GOLF (49/47)	11,573	150,578	5,820	**44,511	195,089
GYMNASTICS (15/33)	204	2,618	*1,572	21,725	24,343
HEPTATHLON (1/2)	1	4	17	66	70
ICE HOCKEY (16/12)	*1,037	**25,970	144	**2,586	28,556
JUDO (1/0)	16	282	15	144	426
LACROSSE (14/12)	597	27,033	451	**18,017	45,050
PENTATHLON (0/1)			1	1	1
RIFLERY (9/8)	208	2,026	144	851	2,877
SKIING (Cross Country) (12/12)	364	4,698	351	3,935	8,633
(Alpine) (13/12)	439	6,519	423	5,552	12,071
SOCCER (49/49)	*8,432	**296,587	6,971	**226,636	523,223
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch) (4/47)	79	1,964	11,895	313,607	315,571
(Slow Pitch) (3/13)	6	62	1,696	36,439	36,501
SWIMMING & DIVING (47/46)	*5,028	93,523	5,270	**123,886	217,409
TEAM TENNIS ² (1/1)	382		382		16,979
TENNIS (51/51)	9,322	136,451	9,228	150,346	286,797
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor) (22/22)	1,938	44,551	1,874	41,024	85,575
(Outdoor) (51/51)	14,580	468,061	14,525	393,946	862,007
VOLLEYBALL (19/51)	*1,441	**32,375	*12,986	370,957	403,332
WATER POLO (8/6)	442	10,528	179	**4,751	15,279
WEIGHT LIFTING (9/7)	459	14,103	103	2,688	16,791
WRESTLING (49/25)	8,738	**227,596	217	**1,629	229,225
OTHER	69	566	260	3,648	4,214

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¹Number of schools offering combined programs adapted for participants with disabilities.

²Number of schools offering combined team tennis.

**NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
1996-97 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY
TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS**

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,704	1. Football	957,507
2. Track & Field (outdoor)	14,580	2. Basketball	544,025
3. Baseball	14,212	3. Track & Field (outdoor)	468,061
4. Football	13,119	4. Baseball	444,248
5. Golf	11,573	5. Soccer	296,587
6. Cross Country	11,485	6. Wrestling	227,596
7. Tennis	9,322	7. Cross Country	174,599
8. Wrestling	8,738	8. Golf	150,578
9. Soccer	8,432	9. Tennis	136,451
10. Swimming & Diving	5,028	10. Swimming & Diving	93,523

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,325	1. Basketball	447,687
2. Track & Field (outdoor)	14,525	2. Track & Field (outdoor)	393,946
3. Volleyball	12,986	3. Volleyball	370,957
4. Softball (fast pitch)	11,895	4. Softball (fast pitch)	313,607
5. Cross Country	10,934	5. Soccer	226,636
6. Tennis	9,228	6. Tennis	150,346
7. Soccer	6,971	7. Cross Country	145,624
8. Golf	5,820	8. Swimming & Diving	123,886
Swimming & Diving	5,270	9. Field Hockey	56,502
Competitive Spirit Squads	1,985	10. Track & Field (indoor)	41,024

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Year	Girls Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,472,967	1993-94	2,130,315
1994-95	3,536,359	1994-95	2,240,461
1995-96	3,634,052	1995-96	2,367,936
1996-97	•3,706,225	1996-97	•2,472,043

•Total does not include a portion total of 16,979 participants in combined sports.

**1996-97 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION
TOTALS BY STATE**

Rank State	Total Number of Participants³	Rank State	Total Number of Participants³
1. Texas	731,059	27. Connecticut	78,994
2. California	514,139	28. Nebraska	78,133
3. New York	321,468	29. Kentucky	77,494
4. Illinois	298,207	30. Oklahoma	72,475
5. Ohio	293,242	31. South Carolina	72,042
6. Michigan	277,548	32. Mississippi	68,173
7. Pennsylvania	229,617	33. Arizona	63,901
8. New Jersey	201,316	34. Arkansas	56,895
9. Minnesota	182,192	35. Utah	48,488
10. Wisconsin	178,089	36. Maine	47,916
11. Massachusetts	168,437	37. Idaho	43,074
12. Florida	158,837	38. West Virginia	37,597
13. Missouri	154,571	39. Montana	34,758
14. Indiana	153,238	40. New Hampshire	33,797
15. Iowa	146,128	41. South Dakota	31,628
16. Washington	143,716	42. Nevada	31,510
17. Georgia	127,372	43. New Mexico	30,804
18. North Carolina	122,132	44. North Dakota	28,135
19. Virginia	119,651	45. Hawaii	26,980
20. Colorado	97,353	46. Delaware	21,060
21. Kansas	92,758	47. Rhode Island	20,363
22. Maryland	91,691	48. Vermont	18,628
23. Oregon	88,126	49. Wyoming	18,492
24. Tennessee	83,066	50. Alaska	15,818
25. Louisiana	80,578	51. District of Columbia	3,767
26. Alabama	79,794	TOTAL	6,195,247

³ Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	370	8,539	394	11,353			61	774
Alaska	19	589	94	1,873	2	4	77	804
Arizona	174	5,693	182	4,620			136	1,410
Arkansas	280	5,648	331	8,379			94	824
California	980	36,727	1,035	36,897			818	15,914
Colorado	241	7,501	277	8,267			163	2,256
Connecticut	166	5,352	170	5,100			156	2,629
Delaware	40	1,422	41	1,410			34	628
District of Columbia	12	219	15	440			11	111
Florida	462	11,068	496	11,436			388	4,374
Georgia	339	11,152	350	10,949	36	88	280	4,507
Hawaii	51	1,565	54	1,600	8	39	53	763
Idaho	100	2,392	162	4,951			85	1,213
Illinois	651	23,321	712	26,797			397	7,338
Indiana	376	12,250	382	13,222			371	3,711
Iowa	392	12,339	401	14,433	6	18	301	3,696
Kansas	165	5,251	363	9,123			240	2,898
Kentucky	264	7,523	269	7,881	50	133	196	2,531
Louisiana	308	8,008	408	12,240			306	3,366
Maine	119	3,199	133	4,202	17	47	104	1,217
Maryland	174	5,290	173	5,002	65	35	156	2,699
Massachusetts	326	11,874	332	11,608			272	4,368
Michigan	634	19,626	709	24,900			579	7,402
Minnesota	399	12,987	440	14,312			291	4,339
Mississippi	250	6,800	261	7,500	2	25	108	2,300
Missouri	461	12,445	553	16,799		28	250	4,715
Montana			180	4,697			66	865
Nebraska	27	1,478	336	9,309			166	1,907
Nevada	65	2,151	76	2,401			57	632
New Hampshire	85	2,531	85	2,661		*11	67	833
New Jersey	377	14,182	380	12,422			350	5,914
New Mexico	104	1,794	136	3,414		*23	68	999
New York	701	21,438	718	21,610			516	7,571
North Carolina	317	9,399	321	8,991	9	54	255	3,302
North Dakota	48	964	165	4,395			42	450
Ohio	764	24,135	780	25,696			566	7,893
Oklahoma	409	9,742	471	9,805	6	38	172	1,248
Oregon	217	6,621	270	8,125			187	2,549
Pennsylvania	597	19,104	630	18,900			458	4,580
Rhode Island	44	1,160	43	1,067			39	646
South Carolina	192	5,868	198	6,915			121	1,791
South Dakota			184	4,637			113	957
Tennessee	325	7,702	334	8,705		**16	194	2,717
Texas	999	39,250	1,160	68,254			1,049	26,901
Utah	103	2,919	112	3,424			95	1,711
Vermont	43	1,437	51	1,621	3	18	33	404
Virginia	279	8,016	281	8,734			245	3,634
Washington	322	10,200	375	12,424			272	4,523
West Virginia	36	2,858	194	4,089	6	8	67	670
Wisconsin	405	12,519	418	14,413			326	4,660
Wyoming			69	2,022			34	455

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State	Football 11-player		Football 8-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	370	21,359			225	1,971		
Alaska	18	1,229						
Arizona	151	11,368	23	518	122	1,458		
Arkansas	196	12,691			183	1,691		
California	850	82,053	47	977	651	8,562	12	58
Colorado	202	13,455	35	773	135	1,690		
Connecticut	118	7,627			150	1,923		
Delaware	38	2,518			30	398		
District of Columbia	12	770						
Florida	390	26,272			387	3,383		
Georgia	320	21,719			301	2,849	3	15
Hawaii	50	3,801			48	398	2	13
Idaho	115	7,758	31	778	78	1,017		
Illinois	544	47,684			462	8,804	55	1,430
Indiana	308	22,687			359	4,433		
Iowa	354	20,538	1	19	357	6,780		
Kansas	256	14,631	104	2,413	218	3,448		
Kentucky	210	11,320			231	2,321		
Louisiana	293	16,107			163	1,141	6	54
Maine	54	2,889			90	1,043	3	7
Maryland	166	11,706			134	1,258	6	34
Massachusetts	279	16,829			249	3,584	15	172
Michigan	619	42,081			537	7,641	4	39
Minnesota	370	22,747			355	6,178		
Mississippi	241	18,975	1	28	125	1,370		
Missouri	315	21,235	18	460	281	4,095		
Montana	86	5,005	66	1,288	71	1,145		
Nebraska	187	11,627	122	3,107	193	3,274	11	78
Nevada	54	4,649	16	403	53	802		
New Hampshire	37	2,325			46	575	19	16
New Jersey	347	23,551			280	3,808	10	164
New Mexico	94	4,114			56	531		
New York	535	33,699			507	6,861	27	191
North Carolina	312	20,183			278	2,944		
North Dakota	57	3,264			87	1,225		
Ohio	706	42,110			676	8,652	14	201
Oklahoma	262	9,041	59	664	235	1,120		
Oregon	195	12,344	40	693	159	2,099		
Pennsylvania	539	24,255			466	4,660		
Rhode Island	40	1,625			34	543		
South Carolina	193	16,196			155	1,829		
South Dakota	69	4,098			81	1,100		
Tennessee	296	16,280			248	2,440		
Texas	973	156,224			1,047	14,746		
Utah	88	8,179			87	1,108		
Vermont	17	1,050	4	157	30	375		
Virginia	268	18,024			237	2,581	17	146
Washington	299	19,595	24	500	247	3,333		
West Virginia	176	6,850			105	1,004		
Wisconsin	389	28,408			292	5,632		
Wyoming	61	2,762			32	755		

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State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	18	551			10	154	25	364
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California							9	112
Colorado	11	234					14	108
Connecticut	54	1,267	29	1,352				
Delaware			23	750				
District of Columbia								
Florida			10	348				
Georgia					73	575		
Hawaii					29	297		
Idaho							5	124
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa	4	52						
Kansas								
Kentucky								
Louisiana								
Maine	44	1,024	20	634			40	344
Maryland			99	3,366				
Massachusetts	223	6,470	55	2,669			21	329
Michigan	108	2,351	22	1,237				
Minnesota	213	4,752					71	1,113
Mississippi								
Missouri								
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					7	46	2	21
New Hampshire	22	578	17	680			49	275
New Jersey	63	1,796	53	2,362				
New Mexico								
New York	100	2,401	198	10,300	31	385	97	1,501
North Carolina			4	161	11	102		
North Dakota	16	592						
Ohio	44	1,039	23	1,118	3	40	2	102
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					33	330		
Rhode Island	28	629						
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	20	439	8	423			22	233
Virginia			36	1,633	11	97		
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	69	1,795						
Wyoming							7	72

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State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			96	2,401	28	213	140	1,459
Alaska			12	494	22	302	6	116
Arizona			103	2,836	67	2,016	110	1,617
Arkansas					26	168	123	1,035
California	28	441	879	30,727	599	12,667	741	14,046
Colorado	14	177	142	5,131	99	1,705	105	1,930
Connecticut			**167	6,236	**92	1,353	**139	2,109
Delaware			38	1,546	23	372	30	427
District of Columbia	7	248	6	112	5	73	12	73
Florida			332	9,880	295	3,690	369	3,171
Georgia			232	6,643	118	1,538	324	3,386
Hawaii			52	1,484	46	326	50	592
Idaho			18	727	7	142	50	809
Illinois			293	14,239	250	5,897	279	6,551
Indiana			203	6,442	201	3,905	295	4,927
Iowa			92	3,137	54	1,037	114	2,211
Kansas			65	2,803	40	638	110	1,757
Kentucky			145	4,235	80	919	201	2,045
Louisiana			93	1,395	63	945	188	1,310
Maine	46	592	125	4,116	38	432	84	1,076
Maryland			157	5,828	67	1,127	160	1,885
Massachusetts	61	1,017	313	12,044	126	1,635	223	3,060
Michigan	82	1,099	356	11,556	228	4,225	353	7,241
Minnesota	83	1,219	133	5,197	137	2,527	189	3,584
Mississippi			86	2,475	42	425	144	1,389
Missouri			162	6,820	81	1,773	175	3,332
Montana			18	466	17	165	33	501
Nebraska			48	1,895	40	578	51	780
Nevada	14	327	43	1,597	34	452	34	321
New Hampshire	49	549	82	2,977			48	605
New Jersey	18	207	342	15,225	172	2,494	318	5,013
New Mexico			62	1,551	36	333	69	432
New York			633	22,977	253	4,554	504	8,443
North Carolina			224	7,490	144	1,732	265	2,952
North Dakota			13	452	12	203	18	249
Ohio	6	212	461	14,476	245	3,044	412	6,176
Oklahoma			82	1,552	41	500	105	995
Oregon			141	4,906	109	1,383	108	1,770
Pennsylvania			474	16,590	284	5,112	360	3,800
Rhode Island			42	1,271	20	174	39	713
South Carolina			122	3,576	26	169	124	1,519
South Dakota							18	349
Tennessee			163	4,609			230	2,112
Texas			365	18,932	319	4,636	1,065	15,811
Utah			73	2,533	64	1,262	72	1,071
Vermont	24	329	54	2,143			22	305
Virginia			205	6,336	93	1,571	212	2,565
Washington			248	7,827	125	2,396	229	4,329
West Virginia			66	1,501	27	263	94	844
Wisconsin			156	6,577	107	12,000	163	3,605
Wyoming	7	102	15	624	26	452	15	253

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State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	43	552	271	5,784				
Alaska			34	952	32	185		
Alaska			161	5,376	15	391		
Alaska			263	6,614				
California			838	34,145	456	10,687		
Colorado			268	6,990				
Connecticut	109	2,791	153	5,316				
Delaware	25	474	32	940				
District of Columbia	14	170	15	248				
Florida			418	10,976	65	1,095	176	**4,126
Georgia			326	8,442			38	2,753
Hawaii			55	1,829	48	967	4	74
Idaho			139	3,573			23	726
Illinois			575	20,636	102	3,424		
Indiana			369	11,559				
Iowa	62	1,845	381	10,938				
Kansas			361	8,544				
Kentucky			224	4,944				
Louisiana	102	1,122	408	8,596				
Maine	39	917	91	2,649	21	308		
Maryland	132	3,178	163	4,829				
Massachusetts	177	5,486	265	9,488	70	1,328		
Michigan			649	21,387	22	530	31	624
Minnesota			409	11,561				
Mississippi	34	475	209	4,725			100	1,198
Missouri			428	13,358	40	964		
Montana			175	3,600				
Nebraska			334	8,156				
Nevada			75	2,701	18	689		
New Hampshire	38	819	63	1,776				
New Jersey	246	6,285	345	12,914	47	944		
New Mexico			136	2,353				
New York	282	7,641	576	17,110	192	3,923		
North Carolina	125	1,618	301	9,280	3	65	18	1,038
North Dakota			126	2,482				
Ohio	148	3,146	734	21,419	67	1,527	68	3,559
Oklahoma	30	340	383	3,970				
Oregon			241	6,888				
Pennsylvania	135	2,430	499	15,968	144	2,592		
Rhode Island	24	856	36	1,382	20	434		
South Carolina			184	5,828				
South Dakota			170	3,740				
Tennessee			216	4,704				
Texas			1,158	80,969				
Utah			104	4,034				
Vermont	10	114	28	792			1	5
Virginia	150	4,095	261	7,765	48	853		
Washington			342	10,124				
West Virginia			139	2,823				
Wisconsin			380	11,194	31	1,469		
Wyoming	13	197	69	1,690				

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State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	51	1,238
Alaska	54	1,085
Arizona	141	3,826
Arkansas		
California	652	20,894
Colorado	210	5,272
Connecticut	93	2,158
Delaware	40	1,070
District of Columbia	1	18
Florida	277	6,831
Georgia	202	5,234
Hawaii	39	1,010
Idaho	109	2,950
Illinois	403	15,523
Indiana	306	9,066
Iowa	299	6,890
Kansas	167	4,536
Kentucky	57	1,276
Louisiana	50	1,004
Maine	49	948
Maryland	155	3,744
Massachusetts	143	3,320
Michigan	444	11,200
Minnesota	337	7,521
Mississippi	1	15
Missouri	188	**6,799
Montana	78	1,540
Nebraska	224	4,253
Nevada	65	1,730
New Hampshire	26	633
New Jersey	310	7,956
New Mexico	31	1,295
New York	464	11,992
North Carolina	249	6,275
North Dakota	54	1,075
Ohio	547	14,123
Oklahoma	140	2,593
Oregon	177	5,166
Pennsylvania	466	8,388
Rhode Island	32	1,031
South Carolina	97	3,072
South Dakota	103	1,648
Tennessee	124	3,472
Texas		
Utah	94	3,511
Vermont	13	191
Virginia	212	5,804
Washington	278	8,067
West Virginia	97	1,644
Wisconsin	336	7,325
Wyoming	53	1,384

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Maryland	11	72
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	56	218
Adapted Soccer	Maryland	4	52
	Minnesota	52	192
Adapted Softball	Maryland	4	49
	Minnesota	49	199
Air Riflery	Hawaii	6	105
Archery	North Carolina	3	13
Badminton	California	*169	3,033
	Florida	6	65
	Maryland	10	110
	New York	5	42
Bowling	Florida	42	411
	Hawaii	42	427
	Iowa	32	331
	Kentucky	1	6
	Maryland	6	42
	Michigan	9	321
	Nevada	17	239
	New Jersey	195	2,295
	New York	282	3,481
	North Carolina	5	18
	Ohio	34	376
	Pennsylvania	55	550
	South Carolina	7	47
	West Virginia	1	8
Canoeing	Hawaii	11	242
Crew	Delaware	1	51
	District of Columbia	2	34
	Florida	10	186
	Ohio	10	259
	Virginia	17	540
	West Virginia	2	52
Decathlon	Alabama	14	53
	Kentucky	1	2
	New Hampshire	10	36
	Vermont	4	17
Equestrian	Hawaii	1	5
	Michigan	23	54
Fencing	New Jersey	19	434
	New York	16	276
	Ohio	2	25
	Vermont	1	8
Field Hockey	Massachusetts	**8	**12
Football (9-player)	California	7	493
	Minnesota	48	1,886
	North Dakota	58	1,696
	South Dakota	105	2,279

Football (6-player)	California	2	14
	Colorado	17	302
	Montana	14	191
	Nebraska	21	346
	New Mexico	12	364
	Texas	90	3,934
Heptathlon	Vermont	1	4
Judo	Hawaii	16	282
Kayaking	Hawaii	7	91
Native Youth Olympics	Alaska	40	222
Rodeo	Iowa	2	14
Sailing	Hawaii	1	3
Ski Jumping	New Hampshire	1	11
Softball (Fast Pitch)	California	37	1,031
	Kansas		12
	Missouri	21	278
	Ohio	21	643
Softball (Slow Pitch)	Alaska	1	4
	Ohio	3	41
	Vermont	2	17
Soft Tennis	Hawaii	12	120
Tennis	Texas	382	16,979
Water Polo	California	349	8,858
	Florida	23	349
	Hawaii	10	181
	Michigan	11	231
	Missouri	21	501
	Nevada	7	51
	Ohio	7	147
	Pennsylvania	14	210

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country		Field Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	366	5,543			46	435		
Alaska	92	1,509	4	50	82	743		
Arizona	180	2,236			124	1,136		
Arkansas	328	6,635			94	582		
California	989	27,856			785	12,193	61	1,956
Colorado	277	7,276	88	1,787	163	1,985		
Connecticut	170	4,000			149	1,934	71	2,835
Delaware	41	1,000			34	473	39	1,500
District of Columbia	13	169	8	154	11	131		
Florida	473	8,141			389	4,295		
Georgia	340	8,916	205	3,535	264	2,983		
Hawaii	52	1,400	38	566	54	805		
Idaho	158	4,124			84	954		
Illinois	648	19,508			380	6,399		
Indiana	380	11,873			349	3,079		
Iowa	402	12,342	44	862	292	3,181		
Kansas	362	7,216			235	2,107		
Kentucky	250	5,525	258	4,979	189	2,075	15	621
Louisiana	376	9,400			204	1,224		
Maine	132	3,468	67	1,096	101	926	73	2,830
Maryland	172	4,480	98	3,573	156	1,941	113	4,684
Massachusetts	327	9,783			259	3,547	190	8,018
Michigan	697	20,284	158	2,549	558	6,344		
Minnesota	431	11,979			294	3,481		
Mississippi	261	5,500	99	1,300	45	950		
Missouri	528	13,103	120	1,440	242	3,466		
Montana	180	4,565			71	815		
Nebraska	334	7,571			171	1,392		
Nevada	73	1,922			55	481		
New Hampshire	85	2,338	119	1,351	67	731	50	1,874
New Jersey	381	9,705			333	4,300	206	9,369
New Mexico	136	2,947	111	1,787	68	802		
New York	702	17,039			463	5,401	221	8,235
North Carolina	321	7,476	52	960	245	2,710	4	114
North Dakota	159	3,546			34	325		
Ohio	780	19,162			485	6,705	31	999
Oklahoma	471	9,805	168	2,448	177	1,260		
Oregon	255	6,463			176	1,900		
Pennsylvania	626	18,780			447	4,470	250	8,750
Rhode Island	45	947			37	615	21	638
South Carolina	197	5,239	75	1,544	112	1,349		
South Dakota	184	3,862			107	675		
Tennessee	337	6,319	67	871	200	2,200		
Texas	1,158	68,444			1,056	29,620		
Utah	111	2,900	87	1,833	91	1,180		
Vermont	40	1,443	12	223	33	359	22	953
Virginia	275	6,861			238	2,868	95	3,126
Washington	369	10,202			267	3,270		
West Virginia	176	2,776	107	2,245	63	515		
Wisconsin	415	12,345			326	3,979		
Wyoming	70	1,764			29	333		

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State	Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	102	213	7	40				
Alaska			7	161	24	367		
Arizona	47	593						
Arkansas	128	334	22	210				
California	13	809	66	1,300	7	58	26	275
Colorado	89	901	67	761	12	80	12	92
Connecticut	40	172	55	507				
Delaware	12	19						
District of Columbia								
Florida	318	1,595						
Georgia	144	320	28	344				
Hawaii	22	54	6	48				
Idaho	68	406			5	181		
Illinois	260	1,903	95	2,006				
Indiana	202	1,849	88	1,172				
Iowa	342	4,002						
Kansas	72	734	21	253				
Kentucky	138	898						
Louisiana	22	44	18	216				
Maine	35	63	19	125	38	331	43	423
Maryland	110	107	13	207				
Massachusetts	62	285	83	1,284	20	303	59	774
Michigan	215	2,818	72	1,074			82	1,000
Minnesota	344	3,768	181	2,739	71	721	94	1,648
Mississippi	12	65						
Missouri	80	867	*4	**36				
Montana	72	634						
Nebraska	98	918	19	205				
Nevada	46	313			2	15	14	303
New Hampshire	22	50	19	161	49	268	49	408
New Jersey	12	277	75	1,018			7	132
New Mexico	56	240						
New York	91	478	114	1,763	93	1,226		
North Carolina	71	220	7	37				
North Dakota	70	497	13	108				
Ohio	184	904	132	1,038	1	62	6	208
Oklahoma	155	618						
Oregon	120	965						
Pennsylvania	223	2,230	18	180				
Rhode Island		**20	15	159				
South Carolina	15	91						
South Dakota	74	658	35	388				
Tennessee	202	769						
Texas	1,024	8,802						
Utah	26	**42						
Vermont	26	85	8	129	22	223	24	207
Virginia			76	934				
Washington	220	1,668	80	1,487				
West Virginia	18	28						
Wisconsin	89	925	98	1,471				
Wyoming	29	260	11	164	7	100	7	82

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State	Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	60	1,501	96	1,536	268	4,516	32	274
Alaska	13	498	17	426	2	53	21	449
Arizona	72	1,969	168	4,097			62	1,750
Arkansas					235	4,257	27	209
California	799	24,353	927	26,407			636	19,979
Colorado	134	4,397	119	3,224			111	3,636
Connecticut	139	4,505	161	4,404			77	2,239
Delaware	**35	916	36	1,096			24	620
District of Columbia	1	28	14	169			5	58
Florida	271	8,383	456	8,927			301	5,977
Georgia	210	5,472	105	2,783	239	5,887	112	2,413
Hawaii	53	1,313	43	746			49	713
Idaho	13	181	68	1,951	13	200	5	100
Illinois	235	10,544	622	18,042			261	7,656
Indiana	136	3,928	331	8,746			210	4,479
Iowa	53	2,144	393	9,964			61	1,654
Kansas	39	1,530	154	4,152			44	1,150
Kentucky	126	3,191	227	4,859	28	531	90	1,322
Louisiana	38	570	352	5,280			36	360
Maine	118	3,573	118	3,048			46	826
Maryland	129	4,229	171	4,598			66	1,665
Massachusetts	294	10,515	319	10,114			140	3,338
Michigan	263	9,299	628	16,546			215	5,959
Minnesota	127	4,276	378	10,801			175	5,178
Mississippi	49	1,225	29	855	209	4,225	39	429
Missouri	125	4,565	404	9,531			94	2,658
Montana	18	423	31	759			19	356
Nebraska	47	1,641	52	1,285			42	968
Nevada	33	1,013	63	2,339			34	861
New Hampshire	54	2,220	85	2,246				
New Jersey	298	10,892	376	12,527			176	4,009
New Mexico	33	1,092	70	978			36	621
New York	614	21,483	693	18,695			275	6,683
North Carolina	183	4,619	224	4,843	109	2,411	144	2,618
North Dakota	13	517					12	337
Ohio	299	9,144	684	16,684	62	1,956	322	5,149
Oklahoma	68	1,356	270	4,482	295	4,884	41	500
Oregon	132	3,917	192	5,130			111	2,154
Pennsylvania	322	11,270	582	18,627			292	5,256
Rhode Island	41	1,207	28	718	20	398		**255
South Carolina	75	1,997	190	4,618			31	316
South Dakota								
Tennessee	137	3,404	314	5,825				
Texas	320	15,002	713	26,207			326	6,207
Utah	69	2,210	83	2,001			62	1,378
Vermont	52	1,836	42	1,205	4	111		
Virginia	197	4,888	269	6,606			92	2,478
Washington	227	6,947	108	2,274	212	7,010	143	3,815
West Virginia	58	938	111	2,241			27	372
Wisconsin	135	4,933	379	11,015			121	3,777
Wyoming	14	582					25	685

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State	Tennis		Track & Field		Track & Field		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	143	1,458	41	418	266	4,019	264	4,091
Alaska	6	76			33	900	77	1,357
Arizona	105	1,791			154	3,885	181	4,783
Arkansas	122	1,042			267	4,494	80	2,082
California	762	15,628			848	27,325	989	28,035
Colorado	117	2,820			268	5,955	281	8,484
Connecticut	110	**2,115	102	2,749	149	5,144	129	3,132
Delaware	30	451	27	575	34	873	31	955
District of Columbia	12	46	13	145	14	187	13	130
Florida	373	3,431			414	9,808	476	8,887
Georgia	319	4,142			318	7,572	94	2,080
Hawaii	53	691			55	1,286	55	1,442
Idaho	50	842			138	2,727	150	4,237
Illinois	276	7,601			580	16,834	684	22,406
Indiana	304	5,471			367	9,875	382	10,564
Iowa	118	2,855	71	1,795	384	8,842	404	13,905
Kansas	124	2,269			361	6,577	358	10,642
Kentucky	199	2,275			221	4,197	84	1,839
Louisiana	149	1,043	82	820	367	4,037	164	2,296
Maine	83	1,285	38	786	93	2,465	27	443
Maryland	159	2,037	138	2,942	161	4,069	163	3,653
Massachusetts	225	3,713	175	5,328	264	9,761	172	4,212
Michigan	330	7,792			642	18,163	687	20,739
Minnesota	214	4,843			410	11,576	426	14,900
Mississippi	141	1,040	23	279	236	3,800	40	805
Missouri	154	2,935			426	10,952	409	11,416
Montana	55	956			174	3,072	148	3,715
Nebraska	54	1,111			334	6,774	337	9,480
Nevada	34	479			69	2,013	75	2,306
New Hampshire	45	637	36	811	64	1,647	47	1,091
New Jersey	321	5,955	234	5,775	335	12,085	141	2,722
New Mexico	69	431			136	1,939	129	2,764
New York	437	7,947	276	6,834	573	16,419	588	14,552
North Carolina	262	3,377	118	1,254	291	8,380	313	7,098
North Dakota	18	382			127	1,966	123	3,410
Ohio	363	6,447	141	2,798	736	19,942	774	19,088
Oklahoma	109	956	22	192	391	3,564	58	802
Oregon	118	2,127			239	5,606	266	7,236
Pennsylvania	359	3,590	134	2,412	498	15,936	443	7,974
Rhode Island	40	797	29	967	34	1,171	40	914
South Carolina	114	1,396			183	5,138	175	3,490
South Dakota	23	335			175	3,077	141	3,825
Tennessee	231	2,293			218	4,578	225	4,050
Texas	1,066	15,731			1,159	62,988	847	51,422
Utah	73	1,099			104	3,268	111	2,810
Vermont	21	329	7	145	30	807	1	15
Virginia	223	2,948	155	3,800	260	6,429	217	4,718
Washington	239	5,383			340	8,341	357	10,001
West Virginia	96	999			140	2,692	125	2,097
Wisconsin	165	4,699			377	9,396	415	15,952
Wyoming	15	250	12	199	68	1,395	70	1,910

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Maryland	11	61
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	56	105
Adapted Soccer	Maryland	4	10
	Minnesota	52	106
Adapted Softball	Maryland	4	32
	Minnesota	49	114
Air Riflery	Hawaii	4	36
Archery	North Carolina	2	2
Badminton	Arizona	37	532
	California	*183	3,948
	Florida	6	75
	Illinois	69	2,174
	Maryland	24	358
	Minnesota	15	413
	New York	40	759
Baseball	Alaska	2	**2
	California		*640
	Colorado	34	**81
	Connecticut	2	**2
	Georgia		**4
	Hawaii	2	**3
	Kentucky	4	**9
	Maine	6	**72
	Minnesota		**23
	North Carolina		**1
	Ohio		**273
	Oregon	4	**11
	Utah		**5
Bowling	Florida	37	350
	Hawaii	40	397
	Kentucky	1	7
	Illinois	93	1,490
	Iowa	30	210
	Maryland	6	40
	Michigan	9	228
	Nevada	17	206
	New Jersey	180	1,358
	New York	188	1,917
	North Carolina	5	20
	Ohio	24	183
	Pennsylvania	58	580
	South Carolina	6	54
	West Virginia	1	8
Canoeing	Hawaii	12	371
	Iowa	1	72
Crew	Delaware	1	54
	District of Columbia	2	34
	Florida	10	258
	Ohio	11	217
	Virginia	16	511
	West Virginia	2	61
Dance Team	Minnesota	178	2,690

Decathlon	Kentucky	1	2
Equestrian	Hawaii	1	9
	Michigan	31	330
Swimming	New Jersey	22	418
	New York	10	156
	Ohio	2	17
	Vermont	1	6
Football (11-player)	Alaska	5	**14
	California		**554
	Colorado	5	**37
	Connecticut	3	**3
	Georgia	10	**13
	Hawaii	8	**11
	Idaho	8	**8
	Kansas		**7
	Kentucky	7	**15
	Maine	3	**4
	Massachusetts	**9	**11
	Minnesota		**14
	North Carolina		**25
	Ohio		**6
	Oregon	7	**9
	Vermont	1	**2
	West Virginia	4	**7
Football (8-player)	Kansas		**3
Football (6 player)	California		**10
Handball	Alabama	15	54
	Vermont	2	12
Ice Hockey	Alaska	11	21
	Colorado	4	5
	Connecticut	11	**13
	Maine	19	65
	Massachusetts	**54	**424
	Michigan	2	96
	Minnesota	117	1,746
	New Hampshire	22	29
	New Jersey		84
	Ohio		5
	Rhode Island		26
	Vermont	4	72
Judo	Hawaii	15	144
Kayaking	Hawaii	6	89
Lacrosse	Delaware	15	517
	Florida	8	259
	Maine	17	389
	Maryland	89	2,695
	Massachusetts	37	1,665
	Michigan	7	202
	New Jersey	44	2,709
	New York	118	5,428
	Ohio	17	805
	Pennsylvania	59	1,888
	Virginia	29	1,090
	Vermont	11	370
Native Youth Olympics	Alaska	37	175

1998 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 1997-98 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS ¹					
Bowling (1/1)	4	67	4	61	128
Floor Hockey (1/1)	59	278	59	155	433
Soccer (2/2)	58	258	58	160	418
Softball (2/2)	59	318	59	200	518
ARCHERY (1/1)	8	40	3	3	43
BADMINTON (5/7)	*194	3,668	*396	9,084	12,752
BASEBALL (48/17)	14,407	449,897	108	**1,262	451,159
BASKETBALL (51/51)	16,617	544,463	16,428	454,000	998,463
BOWLING (13/14)	739	8,957	729	7,932	16,889
CANOEING (1/2)	11	224	13	435	659
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS (16/24)	*570	**4,807	3,154	58,737	63,544
CREW (7/7)	35	938	34	1,008	1,946
CROSS COUNTRY (51/51)	11,693	178,672	11,097	150,846	329,518
DECATHLON (2/1)	22	60	1	1	61
EQUESTRIAN (2/2)	28	68	36	351	419
FENCING (5/5)	41	805	39	749	1,554
FIELD HOCKEY (2/19)	*3	**14	1,491	56,589	56,603
FOOTBALL - (11-player) (51/18)	13,243	971,335	*160	**779	972,114
(9-player) (4/0)	214	7,180			7,180
(8-player) (15/2)	594	13,131	*2	*9	13,140
(6-player) (6/1)	157	5,151	*1	*4	5,155
GOLF (49/48)	11,935	159,501	6,579	**49,690	209,191
GYMNASTICS (17/33)	242	3,227	*1,592	21,347	24,574
HEPTATHLON (0/2)			17	47	47
ICE HOCKEY (16/13)	*1,080	**27,245	271	**3,016	30,261
JUDO (1/1)	19	265	16	123	388
LACROSSE (15/15)	644	28,492	509	**20,189	48,681
PENTATHLON (1/2)	4	19	4	22	41
RIFLERY (9/9)	213	2,057	156	900	2,957
SKIING (Cross Country) (11/12)	379	5,025	378	5,070	10,095
(Alpine) (13/13)	521	6,217	387	4,268	10,485
SOCCER (50/49)	*8,859	**309,484	7,468	**246,687	556,171
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch) (6/47)	70	1,675	12,326	333,374	335,049
(Slow Pitch) (2/11)	4	48	1,535	30,387	30,435
SWIMMING & DIVING (48/48)	*5,098	83,781	5,360	**126,062	209,843
TEAM TENNIS (1/1)	659		659		19,322
TENNIS (50/50)	9,364	137,827	9,297	151,539	289,366
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor) (21/21)	1,930	45,499	1,862	41,591	87,090
(Outdoor) (51/51)	14,612	471,175	14,284	395,955	867,130
VOLLEYBALL (22/50)	*1,585	**35,285	*13,019	**373,219	408,504
WATER POLO (8/8)	549	13,247	466	**10,800	24,047
WEIGHT LIFTING (7/5)	484	13,266	112	3,962	17,228
WRESTLING (50/26)	8,900	**229,176	619	**1,907	231,083
OTHER	28	278	252	7,813	8,091

* Includes some combined teams

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1 Number of schools offering combined programs adapted for participants with disabilities

2 Number of schools offering combined team tennis

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

1997-98 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,617	1. Football	971,335
2. Track & Field (outdoor)	14,612	2. Basketball	544,463
3. Baseball	14,407	3. Track & Field (outdoor)	471,175
4. Football	13,243	4. Baseball	449,897
5. Golf	11,935	5. Soccer	309,484
6. Cross Country	11,693	6. Wrestling	229,176
7. Tennis	9,364	7. Cross Country	178,672
8. Wrestling	8,900	8. Golf	159,501
9. Soccer	8,859	9. Tennis	137,827
10. Swimming & Diving	5,098	10. Swimming & Diving	83,781

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,428	1. Basketball	454,000
2. Track & Field (outdoor)	14,284	2. Track & Field (outdoor)	395,955
3. Volleyball	13,019	3. Volleyball	373,219
4. Softball (fast pitch)	12,326	4. Softball (fast pitch)	333,374
5. Cross Country	11,097	5. Soccer	246,687
6. Tennis	9,297	6. Tennis	151,539
7. Soccer	7,468	7. Cross Country	150,846
8. Golf	6,579	8. Swimming & Diving	126,062
9. Swimming & Diving	5,360	9. Competitive Spirit Squads	58,737
10. Competitive Spirit Squads	3,154	10. Field Hockey	56,589

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Year	Girls Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,472,967	1993-94	2,130,315
1994-95	3,536,359	1994-95	2,240,461
1995-96	3,634,052	1995-96	2,367,936
1996-97	3,740,262	1996-97	2,470,826
1997-98	•3,763,120	1997-98	•2,570,333

•Total does not include a portion total of 19,322 participants in combined sports.

1997-98 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ³	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ³
1.	Texas	771,490	27.	Louisiana	80,578
2.	California	584,590	28.	Arizona	79,673
3.	New York	321,468	29.	Alabama	79,347
4.	Ohio	290,061	30.	Nebraska	77,609
5.	Michigan	279,633	31.	Oklahoma	77,545
6.	Illinois	274,540	32.	South Carolina	73,001
7.	Pennsylvania	234,073	33.	Mississippi	70,618
8.	New Jersey	208,842	34.	Arkansas	54,009
9.	Minnesota	191,843	35.	Maine	52,359
10.	Florida	184,019	36.	Utah	49,011
11.	Wisconsin	172,949	37.	Idaho	42,836
12.	Massachusetts	169,045	38.	West Virginia	37,888
13.	Indiana	158,322	39.	New Hampshire	35,250
14.	Missouri	152,137	40.	Montana	35,111
15.	Iowa	149,037	41.	South Dakota	32,109
16.	Washington	147,073	42.	New Mexico	31,266
17.	Georgia	127,372	43.	Nevada	29,843
18.	North Carolina	122,166	44.	Hawaii	28,841
19.	Colorado	100,517	45.	North Dakota	27,517
20.	Virginia	95,104	46.	Delaware	21,352
21.	Maryland	91,423	47.	Rhode Island	21,334
22.	Oregon	91,244	48.	Alaska	18,515
23.	Kansas	91,081	49.	Wyoming	18,512
24.	Tennessee	85,579	50.	Vermont	15,995
25.	Kentucky	84,418	51.	District of Columbia	3,639
26.	Connecticut	80,991	TOTAL		6,352,775

³Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	374	8,631	394	11,353			57	674
Alaska	19	542	111	2,247	5	23	82	1,004
Arizona	177	6,285	186	6,877			144	2,101
Arkansas	278	4,861	337	7,369			94	625
California	1,073	40,102	1,144	39,846			863	18,668
Colorado	248	7,719	281	8,386			176	2,436
Connecticut	171	5,611	171	5,036			157	2,688
Delaware	40	1,483	41	1,377			35	593
District of Columbia	12	228	13	377			10	74
Florida	448	12,544	488	13,151			374	4,657
Georgia	339	11,152	350	10,949	36	88	280	4,507
Hawaii	51	1,619	56	2,927	6	11	53	701
Idaho	99	2,388	162	4,907			89	1,176
Illinois	589	21,740	651	24,702			404	6,823
Indiana	377	12,862	381	13,883			367	3,502
Iowa	391	12,585	400	14,721	6	18	303	3,769
Kansas	174	4,970	365	8,926			245	2,894
Kentucky	270	7,694	276	8,086	225	4,342	217	2,802
Louisiana	308	8,008	408	12,240			306	3,366
Maine	130	3,509	143	4,322	21	41	104	1,256
Maryland	174	5,352	175	5,108			156	2,395
Massachusetts	323	11,752	329	11,497			273	4,480
Michigan	634	19,659	710	24,718			585	7,421
Minnesota	405	12,844	443	14,638			298	4,423
Mississippi	250	6,800	260	7,594	10	50	112	2,381
Missouri	470	13,078	558	15,476		**30	274	4,627
Montana			180	4,997			60	751
Nebraska	30	1,478	334	8,962			165	1,856
Nevada	65	2,109	76	2,375			57	630
New Hampshire	85	2,503	86	2,573	118	25	68	822
New Jersey	396	14,782	399	12,921			365	6,104
New Mexico	104	1,981	136	3,074	111	33	68	1,085
New York	701	21,438	718	21,610			516	7,571
North Carolina	315	9,330	325	9,237	9	30	257	3,333
North Dakota	39	749	173	4,232			45	452
Ohio	771	23,761	785	24,975			571	8,279
Oklahoma	431	9,908	471	9,805			169	1,230
Oregon	222	6,707	267	7,896			179	2,782
Pennsylvania	610	19,520	636	19,080			463	4,630
Rhode Island	44	1,299	44	1,135			39	699
South Carolina	190	5,724	199	6,792			131	1,947
South Dakota			190	4,664	4	14	117	994
Tennessee	327	7,848	333	8,664		**15	219	3,066
Texas	1,021	40,119	1,165	70,558			1,121	27,003
Utah	107	2,984	115	3,458			97	1,613
Vermont	40	1,136	42	1,326	2	14	28	331
Virginia	218	6,327	100	2,974			197	2,914
Washington	330	10,675	379	12,434			270	4,799
West Virginia	132	3,124	139	3,855	11	57	68	690
Wisconsin	405	12,377	419	14,210			331	4,586
Wyoming			73	1,943	6	16	34	462

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State	Football 11-player		Football 8-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	380	21,936			266	1,262		
Alaska	22	1,495						
Arizona	155	13,663	19	642	122	1,701		
Arkansas	197	12,097			197	1,440		
California	940	91,301	48	1,280	744	10,783	4	12
Colorado	204	13,588	34	751	142	1,778		
Connecticut	119	7,976			153	1,994		
Delaware	38	2,512			32	430		
District of Columbia	11	705						
Florida	390	31,010			380	3,531		
Georgia	320	21,719			301	2,849	3	15
Hawaii	50	3,960			53	525	3	14
Idaho	123	7,517	31	725	77	1,045		
Illinois	513	44,099			488	9,796	52	1,322
Indiana	308	23,278			361	4,654		
Iowa	355	20,948	1	19	347	6,915		
Kansas	255	14,349	103	2,311	247	3,723		
Kentucky	215	11,589			251	2,522		
Louisiana	293	16,107			163	1,141	6	54
Maine	61	3,180			102	1,261	2	2
Maryland	166	11,563			134	1,319	6	28
Massachusetts	279	17,253			257	3,825	17	203
Michigan	620	42,063			553	8,197	4	71
Minnesota	364	21,586			364	6,651		
Mississippi	240	19,000	1	30	130	1,400		
Missouri	318	**20,682	18	466	297	4,226		
Montana	88	4,957	66	1,404	71	1,126		
Nebraska	187	11,418	123	3,070	202	3,560	19	145
Nevada	53	4,650	16	400	50	760		
New Hampshire	38	2,482			56	771		
New Jersey	349	22,865			285	4,207	10	130
New Mexico	94	4,111			56	641		
New York	535	33,699			507	6,861	27	191
North Carolina	315	21,389			274	3,011		
North Dakota	64	3,346			92	878		
Ohio	706	42,434			678	9,336	8	53
Oklahoma	259	8,983	59	664	226	1,068		
Oregon	190	12,403	44	767	157	2,128		
Pennsylvania	540	24,300			488	4,880	1	10
Rhode Island	40	1,920			*40	487		
South Carolina	195	16,096			152	1,789		
South Dakota	77	4,181			98	1,342		
Tennessee	293	16,115			278	2,724		
Texas	1,075	159,317			1,062	14,851	63	861
Utah	90	8,201			93	1,198		
Vermont	17	1,025	5	173	34	435		
Virginia	221	14,887			203	2,465	15	114
Washington	301	19,640	26	429	256	3,492	2	2
West Virginia	130	6,548			88	1,167		
Wisconsin	390	28,525			294	6,623		
Wyoming	60	2,667			34	733		

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State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	23	656			10	140	30	438
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California							5	89
Colorado	11	246					14	111
Connecticut	57	1,406	33	1,626				
Delaware			24	821				
District of Columbia								
Florida			14	425				
Georgia					73	575		
Hawaii					36	396		
Idaho							6	152
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa	4	53						
Kansas								
Kentucky								
Louisiana								
Maine	47	1,215	27	928			43	427
Maryland			100	3,493				
Massachusetts	222	6,473	67	2,934			19	315
Michigan	118	2,539	23	1,454				
Minnesota	215	4,976					86	1,370
Mississippi								
Missouri								
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					7	45		
New Hampshire	24	623	20	859			51	2,341
New Jersey	75	2,022	63	2,538				
New Mexico								
New York	100	2,401	198	10,300	31	385	97	1,501
North Carolina			10	284	21	194		
North Dakota	16	584						
Ohio	46	1,128	26	1,195	3	38	2	96
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					31	279		
Rhode Island	*28	607						
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	21	423	10	323	1	5	19	168
Virginia			27	1,288				
Washington								
West Virginia			2	24				
Wisconsin	73	1,893						
Wyoming							7	84

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State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			103	2,576	27	205	142	1,480
Alaska			27	849	25	322	6	120
Arizona			118	3,764	69	1,254	111	1,716
Arkansas			37	**1,452	18	174	122	938
California	19	301	967	35,537	669	14,687	808	15,380
Colorado	14	176	196	5,312	98	1,688	108	1,986
Connecticut			169	**6,401	88	**1,417	139	2,045
Delaware			39	1,425	23	388	30	410
District of Columbia	*7	245	6	108	4	85	12	96
Florida			389	11,115	294	3,846	351	3,348
Georgia			232	6,643	118	1,538	324	3,386
Hawaii			52	1,537	51	258		
Idaho			26	713	7	141	55	801
Illinois			302	14,341	206	4,053	282	6,674
Indiana			209	7,022	200	3,893	295	4,953
Iowa			98	3,199	52	1,057	113	2,255
Kansas			69	3,007	38	609	125	1,768
Kentucky			149	4,352	106	1,218	215	2,187
Louisiana			93	1,395	63	945	188	1,310
Maine	50	548	135	4,615	43	485	89	1,149
Maryland			157	5,339	67	977	160	1,922
Massachusetts	63	1,118	315	12,128	125	1,593	219	3,068
Michigan	85	1,171	365	11,866	224	4,137	359	7,350
Minnesota	72	1,159	141	6,088	141	2,484	194	3,747
Mississippi			89	2,525	51	480	145	1,402
Missouri			174	6,370	83	1,794	177	3,212
Montana			19	478	17	164	32	379
Nebraska			56	1,973	41	543	55	789
Nevada	14	300	38	1,450	33	420	33	300
New Hampshire	51	539	83	3,038			49	632
New Jersey	20	239	362	15,170	182	2,671	332	5,184
New Mexico			62	1,648	36	1,067	70	454
New York			633	22,977	253	4,554	504	8,443
North Carolina			236	6,778	142	1,642	260	2,863
North Dakota			13	549	11	201	17	251
Ohio	2	25	476	14,544	247	3,168	410	6,038
Oklahoma			85	1,575	42	508	108	1,000
Oregon			149	5,235	113	1,430	109	1,759
Pennsylvania			487	17,045	276	4,968	366	3,660
Rhode Island			41	1,287	*28	145	38	724
South Carolina			125	3,700	25	247	118	1,371
South Dakota							22	369
Tennessee			177	4,956			234	2,148
Texas			370	20,117	313	4,598	1,085	15,927
Utah			75	2,613	66	1,310	76	1,137
Vermont	117	310	43	1,682	2	1	20	244
Virginia			180	5,498	84	1,415	181	2,143
Washington			255	8,264	129	2,439	225	4,284
West Virginia			57	1,555	27	267	74	780
Wisconsin			165	7,033	115	1,866	162	3,948
Wyoming	7	86	15	640	26	429	15	297

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State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	41	526	221	4,717				
Alaska			45	1,061	29	205		
Arizona			172	5,764	39	1,005		
Arkansas			265	5,568				
California			887	39,262	489	11,660		
Colorado			271	7,068				
Connecticut	107	2,875	159	**5,421				
Delaware	25	501	32	970	3	42		
District of Columbia	11	165	12	216				
Florida			405	10,744	107	1,621	161	4,017
Georgia			326	8,442			38	2,753
Hawaii			56	1,642	52	1,083		
Idaho			139	3,654			44	486
Illinois			525	18,253	117	4,069		
Indiana			367	11,493				
Iowa	62	1,881	379	11,156				
Kansas			365	8,215				
Kentucky			240	5,297				
Louisiana	102	1,122	408	8,596				
Maine	46	1,072	100	2,868	17	233		
Maryland	135	3,053	163	4,718	30	537		
Massachusetts	184	5,779	272	9,762	72	1,513		
Michigan			652	21,458	23	389		
Minnesota			414	11,699				
Mississippi	35	492	236	5,125			100	2,010
Missouri			435	12,356	44	1,040		
Montana			178	3,654				
Nebraska			331	8,386				
Nevada			72	2,500	18	725		
New Hampshire	41	733	66	1,831				
New Jersey	253	6,959	356	13,510	49	1,041		
New Mexico			136	2,506				
New York	282	7,641	576	17,110	192	3,923		
North Carolina	114	1,786	298	9,205	2	28	24	1,533
North Dakota			147	2,466				
Ohio	146	3,085	742	21,995	54	1,200	39	1,842
Oklahoma	30	340	383	3,970				
Oregon			235	7,630				
Pennsylvania	137	2,466	506	16,192	149	2,682		
Rhode Island	33	1,079	39	1,540	22	439		
South Carolina			184	5,749				
South Dakota			185	3,714				
Tennessee			225	4,893				
Texas			1,172	81,149			78	625
Utah			106	3,901				
Vermont	7	137	28	713				
Virginia	126	3,585	214	6,201	44	705		
Washington			339	10,370	1	14		
West Virginia			98	2,669				
Wisconsin			380	12,129	32	1,131		
Wyoming	13	222	70	1,667				

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State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	56	1,359
Alaska	63	1,281
Arizona	148	4,583
Arkansas		
California	702	23,163
Colorado	216	5,423
Connecticut	94	2,273
Delaware	40	1,066
District of Columbia	2	30
Florida	278	7,144
Georgia	202	5,234
Hawaii	44	1,158
Idaho	122	2,521
Illinois	350	13,285
Indiana	304	9,041
Iowa	295	7,027
Kansas	196	3,975
Kentucky	66	1,477
Louisiana	50	1,004
Maine	53	1,076
Maryland	155	4,034
Massachusetts	145	3,518
Michigan	446	11,263
Minnesota	344	7,366
Mississippi	1	15
Missouri	195	**6,556
Montana	78	1,742
Nebraska	224	4,351
Nevada	62	1,480
New Hampshire	29	585
New Jersey	318	8,927
New Mexico	31	1,067
New York	464	11,992
North Carolina	253	6,135
North Dakota	53	1,052
Ohio	544	13,682
Oklahoma	140	2,593
Oregon	184	5,213
Pennsylvania	467	8,406
Rhode Island	34	986
South Carolina	98	3,180
South Dakota	100	1,663
Tennessee	129	3,612
Texas	91	929
Utah	97	3,431
Vermont	15	219
Virginia	180	5,073
Washington	275	8,055
West Virginia	77	1,506
Wisconsin	336	7,069
Wyoming	54	1,356

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Maryland	4	67	Field Hockey	California	1	12
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	59	278		Maine	2	2
Adapted Soccer	Maryland	4	24	Football (9-player)	California	2	190
	Minnesota	54	234		Minnesota	55	3,261
Adapted Softball	Maryland	4	39		North Dakota	56	1,550
	Minnesota	55	279	Football (6-player)	South Dakota	101	2,179
Archery	North Carolina	8	40		California	1	9
Badminton	California	*164	3,387		Colorado	16	266
	Florida	10	109		Montana	14	205
	Hawaii	1	33		Nebraska	22	322
	Maryland	14	97	Judo	New Mexico	12	368
	New York	5	42		Texas	92	3,981
Bowling	Florida	55	579	Kayaking	Hawaii	19	265
	Hawaii	42	412		Hawaii	5	58
	Iowa	32	337	Mountain Bike	Vermont	1	10
	Maryland	6	42	Pentathlon	Alaska	4	19
	Michigan	9	285	Rodeo	Iowa	2	14
	Nevada	16	240	Skeet Shooting	North Carolina	1	10
	New Jersey	199	2,593	Ski Jumping	New Hampshire	5	21
	New York	282	3,481	Softball (Fast Pitch)	California	17	580
	North Carolina	3	30		Kansas		2
	Ohio	32	344		Maine	2	2
	Pennsylvania	55	550		Massachusetts	12	362
	South Carolina	6	52		Missouri	23	316
	West Virginia	2	12		Ohio	16	413
Canoeing	Hawaii	11	224	Softball (Slow Pitch)	Ohio	3	39
Crew	Delaware	1	54		Washington	1	9
	District of Columbia	1	30	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	13	141
	Florida	8	144	Squash	Delaware	1	24
	Ohio	9	185	Team Tennis	Texas	659	19,322
	South Carolina	1	15	Water Polo	California	395	10,725
	Virginia	13	444		Florida	21	274
	West Virginia	2	66		Michigan	13	380
Decathlon	Alabama	18	45		Missouri	21	**524
	Vermont	4	15		Nevada	7	55
Equestrian	Hawaii	1	5		Ohio	9	183
	Michigan	27	63		Pennsylvania	14	210
Fencing	Maine	1	5		Texas	69	896
	New Jersey	22	506				
	New York	16	276				
	Ohio	1	10				
	Vermont	1	8				

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country		Field Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	389	5,891			48	501		
Alaska	105	1,827	13	224	78	820		
Arizona	185	5,560			133	1,560		
Arkansas	337	5,330		**2,295	94	493		
California	1,098	30,979			839	14,245	63	2,111
Colorado	282	7,401	126	2,559	176	2,143	8	214
Connecticut	169	4,016			149	2,013	71	2,884
Delaware	41	1,074			34	495	39	1,512
District of Columbia	11	154	10	204	9	72		
Florida	447	10,552			365	4,880		
Georgia	340	8,916	205	3,535	264	2,983		
Hawaii	78	1,645	44	668	55	750		
Idaho	158	4,056			81	1,026		
Illinois	588	17,148			394	5,985		
Indiana	380	12,466			353	3,232		
Iowa	397	12,588	44	879	285	3,244		
Kansas	365	7,004			242	2,302		
Kentucky	274	6,055	171	3,300	215	2,360	15	621
Louisiana	376	9,400			204	1,224		
Maine	142	3,696	84	1,379	107	1,017	82	2,967
Maryland	172	4,479			156	1,956	113	3,763
Massachusetts	320	9,732			256	3,599	185	8,287
Michigan	698	19,948	141	2,562	570	6,618		
Minnesota	435	12,200			299	3,750		
Mississippi	260	5,572	105	1,425	50	996		
Missouri	532	12,631	*120	**1,400	270	3,604	21	854
Montana	180	4,197			64	793		
Nebraska	333	7,219			168	1,359		
Nevada	74	1,970			54	480		
New Hampshire	86	2,315	118	1,720	67	737	53	1,959
New Jersey	395	10,027			352	4,426	214	9,364
New Mexico	136	2,533	111	1,723	68	868		
New York	702	17,039			463	5,401	221	8,235
North Carolina	325	7,423	55	1,167	248	3,053	5	100
North Dakota	161	3,530			36	325		
Ohio	786	18,448			487	6,734	30	955
Oklahoma	471	9,805	182	2,688	149	1,072		
Oregon	267	6,789			173	2,071		
Pennsylvania	634	19,020			457	4,570	252	8,820
Rhode Island	44	901			38	628	20	595
South Carolina	199	5,318	82	1,786	119	1,480	1	41
South Dakota	189	3,801	24	220	104	680		
Tennessee	334	6,262	74	962	222	2,442		
Texas	1,163	70,365	1,170	23,060	1,114	29,792		
Utah	114	3,001	93	1,734	95	1,274		
Vermont	41	1,216	13	178	28	252	21	824
Virginia	215	5,291			167	2,128	77	2,483
Washington	374	10,314			271	3,452		
West Virginia	139	2,824	132	2,625	65	556		
Wisconsin	416	12,338			332	4,075		
Wyoming	71	1,734	37	444	30	330		

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State	Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	71	212	10	63				
Alaska			11	175				
Arizona	76	600			28	428		
Arkansas	130	303	23	171				
California	366	1,447	72	1,230	7	75	16	168
Colorado	89	921	60	681	12	82	12	94
Connecticut	38	92	68	500				
Delaware	14	19						
District of Columbia								
Florida	318	2,022	7	175				
Georgia	144	320	28	344				
Hawaii	30	94	9	55				
Idaho	71	515	12	84				
Illinois	297	2,457	94	1,730	6	126		
Indiana	216	2,107	89	1,240				
Iowa	351	4,082						
Kansas	78	774	22	236				
Kentucky	199	1,294						
Louisiana	22	44	18	216				
Maine	43	107	18	133				
Maryland	113	275	13	173	42	362	46	348
Massachusetts	78	304	88	1,303	17	257	58	794
Michigan	231	3,049	72	1,118			84	978
Minnesota	352	3,912	181	2,805	95	1,791	73	756
Mississippi	13	75						
Missouri	101	1,217	4	36				
Montana	73	771						
Nebraska	102	1,050						
Nevada	44	300						
New Hampshire	27	45	16	149			14	284
New Jersey	12	330	75	974	49	358	49	409
New Mexico	56	263					7	110
New York	91	478	114	1,763				
North Carolina	74	297	7	35	93	1,226		
North Dakota	84	585	13	106			2	2
Ohio	189	980	134	1,147				
Oklahoma	159	773			2	74	2	18
Oregon	128	1,027						
Pennsylvania	237	2,370	19	190				
Rhode Island		**35	21	202				
South Carolina	20	180						
South Dakota	90	733	37	390				
Tennessee	275	1,045						
Texas	1,035	8,873						
Utah	23	46						
Vermont	51	76	7	81	20	181	18	239
Virginia			65	741				
Washington	223	1,802	78	1,549				
West Virginia	18	24						
Wisconsin	95	1,130	96	1,406				
Wyoming	32	235	11	146	7	110	6	68

* Includes some coeducational teams

** Includes boys playing on girls' teams and girls playing on boys' teams

State	Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	78	1,951	134	2,144	235	3,960	34	291
Alaska	26	804	19	530			26	494
Arizona	109	2,698	168	5,167			70	1,978
Arkansas					265	3,836	26	216
California	925	30,222	1,020	28,979			692	25,157
Colorado	136	4,463	123	3,306			109	3,603
Connecticut	142	4,542	169	4,643			78	2,155
Delaware	33	1,073	36	1,043			25	631
District of Columbia	2	45	12	200			4	45
Florida	340	10,543	444	10,610	7	137	300	6,931
Georgia	210	5,472	105	2,783	239	5,887	112	2,413
Hawaii	54	2,614	49	888			52	699
Idaho	20	517	81	1,989	12	227	6	115
Illinois	238	10,583	573	16,007			232	6,153
Indiana	159	4,517	341	9,796			212	4,703
Iowa	68	2,186	391	10,163			57	1,687
Kansas	41	1,690	167	4,252			47	1,119
Kentucky	109	2,760	248	5,309	29	549	106	1,557
Louisiana	38	570	352	5,280			36	360
Maine	128	3,919	129	3,229			50	999
Maryland	131	4,463	171	7,616			67	1,716
Massachusetts	297	10,675	304	9,815			134	125
Michigan	291	10,190	627	16,636			217	5,653
Minnesota	132	5,191	380	10,984			178	5,285
Mississippi	50	1,270	51	1,000	212	4,300	42	491
Missouri	140	5,023	420	9,225			97	2,499
Montana	19	448	39	982			20	407
Nebraska	56	1,848	61	1,431			43	903
Nevada	30	975	62	2,000			33	825
New Hampshire	58	2,218	86	2,319				
New Jersey	320	11,203	393	12,898			185	4,513
New Mexico	33	1,281	70	1,204			36	246
New York	614	21,483	693	18,695			275	6,683
North Carolina	196	4,804	277	6,274	42	738	137	2,532
North Dakota	13	619					12	332
Ohio	320	9,608	688	17,020	57	1,641	327	5,329
Oklahoma	82	1,553	310	6,800	314	6,860	44	520
Oregon	134	4,188	193	5,274			111	2,253
Pennsylvania	360	12,600	596	19,072			285	5,130
Rhode Island	45	1,337	29	719	19	357		294
South Carolina	85	2,335	189	4,594			30	313
South Dakota								
Tennessee	152	3,648	318	5,883				
Texas	331	15,124	747	26,207			330	6,272
Utah	71	2,332	87	2,173			67	1,451
Vermont	43	1,501	42	1,176			1	1
Virginia	174	4,274	212	5,162			84	2,129
Washington	237	7,392	226	7,384	104	1,895	150	4,092
West Virginia	47	1,149	115	2,416			29	435
Wisconsin	136	6,243	379	12,097			126	3,687
Wyoming	15	543					26	640

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State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	148	1,509	44	449	216	3,264	278	4,308
Alaska	6	59			44	898	90	1,681
Arizona	116	1,804			169	4,594	178	5,656
Arkansas	122	968			265	3,858	79	2,015
California	833	17,383			883	29,682	1,092	30,879
Colorado	121	2,916			271	6,044	284	8,575
Connecticut	113	2,155	101	2,840	150	5,119	130	3,205
Delaware	30	423	28	534	33	837	33	931
District of Columbia	12	48	10	132	11	165	13	190
Florida	358	3,822			398	10,600	398	10,524
Georgia	319	4,142			318	7,572	94	2,080
Hawaii					54	1,250	59	1,618
Idaho	55	879			138	2,810	169	4,250
Illinois	282	7,057			522	14,417	625	19,822
Indiana	303	5,455			363	9,684	381	10,541
Iowa	118	2,912	71	1,831	375	9,019	399	14,183
Kansas	126	2,250			365	6,405	361	10,218
Kentucky	210	2,401			239	4,539	95	2,079
Louisiana	149	1,043	82	820	367	4,037	164	2,296
Maine	90	1,421	46	850	102	2,630	22	335
Maryland	159	2,059	132	3,021	162	4,206	165	4,356
Massachusetts	224	3,701	182	5,653	270	9,778	179	4,453
Michigan	339	7,937			648	18,303	686	20,690
Minnesota	217	4,867			414	12,068	428	15,215
Mississippi	142	1,058	25	301	236	3,821	50	1,005
Missouri	158	3,116			435	10,932	411	10,847
Montana	53	843			176	3,063	157	3,750
Nebraska	58	1,138			333	6,747	334	9,061
Nevada	33	450			67	1,700	73	2,155
New Hampshire	46	692	39	726	67	1,763	46	1,075
New Jersey	338	5,911	241	6,236	349	12,351	151	2,814
New Mexico	70	409			136	1,970	129	2,734
New York	437	7,947	276	6,834	573	16,419	588	14,552
North Carolina	259	3,212	103	1,486	285	7,359	313	6,520
North Dakota	18	367			144	2,001	121	3,328
Ohio	360	6,331	139	2,537	732	19,759	774	19,054
Oklahoma	109	1,008	24	246	391	3,564	79	1,012
Oregon	119	2,227			234	6,107	265	7,104
Pennsylvania	364	3,640	135	2,430	504	16,128	459	8,262
Rhode Island	42	850	37	1,004	37	1,173	40	875
South Carolina	119	1,638			183	5,123	178	3,457
South Dakota	22	352			181	3,069	143	3,744
Tennessee	237	2,347			229	4,809	230	4,140
Texas	1,087	15,813			1,087	63,429	845	51,391
Utah	76	1,075			106	3,218	113	2,846
Vermont	21	283	7	127	30	772		
Virginia	186	2,339	128	3,325	217	6,089	176	3,861
Washington	237	5,499			229	8,398	368	10,259
West Virginia	77	933			100	2,414	90	2,087
Wisconsin	165	4,602			377	10,617	415	15,364
Wyoming	14	248	12	209	69	1,381	69	1,822

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Maryland	4	61	Canoeing	Hawaii	12	362
					Iowa	1	73
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	59	155				
Adapted Soccer	Maryland	4	21	Crew	Delaware	1	52
	Minnesota	54	139		District of Columbia	1	25
					Florida	8	190
Adapted Softball	Maryland	4	33		Ohio	9	131
	Minnesota	55	167		South Carolina	1	28
					Virginia	12	507
					West Virginia	2	75
Archery	North Carolina	3	3	Dance Team	Minnesota	189	6,163
Badminton	Arizona	36	701				
	California	*199	4,462	Decathlon	Vermont	1	1
	Florida	10	140				
	Illinois	72	2,273	Equestrian	Hawaii	1	10
	Maryland	24	304		Michigan	35	341
	Minnesota	15	445				
	New York	40	759	Fencing	Maine	1	5
					New Jersey	25	533
Baseball	California	32	412		New York	10	156
	Colorado	34	81		Ohio	1	12
	Connecticut	2	3		Vermont	2	43
	Georgia	4	4				
	Hawaii	5	5	Football (11-player)	California	56	200
	Kansas		24		Colorado	7	46
	Maine	6	13		Connecticut	5	*5
	Maryland		1		Delaware	1	1
	Massachusetts	9	287		Florida		*115
	Minnesota		59		Georgia	10	13
	New Jersey		10		Hawaii	11	18
	Ohio		172		Idaho	6	7
	Oregon	13	177		Kansas		28
	Rhode Island		1		Kentucky	7	15
	Utah		**6		Maine	9	18
	Vermont	2	3		Massachusetts	**10	**114
	Washington	1	**4		Minnesota		102
					North Carolina	8	31
Bowling	Florida	60	843		Ohio		6
	Hawaii	41	395		Oregon	7	29
	Illinois	101	1,751		Vermont	2	2
	Iowa	30	214		Washington	20	**28
	Maryland	6	40		West Virginia	1	1
	Michigan	8	172				
	Nevada	16	210	Football (8-player)	Colorado	2	4
	New Jersey	185	1,551		Kansas		5
	New York	188	1,917				
	North Carolina	3	30	Football (6-player)	California	1	*4
	Ohio	22	148				
	Pennsylvania	59	590	Girls Flag Football	Florida	17	861
	South Carolina	8	46				
	West Virginia	2	25	Heptathlon	Alabama	15	40
					Vermont	2	7

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1999 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 1998-99 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS ¹					
Floor Hockey (1/1)	81	243	81	122	365
Soccer (2/2)	78	261	78	132	393
Softball (2/2)	80	297	80	172	469
ARCHERY (2/1)	5	54	1	24	78
BADMINTON (6/8)	*207	3,844	*404	9,397	13,241
BASEBALL (48/17)	14,486	455,305	136	1,331	456,636
BASKETBALL (51/51)	16,763	549,499	16,439	456,873	1,006,372
BOWLING (13/14)	787	9,149	816	8,781	17,930
CANOEING (1/3)	31	591	34	825	1,416
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS (18/26)	*472	**745	4,064	**74,462	75,207
CREW (8/8)	35	957	36	1,150	2,107
CROSS COUNTRY (51/51)	11,855	181,915	11,341	155,529	337,444
DECATHLON (3/1)	47	115	3	14	129
EQUESTRIAN (4/4)	34	52	38	281	333
FENCING (4/4)	38	752	34	621	1,373
FIELD HOCKEY (3/18)	11	57	1,507	57,980	58,037
FOOTBALL -- (11-player) (51/20)	13,192	**983,625	176	708	984,333
(9-player) (4/0)	215	6,011			6,011
(8-player) (16/4)	587	12,997	8	19	13,016
(6-player) (6/2)	153	5,037	3	16	5,053
GOLF (50/49)	*12,251	167,781	*6,771	52,589	220,370
GYMNASTICS (13/35)	203	2,948	1,637	21,556	24,504
HEPTATHLON (0/3)			39	87	87
ICE HOCKEY (17/12)	1,150	29,866	312	3,554	33,420
JUDO (1/1)	16	291	15	167	458
LACROSSE (16/16)	722	32,371	578	23,521	55,892
PENTATHLON (1/2)	3	6	3	11	17
RIFLERY (10/8)	203	2,039	158	927	2,966
SKIING (Cross Country) (12/12)	372	5,236	377	5,136	10,372
(Alpine) (13/13)	*436	6,746	*414	4,418	11,164
SOCCER (50/50)	9,041	321,416	7,931	257,586	579,002
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch) (7/48)	67	1,194	12,679	340,480	341,674
(Slow Pitch) (1/14)	4	48	1,336	27,354	27,402
SWIMMING & DIVING (47/46)	*5,234	83,411	5,450	133,235	216,646
TEAM TENNIS (1/1) ²	659		659		19,220
TENNIS (51/51)	9,521	142,953	9,385	156,505	299,458
TRACK & FIELD (Indoor) (22/22)	2,066	47,762	1,991	43,246	91,008
(Outdoor) (51/51)	14,620	477,960	14,545	405,163	883,123
VOLLEYBALL (20/50)	1,587	**35,630	13,250	380,994	416,624
WATER POLO (9/7)	581	13,763	506	11,628	25,391
WEIGHT LIFTING (10/7)	523	13,122	179	3,848	16,970
WRESTLING (51/27)	9,022	**235,973	661	2,361	238,334
OTHER	27	330	298	9,923	10,253

* Includes some combined teams

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¹ Number of schools offering combined programs adapted for participants with disabilities

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS 1998-99 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,763	1. Football (11-player)	983,625
2. Track & Field (outdoor)	14,620	2. Basketball	549,499
3. Baseball	14,486	3. Track & Field (outdoor)	477,960
4. Football (11-player)	13,192	4. Baseball	455,305
5. Golf	12,251	5. Soccer	321,416
6. Cross Country	11,855	6. Wrestling	235,973
7. Tennis	9,521	7. Cross Country	181,915
8. Soccer	9,041	8. Golf	167,781
9. Wrestling	9,022	9. Tennis	142,953
10. Swimming & Diving	5,234	10. Swimming & Diving	83,411

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,439	1. Basketball	456,873
2. Track & Field (outdoor)	14,545	2. Track & Field (outdoor)	405,163
3. Volleyball	13,250	3. Volleyball	380,994
4. Softball (fast pitch)	12,679	4. Softball (fast pitch)	340,480
5. Cross Country	11,341	5. Soccer	257,586
6. Tennis	9,385	6. Tennis	156,505
7. Soccer	7,931	7. Cross Country	155,529
8. Golf	6,771	8. Swimming & Diving	133,235
9. Swimming & Diving	5,450	9. Competitive Spirit Squads	74,462
10. Competitive Spirit Squads	4,064	10. Field Hockey	57,980

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Year	Girls Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,472,967	1993-94	2,130,315
1994-95	3,536,359	1994-95	2,240,461
1995-96	3,634,052	1995-96	2,367,936
1996-97	3,706,225	1996-97	2,474,043
1997-98	3,763,120	1997-98	2,570,333
1998-99	*3,832,352	1998-99	*2,652,726

*Total does not include a portion of 19,220 participants in combined sports.

1998-99 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank State	Total Number of Participants ³	Rank State	Total Number of Participants ³
1. Texas	783,751	27. Alabama	81,422
2. California	584,590	28. Louisiana	80,524
3. New York	328,954	29. Connecticut	79,965
4. Ohio	290,226	30. Oklahoma	77,961
5. Illinois	288,212	31. Nebraska	76,823
6. Michigan	285,465	32. South Carolina	74,256
7. Pennsylvania	234,644	33. Mississippi	72,303
8. Minnesota	220,583	34. Arkansas	51,897
9. New Jersey	208,791	35. Maine	51,472
10. Massachusetts	179,142	36. Utah	49,090
11. Florida	174,618	37. Idaho	44,021
12. Wisconsin	168,903	38. Montana	36,528
13. Indiana	159,252	39. West Virginia	36,067
14. Washington	155,634	40. New Hampshire	35,606
15. Missouri	154,763	41. New Mexico	33,826
16. Iowa	149,787	42. Nevada	32,338
17. North Carolina	131,998	43. South Dakota	30,775
18. Georgia	131,768	44. Hawaii	29,987
19. Virginia	126,217	45. North Dakota	27,587
20. Colorado	104,388	46. Rhode Island	22,230
21. Kansas	99,317	47. Vermont	21,740
22. Oregon	95,824	48. Delaware	21,145
23. Maryland	91,040	49. Wyoming	18,034
24. Tennessee	87,214	50. Alaska	14,527
25. Kentucky	83,523	51. District of Columbia	3,523
26. Arizona	82,047	TOTAL	6,504,298

³Reflects participation rate. i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	374	8,631	394	11,353			55	519
Alaska	11	352	97	1,769	6	31	69	742
Arizona	186	6,500	196	6,931			142	2,012
Arkansas	269	5,724	302	6,610	*8	10	71	741
California	1,073	40,102	1,144	39,846			863	18,668
Colorado	260	8,061	292	8,518	18	72	196	2,665
Connecticut	169	5,765	170	5,118			158	2,653
Delaware	40	1,385	41	1,274			36	612
District of Columbia	12	206	15	358			12	101
Florida	407	11,187	450	11,874			342	4,321
Georgia	342	11,166	353	11,063	40	79	288	4,408
Hawaii	55	1,617	59	1,735	11	52	56	772
Idaho	89	2,617	173	4,944			94	1,168
Illinois	597	20,905	652	23,856			400	7,164
Indiana	377	13,016	381	13,881			369	3,987
Iowa	391	12,648	400	14,795	6	19	303	3,788
Kansas	180	6,388	367	9,644			256	2,846
Kentucky	270	7,694	275	8,057			232	2,995
Louisiana	308	8,008	408	12,240			306	3,366
Maine	126	3,420	139	4,316	14	22	106	1,307
Maryland	176	5,354	177	5,027			157	2,516
Massachusetts	320	12,111	327	11,661	9	59	274	4,692
Michigan	634	19,999	716	24,436			595	7,549
Minnesota	417	15,685	452	17,733			312	5,423
Mississippi	250	5,846	260	7,684	10	50	118	2,412
Missouri	469	12,702	557	15,604			30	278
Montana			180	5,039			60	742
Nebraska	31	1,345	329	9,019			167	1,850
Nevada	73	2,215	84	2,688			57	660
New Hampshire	85	2,524	86	2,618	114	19	67	849
New Jersey	397	15,130	384	12,915			354	5,910
New Mexico	96	2,162	129	3,369	111	20	88	1,136
New York	717	21,310	735	21,526			534	7,550
North Carolina	323	9,958	326	9,399	15	50	270	3,837
North Dakota	45	749	171	4,206			48	437
Ohio	767	23,715	782	24,397			581	7,968
Oklahoma	430	9,886	470	9,790			169	1,230
Oregon	220	6,691	261	7,703	87	136	186	2,813
Pennsylvania	612	18,360	638	19,140			468	4,680
Rhode Island	44	1,463	44	1,139			38	679
South Carolina	188	5,769	197	6,717			127	1,933
South Dakota			183	4,513	8	33	116	918
Tennessee	331	8,275	338	8,788		**43	227	3,178
Texas	1,019	40,040	1,173	70,675			1,110	27,054
Utah	105	2,922	116	3,457			103	1,595
Vermont	61	1,534	60	1,750	4	5	37	474
Virginia	264	7,561	267	8,054			233	3,610
Washington	335	11,113	389	13,026			279	5,120
West Virginia	126	2,968	135	3,611	11	15	72	702
Wisconsin	415	12,526	419	13,757			337	4,447
Wyoming			70	1,876			39	472

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State	Football 11-player		Football 8-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	370	21,359			248	1,177		
Alaska	17	1,233						
Arizona	161	13,995	16	658	134	1,555		
Arkansas	180	9,992			189	1,682		
California	940	91,301	48	1,280	744	10,783	4	12
Colorado	203	13,916	38	787	150	2,172		
Connecticut	120	8,053			154	2,012		
Delaware	38	2,312			34	416		
District of Columbia	11	693			1	8		
Florida	354	27,901			355	3,258		
Georgia	328	22,709			313	2,940		
Hawaii	54	4,037			57	552		
Idaho	123	7,251	31	755	80	1,072		
Illinois	543	46,695			491	11,991	49	1,239
Indiana	308	24,100			359	4,441		
Iowa	355	21,053	1	20	347	6,950		
Kansas	255	14,622	106	2,311	256	4,566		
Kentucky	216	11,642	7		251	2,521		
Louisiana	293	16,107			163	1,141	6	54
Maine	63	3,276			107	1,347	3	21
Maryland	167	11,944			145	1,587	2	37
Massachusetts	285	17,793			265	4,188	19	203
Michigan	619	42,231			561	8,334	5	33
Minnesota	372	29,891			374	8,252		
Mississippi	241	19,273	1	28	125	1,384		
Missouri	317	**21,200	19	451	310	4,463		
Montana	96	5,357	50	1,085	84	1,225		
Nebraska	179	11,580	128	3,044	195	3,388		
Nevada	60	5,460	10	265	55	760		
New Hampshire	39	2,389			57	851		
New Jersey	342	22,379			279	4,043		
New Mexico	88	5,303			72	689		
New York	541	32,493			543	7,590	25	248
North Carolina	317	21,543			299	3,286		
North Dakota	64	3,313			94	960		
Ohio	704	42,591			677	9,202	14	152
Oklahoma	259	8,983	60	680	227	1,075		
Oregon	185	11,763	40	843	169	2,201		
Pennsylvania	541	24,345			501	5,010	1	10
Rhode Island	40	1,979			41	514		
South Carolina	195	16,201			155	1,707		
South Dakota	75	4,010			104	1,381		
Tennessee	297	16,335			291	2,619		
Texas	987	159,535			1,082	15,130	63	861
Utah	90	8,165			*101	1,252		
Vermont	21	1,254	6	218	46	640	3	12
Virginia	266	17,676			245	2,845	9	66
Washington	299	20,025	26	572	271	3,857		
West Virginia	126	5,869			96	1,172		
Wisconsin	389	27,863			315	6,774		
Wyoming	59	2,635			39	818		

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State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Rifflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	19	479			6	100	20	305
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California							5	89
Colorado	11	219	25	694			14	114
Connecticut	57	1,395	33	1,630				
Delaware			25	877				
District of Columbia								
Florida			21	723				
Georgia					87	670		
Hawaii					35	448		
Idaho							4	128
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa	4	54						
Kansas								
Kentucky								
Louisiana								
Maine	46	1,251	28	958	5	49	40	447
Maryland			102	4,014				
Massachusetts	223	6,634	75	3,406			20	376
Michigan	126	2,767	26	1,504				
Minnesota	222	6,218					93	1,647
Mississippi								
Missouri	35	600						
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					7	50		
New Hampshire	24	592	20	954			50	275
New Jersey	77	2,177	58	2,755				
New Mexico								
New York	112	2,581	215	10,700	27	390	94	1,407
North Carolina			10	446	3	36		
North Dakota	16	604						
Ohio	52	1,256	24	1,240	1	11	1	85
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					31	279		
Rhode Island	28	627						
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	24	454	20	675	1	6	24	270
Virginia			38	1,771				
Washington								
West Virginia			2	24				
Wisconsin	74	1,958						
Wyoming							7	93

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State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			111	2,776	33	251	144	1,501
Alaska			20	661	22	255	5	93
Arizona			124	4,019	76	1,227	119	1,552
Arkansas			44	1,084	18	133	77	671
California	19	301	967	35,537	669	14,687	808	15,380
Colorado	14	238	148	4,776	97	1,396	125	2,027
Connecticut			168	6,421	88	1,423	139	2,087
Delaware			40	1,552	27	380	31	415
District of Columbia	*8	131	6	144	3	30	12	63
Florida			362	10,380	266	3,498	325	2,996
Georgia			240	7,016	132	1,636	321	3,321
Hawaii			56	1,591	48	319	52	742
Idaho			28	952	11	177	47	845
Illinois			310	14,765	201	4,052	280	9,653
Indiana			219	7,028	204	2,556	295	4,981
Iowa			98	3,215	52	1,062	113	2,266
Kansas			74	3,402	57	705	125	1,965
Kentucky			157	4,585	130	1,493	216	2,195
Louisiana			93	1,395	63	945	188	1,310
Maine	49	543	132	4,567	44	496	89	1,191
Maryland			170	5,716	71	1,149	173	1,923
Massachusetts	66	1,114	312	12,293	128	1,655	214	3,073
Michigan	84	1,229	381	12,899	221	4,220	359	7,491
Minnesota	74	1,510	144	7,894	139	3,106	187	4,371
Mississippi			96	2,675	42	425	144	1,459
Missouri			182	6,785	85	1,730	177	3,141
Montana			21	519	20	217	32	492
Nebraska			58	1,984	41	512	54	747
Nevada	14	295	47	1,495	35	440	35	315
New Hampshire	50	530	83	3,187			50	637
New Jersey	16	192	355	15,640	183	2,629	319	4,976
New Mexico			56	1,805	34	342	49	426
New York			658	23,632	264	4,820	504	8,425
North Carolina			243	7,526	167	1,900	273	3,148
North Dakota			13	538	12	188	16	257
Ohio	4	85	492	14,867	264	3,315	604	5,930
Oklahoma			86	1,589	43	513	108	1,000
Oregon			146	5,139	111	1,336	109	1,688
Pennsylvania			499	17,465	269	4,842	367	3,670
Rhode Island			43	1,467	*30	180	39	723
South Carolina			126	3,925	37	320	119	1,300
South Dakota							19	346
Tennessee			185	5,180			238	1,904
Texas			399	21,693	335	4,635	1,088	15,971
Utah			76	2,527	67	1,094	78	1,138
Vermont	31	503	60	2,175			28	356
Virginia			215	6,565	107	1,972	144	3,838
Washington			255	8,966	127	2,536	226	4,456
West Virginia			58	1,592	28	282	79	759
Wisconsin			169	7,103	111	1,945	162	3,460
Wyoming	7	75	16	709	22	387	16	279

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State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	42	539	287	6,126				
Alaska			35	773	30	189		
Arizona			171	6,176	31	891		
Arkansas	45	896	196	4,349			26	1,120
California			887	39,262	489	11,660		
Colorado			279	7,292				
Connecticut	106	2,880	158	5,431				
Delaware	27	517	35	981	3	54		
District of Columbia	12	151	12	194				
Florida			366	10,209	96	1,491	160	4,070
Georgia			328	8,749			41	2,008
Hawaii			59	1,745	55	1,168	4	113
Idaho			157	3,859			6	314
Illinois			520	18,810	125	4,432		
Indiana			368	11,464				
Iowa	62	1,890	379	11,212				
Kansas			367	9,250				
Kentucky			244	5,385				
Louisiana	102	1,122	408	8,596				
Maine	57	1,169	95	2,680	13	167	3	47
Maryland	149	3,447	171	4,637	23	554		
Massachusetts	188	5,992	263	9,940	70	1,457		
Michigan			656	21,974	30	430		
Minnesota			426	14,308				
Mississippi	34	478	209	4,775			115	1,348
Missouri			438	12,287	42	1,071		
Montana			176	3,693				
Nebraska			324	7,677				
Nevada			78	2,650	19	730		
New Hampshire	42	785	67	1,800				
New Jersey	259	6,488	348	13,212	53	999		
New Mexico			120	2,721				
New York	316	8,351	586	17,441	195	3,926		
North Carolina	132	2,034	308	9,909			27	1,621
North Dakota			138	2,373				
Ohio	130	2,902	719	21,810	54	1,161	43	1,806
Oklahoma	30	340	382	3,961				
Oregon			245	7,840				
Pennsylvania	130	2,340	506	16,192	156	2,808		
Rhode Island	33	1,042	37	1,576	24	473		
South Carolina			186	5,954				
South Dakota			181	3,571				
Tennessee			231	4,851				
Texas			1,173	81,218			98	675
Utah			107	4,136				
Vermont	9	103	39	952				
Virginia	149	4,054	262	7,680	47	711		
Washington			339	11,097				
West Virginia			105	2,504				
Wisconsin			379	11,049	32	1,258		
Wyoming	12	242	70	1,629				

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State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	61	1,480
Alaska	52	1,059
Arizona	152	4,737
Arkansas	2	24
California	702	23,163
Colorado	222	5,632
Connecticut	93	2,215
Delaware	39	1,014
District of Columbia	1	16
Florida	248	6,558
Georgia	240	6,274
Hawaii	49	1,117
Idaho	114	2,738
Illinois	343	13,160
Indiana	307	9,294
Iowa	295	7,062
Kansas	194	4,626
Kentucky	66	1,477
Louisiana	49	950
Maine	56	1,057
Maryland	157	4,002
Massachusetts	143	3,677
Michigan	447	11,499
Minnesota	353	9,344
Mississippi	1	15
Missouri	201	**6,567
Montana	77	1,853
Nebraska	224	4,323
Nevada	64	1,520
New Hampshire	32	645
New Jersey	309	8,699
New Mexico	55	1,504
New York	460	12,095
North Carolina	260	6,808
North Dakota	56	1,021
Ohio	557	13,287
Oklahoma	140	2,592
Oregon	178	4,935
Pennsylvania	467	8,406
Rhode Island	32	949
South Carolina	103	3,424
South Dakota	91	1,472
Tennessee	137	3,836
Texas	142	1,449
Utah	94	3,500
Vermont	19	262
Virginia	214	5,898
Washington	268	8,984
West Virginia	75	1,484
Wisconsin	331	6,980
Wyoming	50	1,290

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	81	243	Flag Football	Florida	2	54
Adapted Soccer	Maryland	4	36	Football 9-player	California	2	190
	Minnesota	74	225		Minnesota	59	2,207
Adapted Softball	Maryland	4	47		North Dakota	55	1,548
	Minnesota	76	250		South Dakota	99	2,066
Archery	North Carolina	4	18	Football 6-player	California	1	9
	Vermont	1	36		Colorado	16	224
Badminton	Arkansas	1	7		Montana	16	388
	California	*164	3,387		Nebraska	20	259
	Florida	13	135		New Mexico	12	195
	Maryland	15	129	Judo	Texas	88	3,962
	New York	13	150		Hawaii	16	291
	Vermont	1	36	Kayaking	Hawaii	6	56
Bowling	Florida	77	750	Mountain Biking	Vermont	1	14
	Hawaii	43	429	Physical Fitness	Hawaii	1	15
	Iowa	32	339	Pentathlon	Alaska	3	6
	Maine	1	7		Arkansas	1	35
	Michigan	11	348		Iowa	2	15
	Nevada	19	252	Rodeo	Vermont	1	32
	New Jersey	204	2,283	Sailing	Vermont	1	7
	New York	302	3,685	Ski Jumping	New Hampshire	2	8
	North Carolina	9	108	Softball (Fast Pitch)	California	17	580
	Ohio	26	334		Florida	17	141
	Pennsylvania	56	560		Kansas		11
	South Carolina	6	48		Maine	2	37
	West Virginia	1	6		Missouri	18	262
Canoeing	Hawaii	31	591		Ohio	12	151
Crew	Arkansas	1	2		Vermont	1	12
	Delaware	1	51	Softball (Slow Pitch)	Ohio	4	48
	District of Columbia	2	28	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	10	94
	Florida	10	268	Team Tennis	Texas	659	19,220
	Maine	1	15	Water Polo	California	395	10,725
	Ohio	10	259		Florida	45	586
	Virginia	8	284		Hawaii	11	136
	West Virginia	2	50		Michigan	13	382
Decathlon	Alabama	17	46		Missouri	20	**546
	Arkansas	27	44		Nevada	4	60
	Maine	3	25		Ohio	9	206
Equestrian	Hawaii	1	4		Pennsylvania	14	210
	Maine	1	2		Texas	70	912
	Michigan	29	37				
	Vermont	3	9				
Fencing	New Jersey	20	452				
	New York	15	261				
	Ohio	2	30				
	Vermont	1	9				
Field Hockey	California	1	12				
	Maine	2	3				
	Massachusetts	8	42				

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country		Field Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	389	5,891			44	407		
Alaska	94	1,471	21	324	62	577		
Arizona	205	5,684			137	1,577		
Arkansas	299	5,408	22	**427	60	556		
California	1,098	30,979			839	14,245	63	2,111
Colorado	291	7,233	138	2,788	196	2,397	10	401
Connecticut	170	4,037			149	2,031	71	2,875
Delaware	41	966			34	536	39	1,486
District of Columbia	13	200	11	132	11	107		
Florida	420	9,708			333	4,824		
Georgia	343	8,855	219	4,051	269	3,383		
Hawaii	61	1,607	36	610	55	848		
Idaho	173	4,094			94	972		
Illinois	588	17,116			394	6,450		
Indiana	381	12,510			357	3,261		
Iowa	397	12,651	44	883	285	3,260		
Kansas	367	7,484			257	2,382		
Kentucky	275	6,077	259	**4,979	231	2,536		
Louisiana	376	9,400			204	1,224		
Maine	138	3,586	73	1,253	106	1,144	79	2,947
Maryland	176	4,518			157	1,821	114	3,866
Massachusetts	319	9,830	265	2,059	265	3,841	190	8,447
Michigan	698	20,421	136	2,915	578	6,670		
Minnesota	442	12,673			312	3,810		
Mississippi	260	5,612	130	2,500	55	1,026		
Missouri	531	12,860	121	1,400	272	3,630	21	858
Montana	180	4,196			69	722		
Nebraska	329	7,462			172	1,450		
Nevada	81	2,225			54	504		
New Hampshire	86	2,341	114	1,451	66	731	54	1,944
New Jersey	381	9,926			353	4,414	206	9,409
New Mexico	130	2,923	111	865	85	952		
New York	714	17,334			487	5,841	228	8,524
North Carolina	326	7,612	75	1,933	263	3,121	6	196
North Dakota	160	3,466			42	354		
Ohio	781	18,424			496	6,770	31	1,148
Oklahoma	470	9,790	184	3,009	149	1,072		
Oregon	260	6,516	254	4,790	176	2,515		
Pennsylvania	633	18,990			469	4,690	255	8,925
Rhode Island	44	956			39	618	20	651
South Carolina	196	5,289	85	1,929	124	1,503	1	46
South Dakota	176	3,478	23	256	115	719		
Tennessee	339	6,441	70	910	229	2,519		
Texas	1,173	70,407	1,175	23,110	1,121	29,979		
Utah	115	3,066	89	1,718	96	1,251		
Vermont	61	1,656	21	304	37	378	27	1,100
Virginia	263	6,385	259	7,390	232	2,914	92	3,046
Washington	377	10,671			272	3,911		
West Virginia	133	2,335	129	2,476	65	608		
Wisconsin	417	12,462			340	4,127		
Wyoming	69	1,651			34	351		

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State	Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	77	230						
Alaska			6	83	20	391		
Arizona	66	550						
Arkansas	116	338	14	69				
California	366	1,447	72	1,230	7	75	16	168
Colorado	92	1,028	60	689	12	89	12	98
Connecticut	36	90	66	502				
Delaware	10	13						
District of Columbia	1	2					*8	131
Florida	266	2,003	10	171				
Georgia	188	692	29	300				
Hawaii	38	119	7	50				
Idaho	75	485	13	84	4	58		
Illinois	294	2,903	93	1,801				
Indiana	228	1,936	91	1,247				
Iowa	351	4,102						
Kansas	86	822	20	237				
Kentucky	206	1,340						
Louisiana	22	44	18	216				
Maine	46	84	21	139	39	379	46	379
Maryland	67	96	7	152				
Massachusetts	82	319	82	1,184	19	297	60	802
Michigan	257	3,571	70	1,017			83	873
Minnesota	361	4,041	187	2,741	101	1,976	76	714
Mississippi	12	72						
Missouri	114	1,229	3	34				
Montana	75	720						
Nebraska	108	1,127	18	146				
Nevada	48	335					14	275
New Hampshire	34	69	18	137	49	291	49	384
New Jersey	12	329	73	924			8	118
New Mexico	63	346						
New York	87	607	115	1,642	93	1,145		
North Carolina	99	375	8	68				
North Dakota	87	598	13	124				
Ohio	230	1,202	122	1,074	2	81	5	117
Oklahoma	163	799						
Oregon	133	1,122						
Pennsylvania	244	2,440	21	210				
Rhode Island		42	21	189				
South Carolina	30	204						
South Dakota	97	813	35	375				
Tennessee	287	1,091						
Texas	1,065	8,986	56	740				
Utah	*22	47						
Vermont	36	147	10	101	24	262	30	296
Virginia			75	831				
Washington	240	2,096	76	1,495				
West Virginia	16	24						
Wisconsin	105	1,245	95	1,413				
Wyoming	33	269	12	141	7	92	7	63

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State	Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	81	2,076	151	2,416	219	3,690	37	317
Alaska	20	588	11	348			22	393
Arizona	92	2,828	179	5,172			76	2,054
Arkansas	39	665	53	1,204	194	3,706	17	180
California	925	30,222	1,020	28,979			692	25,157
Colorado	147	4,625	139	3,923			109	3,699
Connecticut	143	4,552	145	4,525			77	2,145
Delaware	32	1,126	37	1,097			28	646
District of Columbia	1	32	13	178			3	34
Florida	334	10,130	396	9,697	24	480	282	6,453
Georgia	234	6,124	178	4,425	173	3,990	131	2,509
Hawaii	57	1,467	50	914			55	691
Idaho	28	891	82	2,069	12	189		
Illinois	247	10,911	577	15,891			221	5,746
Indiana	170	5,194	346	9,824			210	4,500
Iowa	68	2,197	391	10,214			57	1,695
Kansas	53	2,106	172	4,903			58	1,423
Kentucky	123	3,115	254	5,436	26	542	130	1,909
Louisiana	38	570	352	5,280			36	360
Maine	126	3,888	126	3,199			51	1,020
Maryland	154	4,669	174	4,844			71	1,709
Massachusetts	295	10,810	281	9,303	21	601	143	3,672
Michigan	314	10,756	631	16,514			223	5,893
Minnesota	136	5,617	388	11,382			177	5,621
Mississippi	59	1,425	92	2,565	209	4,225	42	700
Missouri	149	5,308	432	9,436			99	2,805
Montana	21	510	42	1,063			19	364
Nebraska	54	1,732	66	1,665			44	908
Nevada	42	1,180	68	2,376			35	866
New Hampshire	60	2,385	85	2,444				
New Jersey	317	11,351	381	12,948			191	4,688
New Mexico	52	1,501	72	1,338			33	590
New York	636	22,391	700	18,532			276	7,204
North Carolina	221	5,992	314	7,441	1	18	161	3,040
North Dakota	13	595					12	308
Ohio	341	10,142	684	17,965	34	901	321	5,634
Oklahoma	83	1,565	312	6,840	315	6,878	44	520
Oregon	135	4,128	192	5,133			110	2,390
Pennsylvania	378	13,230	601	19,232			274	4,932
Rhode Island	46	1,230	32	836	16	301		361
South Carolina	92	2,492	189	4,735			42	582
South Dakota								
Tennessee	168	4,032	323	5,975				
Texas	396	16,260	815	27,006			336	6,386
Utah	72	2,353	88	2,153			69	1,352
Vermont	60	2,035	53	1,355	1	15		
Virginia	200	4,884	258	6,313			108	2,725
Washington	250	7,874	236	7,681	91	1,818	143	4,081
West Virginia	58	1,216	114	2,452			30	502
Wisconsin	155	6,030	384	11,259			129	3,816
Wyoming	16	586					26	655

* Includes some coeducational teams

** Includes boys playing on girls' teams and girls playing on boys' teams

State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	149	1,519	40	408	280	4,231	286	4,432
Alaska	5	63			36	694	79	1,445
Arizona	118	1,822			168	5,147	191	6,284
Arkansas	76	762	37	545	191	3,349	65	1,465
California	833	17,383			883	29,682	1,092	30,879
Colorado	125	3,156			279	6,040	292	8,722
Connecticut	115	2,140	100	1,778	151	5,056	131	3,151
Delaware	31	451	29	530	34	881	32	935
District of Columbia	12	49	11	139	11	161	15	160
Florida	338	3,603			356	9,752	412	9,836
Georgia	326	3,937			329	7,799	131	2,775
Hawaii	54	823			56	1,307	63	1,624
Idaho	47	957			156	2,958	170	4,419
Illinois	279	10,990			517	15,106	626	20,229
Indiana	304	5,485			367	9,967	382	10,580
Iowa	118	2,927	71	1,840	375	9,064	399	14,254
Kansas	131	2,322			366	6,940	364	10,268
Kentucky	213	2,435			243	4,615	114	2,495
Louisiana	149	1,043	82	820	367	4,037	164	2,296
Maine	88	365	55	1,003	95	2,480	18	264
Maryland	174	2,133	146	3,108	170	4,140	170	4,244
Massachusetts	222	3,817	187	5,778	264	10,102	184	4,713
Michigan	344	8,285			653	18,183	694	21,220
Minnesota	217	4,876			424	12,436	430	15,530
Mississippi	141	1,115	23	285	236	3,956	51	970
Missouri	163	2,989			437	10,961	411	11,170
Montana	59	1,070			174	3,190	164	4,083
Nebraska	56	1,088			325	6,461	330	9,056
Nevada	35	454			78	1,802	75	2,225
New Hampshire	46	705	41	717	67	1,641	47	1,131
New Jersey	325	5,914	249	6,287	344	11,899	148	3,692
New Mexico	60	527			122	2,105	125	3,007
New York	416	8,003	302	7,812	590	16,830	608	14,902
North Carolina	274	3,334	120	1,680	307	7,997	326	6,934
North Dakota	16	350			141	2,066	122	3,509
Ohio	400	6,473	129	2,548	719	19,670	773	18,970
Oklahoma	109	1,008	26	265	390	3,557	80	1,019
Oregon	119	2,243			240	6,269	259	7,035
Pennsylvania	365	3,650	133	2,394	507	16,224	464	8,352
Rhode Island	43	845	38	1,145	35	1,252	40	964
South Carolina	117	1,521			183	5,103	174	3,522
South Dakota	19	283			178	2,823	150	3,718
Tennessee	241	1,928			235	4,935	243	4,374
Texas	1,090	15,856			1,171	68,330	865	52,485
Utah	77	1,124			107	3,342	115	2,888
Vermont	30	390	10	133	34	1,056		
Virginia	214	2,747	149	3,836	262	6,868	220	4,718
Washington	237	5,750			340	9,364	373	10,955
West Virginia	81	947			105	2,281	99	2,047
Wisconsin	168	4,567			378	9,630	416	15,234
Wyoming	16	281	13	195	69	1,424	68	1,814

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	81	122		Delaware	1	62
Adapted Soccer	Maryland	4	22		District of Columbia	2	52
	Minnesota	74	110		Florida	10	322
Adapted Softball	Maryland	4	46		Maine	1	5
	Minnesota	76	126		Ohio	11	290
Archery	Vermont	1	24		Virginia	8	352
Badminton	Arizona	40	661	Dance Team	West Virginia	2	66
	California	*199	4,462		Minnesota	207	6,979
	Florida	13	163	Decathlon	Maine	3	14
	Illinois	71	2,395	Equestrian	Hawaii	1	10
	Maryland	23	472		Maine	1	4
	Minnesota	15	393		Michigan	34	264
	New York	42	827		Vermont	2	3
	Vermont	1	24	Fencing	New Jersey	23	495
Baseball	California	32	412		New York	8	110
	Colorado	42	100		Ohio	2	15
	Delaware	2	4		Vermont	1	1
	Florida	7	75	Football 11-player	Arizona	11	11
	Georgia	11	29		Arkansas	2	8
	Hawaii	3	4		California	56	200
	Kansas		39		Colorado	3	10
	Maine	4	6		Delaware	1	1
	Massachusetts	2	2		Florida	17	119
	Minnesota		45		Georgia	13	53
	New Jersey		1		Hawaii	6	9
	North Dakota	3	3		Idaho	10	11
	Ohio		186		Kansas		15
	Oregon	17	369		Maine	8	14
	Rhode Island		1		Massachusetts	11	11
	Vermont	5	28		Minnesota		42
	Washington	8	27		North Carolina	9	15
Bowling	Florida	100	1,105		Ohio		4
	Hawaii	55	383		Oregon	11	154
	Illinois	106	1,952		Utah		5
	Iowa	30	215		Vermont	5	6
	Maine	1	6		Washington	11	18
	Michigan	11	270		West Virginia	2	2
	Nevada	19	221	Football 8-player	Colorado	4	10
	New Jersey	191	1,554		Kansas		6
	New York	214	2,225		Oregon	1	1
	North Carolina	9	97		Washington	3	2
	Ohio	15	115	Football 6-player	California	1	4
	Pennsylvania	60	600		Colorado	2	12
	South Carolina	4	32	Girls Flag Football	Florida	46	2,159
	West Virginia	1	6	Heptathlon	Alabama	16	47
Canoeing	Hawaii	32	727		Arkansas	21	33
	Iowa	1	74		Vermont	2	7
	Maine	1	24				
Crew	Arkansas	1	1				

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Ice Hockey	Alaska	10	17	Sailing	Vermont	1	6
	Colorado	2	5		New Hampshire	2	7
	Maine	22	26	Ski Jumping	Hawaii	11	131
	Massachusetts	79	607		Minnesota	21	497
	Michigan	6	180	Soft Tennis	Texas	659	19,220
	Minnesota	156	2,519		California	368	9,487
	New Hampshire	24	43	Synchronized Swimming	Florida	46	734
	New Jersey		73		Hawaii	18	208
	North Dakota	4	20	Team Tennis	Michigan	9	427
	Ohio		8		Ohio	7	126
	Rhode Island		28	Water Polo	Pennsylvania	9	135
	Vermont	9	28		Texas	49	511
Judo	Hawaii	15	157	Weight Lifting	Florida	87	2,123
Kayaking	Hawaii	5	63		Georgia	18	514
Lacrosse	Colorado	20	527		Hawaii	4	40
	Delaware	16	568		Maine	2	15
	District of Columbia	1	23	Wrestling	North Carolina	17	351
	Florida	18	588		Ohio	18	503
	Maine	21	751		Texas	33	302
	Maryland	87	3,081		Alaska	21	41
	Massachusetts	59	2,513		Arizona	4	4
	Michigan	11	521		Arkansas		1
	New Hampshire	15	502		California	210	494
	New Jersey	67	3,846		Colorado	21	33
	New York	139	6,364		Delaware	3	3
	Ohio	21	938		Florida	53	173
	Pennsylvania	65	2,080		Georgia	34	98
	Virginia	18	623		Hawaii	41	216
	Vermont	18	556		Idaho	10	14
	West Virginia	2	40		Iowa	12	20
Pentathlon	Alaska	2	10		Kansas		34
	Iowa	1	1		Maine	23	44
Physical Fitness	Hawaii	1	6		Massachusetts	29	68
					Michigan		123
Riflery	Alaska	6	35		Minnesota		26
	Georgia	65	195		New Hampshire	32	20
	Hawaii	38	339		New Jersey		44
	Maine	5	13		North Carolina	11	167
	Nevada	8	20		Ohio		114
	New York	8	80		Oregon	26	71
	Pennsylvania	27	243		Texas	49	363
	Vermont	1	2		Utah		5
Rodeo	Arkansas	1	56		Vermont	6	12
	Iowa	2	2		West Virginia	12	27
Rugby	Vermont	1	17		Washington	62	139
					Wyoming	2	7

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2000 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 1999-2000 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS ¹					
Bowling (1/1)	11	71	11	71	142
Floor Hockey (1/1)	69	144	69	99	243
Soccer (1/1)	64	170	64	110	280
Softball (1/1)	64	148	64	110	258
ARCHERY (0/1)			1	1	1
BADMINTON (4/7)	238	4262	429	9,643	13,905
BASEBALL (48/17)	14,610	451,701	94	1,354	453,055
BASKETBALL (51/51)	16,852	541,130	16,526	451,600	992,730
BOWLING (15/16)	859	10,110	890	9,603	19,713
CANOEING (1/2)	32	628	287	8,222	8,850
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS (21/27)	468	1,212	3,497	64,319	65,531
CREW (8/7)	50	1,344	34	930	2,274
CROSS COUNTRY (51/51)	11,891	183,139	11,277	154,021	337,160
DECATHLON (6/4)	84	189	37	100	289
EQUESTRIAN (3/2)	21	46	55	360	406
FENCING (5/5)	40	777	34	641	1,418
FIELD HOCKEY (3/18)	8	213	1,528	58,372	58,585
FOOTBALL 11-Player (51/19)	13,313	1,002,734	187	658	1,003,392
(9-player) (3/0)	197	5,379			5,379
(8-player) (15/6)	584	13,144	6	14	13,158
(6-player) (6/1)	141	4,505	1	1	4,506
GOLF (50/49)	12,391	165,857	7,090	54,720	220,577
GYMNASTICS (15/33)	237	3,495	1,629	21,620	25,115
HEPTATHLON (0/4)			62	102	102
ICE HOCKEY (18/13)	1,240	32,166	321	4,245	36,411
JUDO (1/1)	17	361	18	211	572
LACROSSE (18/17)	796	35,266	674	26,677	61,943
PENTATHLON (0/1)			2	17	17
RIFLERY (11/9)	226	2,274	142	775	3,049
SKIING (Cross Country) (11/11)	389	5,093	395	5,082	10,175
(Alpine) (13/12)	434	6,761	413	4,225	10,986
SOCCER 50/50)	9,330	330,044	8,218	270,273	600,317
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch) (5/47)	63	1,413	13,009	343,001	344,414
(Slow Pitch) (2/10)	4	71	1,141	22,007	22,078
SWIMMING & DIVING (47/47)	5,324	86,640	5,536	138,475	225,115
TEAM TENNIS (1/1) ²	659				19,289
TENNIS (51/51)	9,603	139,507	9,468	159,740	299,247
TRACK AND FIELD (Indoor) (21/21)	2,093	49,186	1,997	43,385	92,571
(OUTDOOR) (51/51)	14,664	480,791	14,587	405,305	886,096
VOLLEYBALL (21/51)	1,622	35,915	13,426	382,755	418,670
WATER POLO (8/7)	572	13,871	506	11,856	25,727
WEIGHT LIFTING (10/8)	535	12,531	186	4,592	17,123
WRESTLING (50/28)	9,046	239,105	734	2,474	241,579
OTHER	41	356	519	14,108	14,464

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1 Number of schools offering combined programs adapted for participants with disabilities

2 Number of schools offering combined team tennis

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

1999-2000 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	16,852	1.	Football (11-player)	1,002,734
2.	Track and Field Outdoor	14,664	2.	Basketball	541,130
3.	Baseball	14,610	3.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	480,791
4.	Football (11-player)	13,313	4.	Baseball	451,701
5.	Golf	12,391	5.	Soccer	330,044
6.	Cross Country	11,891	6.	Wrestling	239,105
7.	Tennis	9,603	7.	Cross Country	183,139
8.	Soccer	9,330	8.	Golf	165,857
9.	Wrestling	9,046	9.	Tennis	139,507
10.	Swimming & Diving	5,324	10.	Swimming & Diving	86,640

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools		Participants	
1. Basketball	16,526	1. Basketball	451,600
2. Track and Field (Outdoor)	14,587	2. Track and Field (Outdoor)	405,305
3. Volleyball	13,426	3. Volleyball	382,755
4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	13,009	4. Softball (Fast Pitch)	343,001
5. Cross Country	11,277	5. Soccer	270,273
6. Tennis	9,468	6. Tennis	159,740
7. Soccer	8,218	7. Cross Country	154,021
8. Golf	7,090	8. Swimming & Diving	138,475
9. Swimming & Diving	5,536	9. Competitive Spirit Squads	64,319
10. Competitive Spirit Squads	3,497	10. Field Hockey	58,372

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Year	Girls Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,472,967	1993-94	2,130,315
1994-95	3,536,359	1994-95	2,240,461
1995-96	3,634,052	1995-96	2,367,936
1996-97	3,706,225	1996-97	2,474,043
1997-98	3,763,120	1997-98	2,570,333
1998-99	3,832,352	1998-99	2,652,726
99-2000	*3,861,749	99-2000	*2,675,874

*Total does not include a portion of 19,289 participants in combined sports.

1999-2000 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ³	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ³
1.	Texas	783,437	27.	Alabama	82,134
2.	California	604,297	28.	Louisiana	80,524
3.	New York	328,954	29.	Kentucky	79,073
4..	Ohio	295,526	30.	Nebraska	78,209
5.	Michigan	286,978	31.	Mississippi	75,611
6.	Illinois	279,957	32.	South Carolina	74,640
7.	Pennsylvania	234,932	33.	Oklahoma	70,565
8.	Minnesota	222,538	34.	Maine	54,000
9.	New Jersey	216,607	35.	Utah	49,102
10.	Florida	196,885	36.	Idaho	42,742
11.	Massachusetts	177,433	37.	Arkansas	42,713
12.	Wisconsin	171,398	38.	New Hampshire	37,337
13.	Indiana	154,893	39.	West Virginia	36,378
14.	Missouri	154,734	40.	Montana	35,821
15.	Washington	153,825	41.	New Mexico	33,826
16.	Iowa	144,323	42.	Nevada	31,610
17.	North Carolina	137,752	43.	South Dakota	29,641
18.	Georgia	131,768	44.	Hawaii	28,995
19.	Virginia	124,665	45.	North Dakota	28,176
20.	Colorado	105,972	46.	Vermont	24,631
21.	Kansas	101,856	47.	Rhode Island	24,063
22.	Oregon	95,005	48.	Delaware	21,713
23.	Maryland	94,864	49.	Wyoming	18,584
24.	Tennessee	88,827	50.	Alaska	17,709
25.	Arizona	85,698	51.	District of Columbia	3,827
26.	Connecticut	82,164	TOTAL		6,556,912

³Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	379	8,746	395	11,382			61	440
Alaska	19	508	127	886	13	54	78	900
Arizona	185	6,655	203	6,838			146	2,124
Arkansas	256	5,005	291	6,528	8	37	63	617
California	1,080	41,305	1,151	41,041			871	19,228
Colorado	260	8,073	292	8,617	15	54	193	2,624
Connecticut	169	5,780	170	5,120			158	2,663
Delaware	42	1,353	45	1,351	2	2	37	642
District of Columbia	13	213	14	405			12	74
Florida	483	13,278	542	14,099			402	3,858
Georgia	342	11,166	353	11,063	40	79	288	4,408
Hawaii	57	1,597	52	1,688	11	22	56	735
Idaho	93	2,570	176	4,159			116	1,173
Illinois	593	20,853	652	23,707			404	7,113
Indiana	378	12,451	381	13,105			369	4,535
Iowa	389	10,953	398	12,801	6	84	313	3,996
Kansas	193	5,750	352	10,117			225	2,956
Kentucky	265	7,428	270	7,113	48	225	204	2,425
Louisiana	308	8,008	408	12,240			306	3,366
Maine	128	3,365	139	4,266	20	62	108	1,315
Maryland	176	5,921	176	5,004			158	2,434
Massachusetts	313	11,484	326	11,017			252	4,641
Michigan	624	19,466	721	23,085			591	7,594
Minnesota	413	15,560	441	17,548			326	5,518
Mississippi	250	5,896	256	7,734	10	56	120	2,462
Missouri	471	12,566	556	15,330		30	286	4,807
Montana			180	4,595			57	709
Nebraska	32	1,478	328	8,829			174	1,901
Nevada	73	1,981	86	2,611			58	661
New Hampshire	85	2,639	87	2,596	108	60	67	817
New Jersey	397	14,481	384	12,981			354	6,107
New Mexico	96	2,162	129	3,369	111	20	88	1,136
New York	717	21,310	735	21,526			534	7,550
North Carolina	324	9,947	329	9,390	15	130	275	3,658
North Dakota	64	1,215	166	3,934			44	481
Ohio	771	23,741	786	24,615			561	8,483
Oklahoma	441	6,615	469	7,035	10	52	171	1,281
Oregon	221	6,574	267	7,839	22	69	188	2,772
Pennsylvania	614	19,648	640	19,200			465	4,650
Rhode Island	44	1,520	44	1,450			39	710
South Carolina	187	5,866	194	6,470			133	2,029
South Dakota			173	4,145	9	71	82	877
Tennessee	334	8,500	341	9,022		*63	230	3,304
Texas	1,028	40,124	1,174	70,674			1,121	27,075
Utah	110	2,894	119	3,441			103	1,666
Vermont	66	1,690	71	1,952	5	14	45	559
Virginia	255	7,423	255	7,591			232	3,585
Washington	331	10,627	382	12,283			276	5,096
West Virginia	127	2,987	135	3,520	6	7	75	741
Wisconsin	414	12,329	421	13,943			343	4,174
Wyoming			70	1,875	9	21	33	469

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State	Football 11-player		Football 8-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	369	21,301			257	1,220		
Alaska	23	1,730						
Arizona	170	15,387	15	331	142	1,708		
Arkansas	174	9,849			149	1,267		
California	947	94,040	48	1,318	750	11,106	4	14
Colorado	203	14,027	37	766	150	2,193		60
Connecticut	120	8,150			154	2,212		
Delaware	39	2,455			35	411		
District of Columbia	12	783			1	13		
Florida	375	**32,007			402	3,858		
Georgia	328	22,709			313	2,940		
Hawaii	53	3,983			59	537	1	5
Idaho	134	7,853	33	741	98	998		
Illinois	509	45,587			501	8,912	50	1,558
Indiana	309	22,129			365	4,510		
Iowa	354	21,472	6	217	364	7,318		
Kansas	255	14,868	109	2,311	252	4,132		
Kentucky	214	11,662			243	2,573		
Louisiana	293	16,107			163	1,141	6	54
Maine	65	3,624			112	1,452	3	8
Maryland	168	12,393			144	1,458	6	37
Massachusetts	281	18,609			259	4,075	13	178
Michigan	620	42,743			559	8,274	6	60
Minnesota	376	30,047			380	8,300		
Mississippi	241	19,348	1	28	127	1,434		
Missouri	317	**20,563	19	493	320	4,549		
Montana	90	5,364	59	1,196	84	1,336		
Nebraska	191	12,052	119	3,026	205	3,335	12	120
Nevada	61	5,487	13	278	63	735		
New Hampshire	39	2,623			61	886	20	31
New Jersey	342	24,607			279	4,113		
New Mexico	88	5,303			72	689		
New York	541	32,493			543	7,590	25	248
North Carolina	320	23,094			304	3,429		
North Dakota	66	3,412			103	1,311		
Ohio	711	42,769			701	9,498	19	152
Oklahoma	260	10,375	54	1,085	231	1,170		
Oregon	198	13,238	38	665	177	2,307		
Pennsylvania	543	24,435			490	4,900	1	10
Rhode Island	40	2,532			*39	525		
South Carolina	189	16,396			146	1,594		
South Dakota	75	4,158			102	1,446		
Tennessee	298	16,445			293	2,655		
Texas	1,074	157,868			1,101	15,323	71	960
Utah	92	8,376			102	1,250		
Vermont	27	1,636	4	113	54	680		
Virginia	252	17,740			238	2,784		
Washington	292	20,567	29	576	262	3,638		
West Virginia	124	6,054			96	1,059		
Wisconsin	391	29,441			307	6,330		
Wyoming	60	2,843			39	683		

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State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Cross Country Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	21	632			10	154	29	440
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California								
Colorado	12	239	27	749			14	112
Connecticut	57	1,395	33	1,650				
Delaware			26	967				
District of Columbia								
Florida			19	757				
Georgia					87	670		
Hawaii					39	476		
Idaho							5	63
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa	8	55			2	23		
Kansas								
Kentucky	1	6	1	4	10	81		
Louisiana								
Maine	55	1,433	32	1,174	4	54	41	458
Maryland			115	4,587				
Massachusetts	225	6,760	87	3,991			20	275
Michigan	142	2,987	35	1,811				
Minnesota	244	6,520					102	1,701
Mississippi								
Missouri	50	1,000	20	300				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					8	104		
New Hampshire	26	701	23	1,049			49	276
New Jersey	77	2,535	58	3,171				
New Mexico								
New York	112	2,581	215	10,700	27	390	94	1,407
North Carolina			14	287	8	41		
North Dakota	18	604						
Ohio	62	1,462	28	1,385	1	11	1	10
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					30	270		
Rhode Island	28	708						
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	25	549	20	800			27	253
Virginia			41	1,809				
Washington								
West Virginia			2	75				
Wisconsin	77	1,999						
Wyoming							7	98

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State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			110	2,751	32	243	154	1,605
Alaska			25	921	26	285	6	114
Arizona			137	4,450	81	1,460	122	1,687
Arkansas			43	1,127	27	161	79	705
California	19	401	972	36,603	672	15,128	809	15,841
Colorado	14	244	150	4,841	113	1,626	127	2,059
Connecticut			168	6,472	88	1,440	139	2,100
Delaware			41	1,565	26	381	29	361
District of Columbia	8	200	8	168	4	27	12	53
Florida			422	**11,961	313	3,935	369	3,431
Georgia			240	7,016	132	1,636	321	3,321
Hawaii			58	1,534	45	280	49	607
Idaho			28	823	12	138	61	896
Illinois			317	14,941	204	4,170	273	6,272
Indiana			230	7,206	208	3,825	296	4,648
Iowa			111	4,280	52	941	114	2,012
Kansas			103	3,245	48	848	112	1,880
Kentucky			151	4,377	95	798	197	1,982
Louisiana			93	1,395	63	945	188	1,310
Maine	50	528	133	4,504	45	496	86	1,157
Maryland			168	5,898	73	1,182	172	2,023
Massachusetts	63	1,028	312	11,665	114	1,713	202	3,070
Michigan	85	1,098	403	12,987	220	4,325	359	7,717
Minnesota	82	1,566	157	8,141	149	3,216	188	4,379
Mississippi			110	2,875	60	900	144	1,459
Missouri			186	7,234	85	1,757	175	3,106
Montana			22	639	21	170	29	426
Nebraska			61	2,206	41	497	55	712
Nevada	13	293	53	1,600	37	364	36	422
New Hampshire	49	541	85	3,097			49	664
New Jersey	16	219	355	16,142	183	2,828	319	5,044
New Mexico			56	1,805	34	342	49	426
New York			658	23,632	264	4,820	504	8,425
North Carolina			257	7,846	191	2,214	270	3,135
North Dakota			14	610	11	188	16	258
Ohio		102	505	15,173	229	3,513	602	6,074
Oklahoma			87	1,590	42	517	108	1,105
Oregon			152	5,389	109	1,313	110	1,801
Pennsylvania			489	17,115	278	5,004	367	3,670
Rhode Island			43	1,447	*29	195	40	724
South Carolina			131	4,077	43	424	117	1,297
South Dakota							21	334
Tennessee			187	5,264			239	1,920
Texas			410	22,141	354	4,611	1,096	16,088
Utah			78	2,618	69	1,096	81	1,205
Vermont	28	446	75	2,657			28	335
Virginia			217	6,592	108	1,764	204	2,421
Washington			255	9,403	130	2,424	226	4,505
West Virginia			66	1,713	29	308	77	782
Wisconsin			182	7,599	112	1,806	162	3,627
Wyoming	7	95	16	709	23	386	15	312

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State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	42	539	292	6,233				
Alaska			42	989	46	243		
Arizona			173	6,088	44	1,162		
Arkansas			194	3,949				
California			891	40,440	498	12,110		
Colorado			278	7,266				
Connecticut	106	2,980	158	5,500				
Delaware	24	500	35	1,012	5	71		
District of Columbia	13	176	13	234				
Florida			425	11,915	80	1,260	184	4,654
Georgia			328	8,749			41	2,008
Hawaii			57	1,683	56	1,092	3	47
Idaho			166	3,730			10	195
Illinois			523	19,255	128	4,759		
Indiana			373	11,211				
Iowa	62	1,975	381	10,848				
Kansas			352	9,141		4		
Kentucky			225	4,829				
Louisiana	102	1,122	408	8,596				
Maine	58	1,139	101	2,787	12	151	7	152
Maryland	160	3,265	172	4,846	32	523		
Massachusetts	188	6,257	260	10,232	72	1,510		
Michigan			649	21,923	20	307		
Minnesota			423	14,227				
Mississippi	34	478	209	4,795			122	1,642
Missouri			439	12,158	38	990		
Montana			174	3,579				
Nebraska			326	8,113				
Nevada			78	2,417	21	620		
New Hampshire	41	792	67	1,909				
New Jersey	259	7,224	348	13,597	53	911		
New Mexico			120	2,721				
New York	316	8,351	586	17,441	195	3,926		
North Carolina	138	1,990	315	10,754			27	1,621
North Dakota			135	2,295				
Ohio	166	3,759	722	21,809	61	1,253	31	1,426
Oklahoma	30	350	384	4,125				
Oregon			245	7,963				
Pennsylvania	137	2,466	507	16,224	149	2,682		
Rhode Island	34	1,202	37	1,613	24	497		
South Carolina			183	5,936				
South Dakota			164	3,384				
Tennessee			231	4,851				
Texas			1,182	81,279			109	737
Utah			112	3,915				
Vermont	12	130	41	988			1	49
Virginia	152	4,182	254	7,769	55	843		
Washington			336	10,950				
West Virginia			100	2,450				
Wisconsin			380	10,403	33	1,001		
Wyoming	19	309	70	1,670				

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State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	61	1,480
Alaska	70	**1,286
Arizona	152	4,695
Arkansas	0	0
California	708	23,858
Colorado	224	5,683
Connecticut	93	2,232
Delaware	40	928
District of Columbia	1	24
Florida	209	**7,840
Georgia	240	6,274
Hawaii	50	995
Idaho	128	2,543
Illinois	345	13,118
Indiana	307	8,749
Iowa	300	6,927
Kansas	179	5,143
Kentucky	64	1,407
Louisiana	49	950
Maine	53	982
Maryland	158	4,281
Massachusetts	143	3,681
Michigan	456	11,935
Minnesota	348	9,242
Mississippi	1	15
Missouri	206	**6,568
Montana	82	1,721
Nebraska	229	4,304
Nevada	65	2,034
New Hampshire	32	671
New Jersey	309	9,026
New Mexico	55	1,504
New York	460	12,095
North Carolina	262	7,103
North Dakota	60	1,024
Ohio	544	13,494
Oklahoma	140	2,603
Oregon	187	5,241
Pennsylvania	468	8,424
Rhode Island	36	978
South Carolina	103	3,395
South Dakota	91	1,460
Tennessee	134	3,752
Texas	148	1,638
Utah	96	3,472
Vermont	25	279
Virginia	211	5,896
Washington	270	8,503
West Virginia	72	1,395
Wisconsin	331	6,943
Wyoming	51	1,314

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	11	71	Football 6-player	Colorado	16	236
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	69	144		Florida	2	34
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	64	170		Montana	20	300
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	64	148		Nebraska	7	120
Badminton	California	164	3,489		New Mexico	12	195
	Florida	15	145		Texas	84	3,620
	Maryland	46	478	Football 9-player	Minnesota	57	2,146
	New York	13	150		North Dakota	51	1,336
Bowling	Florida	69	686		South Dakota	89	1,897
	Hawaii	44	434	Judo	Hawaii	17	361
	Iowa	43	549	Kayaking	Hawaii	7	82
	Kentucky	3	75	Rodeo	Iowa	1	8
	Maine	1	4	Rugby	Vermont	1	25
	Maryland	30	130	Snowboarding	Vermont	3	35
	Michigan	35	404	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	13	126
	Nevada	19	229	Softball (Fast Pitch)	California	17	599
	New Jersey	204	2,628		Maine	1	20
	New York	302	3,685		Massachusetts	9	268
	North Carolina	9	108		Missouri	19	275
	Ohio	33	525		Ohio	17	251
	Pennsylvania	55	550	Softball (Slow Pitch)	Kentucky		19
	South Carolina	11	97		Ohio	4	52
	West Virginia	1	6	Squash	Delaware	1	22
Canoeing	Hawaii	32	628	Team Tennis	Delaware	1	22
Crew	Delaware	1	50		Hawaii	7	82
	District of Columbia	1	27		Iowa	1	8
	Florida	15	384		Oregon	15	58
	Kentucky	1	5		Texas	659	19,289
	Maine	2	21		Vermont	3	35
	Ohio	12	278	Water Polo	California	399	11,047
	Virginia	16	522		Florida	36	534
	West Virginia	2	57		Hawaii	10	126
Dance/Drill	Oregon	15	58		Michigan	12	280
Decathlon	Alabama	19	56		Missouri	20	**530
	Alaska	16	54		Ohio	8	172
	Connecticut	40	55		Pennsylvania	14	210
	Kentucky	1	1		Texas	73	972
	Maine	1	2				
	Vermont	7	21				
Equestrian	Hawaii	1	1				
	Michigan	19	43				
	Vermont	1	2				
Fencing	Maine	1	8				
	New Jersey	20	477				
	New York	15	261				
	Ohio	2	18				
	Vermont	2	13				
Field Hockey	California		12				
	Maine	1	4				
	Massachusetts	7	197				

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country		Field Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	392	5,891			46	335		
Alaska	123	1,857	28	348	80	948		
Arizona	197	5,846			144	1,779		
Arkansas	280	5,245	61	1,367	61	543		
California	1,103	32,218			847	14,815	80	2,195
Colorado	290	7,211	139	2,808	193	2,361	11	441
Connecticut	170	4,047	66	1,320	149	2,041	71	2,890
Delaware	45	1,018	8	212	37	525	40	1,555
District of Columbia	12	210	6	85	9	80		
Florida	500	10,987			306	2,066		
Georgia	343	8,855	219	4,051	269	3,383		
Hawaii	61	1,531	46	771	51	691		
Idaho	175	3,642			116	941		
Illinois	592	16,989			396	6,185		
Indiana	381	11,499			360	3,683		
Iowa	397	9,401	57	1,645	311	3,498		
Kansas	350	10,120			208	2,324		
Kentucky	267	5,674	202	3,942	204	2,021	18	664
Louisiana	376	9,400			204	1,224		
Maine	138	3,616	89	1,608	106	1,064	83	2,974
Maryland	176	4,904			158	1,821	114	4,059
Massachusetts	322	9,269			233	3,926	193	8,418
Michigan	705	19,760	145	3,019	575	6,761		
Minnesota	441	12,280			324	3,952		
Mississippi	256	5,662	145	3,000	58	1,101		
Missouri	534	12,646	120	1,400	281	3,795	21	839
Montana	180	3,984			68	767		
Nebraska	328	7,223			176	1,450		
Nevada	80	2,253			54	527		
New Hampshire	87	2,343	108	1,663	67	720	53	2,106
New Jersey	381	10,016			353	4,463	206	9,602
New Mexico	130	2,923	111	865	85	952		
New York	714	17,334			487	5,841	228	8,524
North Carolina	329	7,791	75	1,933	270	4,031	6	175
North Dakota	157	3,354			46	369		
Ohio	782	18,481			481	6,885		
Oklahoma	469	6,580	171	2,565	149	1,161		
Oregon	267	6,446	66	710	182	1,987		
Pennsylvania	639	19,170			460	4,600	254	8,890
Rhode Island	44	1,093			40	687	20	678
South Carolina	193	5,148	78	1,828	124	1,473	2	67
South Dakota	168	3,276	20	211	74	615		
Tennessee	342	6,612	75	975	232	2,618		
Texas	1,175	70,427	1,188	23,255	1,125	29,743		
Utah	117	2,986	88	1,686	98	1,315		
Vermont	70	1,833	22	367	44	452	32	1,159
Virginia	253	6,178			223	2,879	96	3,136
Washington	372	10,138			271	3,455		
West Virginia	134	2,467	130	2,321	67	648		
Wisconsin	419	12,108			345	4,160		
Wyoming	70	1,658	34	364	30	360		

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State	Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	123	367						
Alaska			10	176	27	455		
Arizona	96	620						
Arkansas	50	242	10	114				
California	372	1,505	72	1,280			16	253
Colorado	104	1,162	60	673	14	104	14	114
Connecticut	42	120	66	512				
Delaware	12	18						
District of Columbia	1	1					8	177
Florida	306	2,066						
Georgia	188	692	29	300				
Hawaii	45	178	7	35				
Idaho	98	570			5	79		
Illinois	315	2,695	94	1,833				
Indiana	241	2,411	92	1,171				
Iowa	329	4,226						
Kansas	80	890	27	222				
Kentucky	170	1,037	1	3				
Louisiana	22	44	18	216				
Maine	47	91	18	86	39	359	42	321
Maryland	69	88	7	157				
Massachusetts	36	301	87	1,264	18	228	60	863
Michigan	268	3,564	71	1,078			84	795
Minnesota	373	4,138	197	2,821	114	2,054	87	769
Mississippi	13	85						
Missouri	122	1,371	3	35				
Montana	86	859						
Nebraska	121	1,199	18	181				
Nevada	56	402						
New Hampshire	34	73	20	175	51	272	51	417
New Jersey	12	339	73	918			8	112
New Mexico	63	346						
New York	87	607	115	1,642	93	1,145		
North Carolina	112	480	8	86				
North Dakota	93	680	13	107				
Ohio	383	1,484	134	1,165	1	5	4	87
Oklahoma	183	915						
Oregon	141	1,177						
Pennsylvania	239	2,390	19	190				
Rhode Island	1	41						
South Carolina	39	303						
South Dakota	84	829	30	384				
Tennessee	288	1,099						
Texas	1,081	9,089	73	837				
Utah	18	35						
Vermont	37	122	12	153	26	284	32	246
Virginia			66	756				
Washington	243	2,131	77	1,519				
West Virginia	22	41						
Wisconsin	113	1,369	93	1,416				
Wyoming	32	228	9	115	7	97	7	71

State	Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	90	2,307	173	2,768	198	3,336	30	257
Alaska	25	786	16	481			26	461
Arizona	125	3,352	179	6,037			81	2,415
Arkansas	37	718					28	316
California	930	31,431	1,024	30,138			698	26,163
Colorado	152	4,783	139	4,006			123	4,174
Connecticut	143	4,562	145	4,530			77	2,160
Delaware	35	1,171	38	983			28	717
District of Columbia	1	43	14	156			4	45
Florida	366	11,343	479	10,623	37	740	327	7,230
Georgia	234	6,124	178	4,425	173	3,990	131	2,509
Hawaii	54	1,390	52	864			47	604
Idaho	25	762	79	2,126	16	261	12	138
Illinois	263	12,312	571	16,034			221	5,908
Indiana	181	5,264	356	9,567			218	4,536
Iowa	78	3,013	386	8,787			58	1,800
Kansas	56	2,392	185	4,872			55	1,326
Kentucky	151	3,853	241	5,280	19	420	101	1,468
Louisiana	38	570	352	5,280			36	360
Maine	130	4,017	129	3,264			51	1,013
Maryland	152	4,793	174	4,898			73	1,866
Massachusetts	286	10,550	308	9,586			142	3,812
Michigan	335	11,921	634	16,806			228	6,652
Minnesota	158	6,042	396	11,447			189	5,710
Mississippi	65	1,625	122	3,165	209	4,225	60	1,020
Missouri	160	5,717	440	9,549			96	2,488
Montana	22	636	50	1,072			20	357
Nebraska	59	1,931	73	1,699			43	1,046
Nevada	50	1,551	68	1,630			37	803
New Hampshire	64	2,482	86	2,445				
New Jersey	317	12,017	381	12,960			191	4,861
New Mexico	52	1,501	72	1,338			33	590
New York	636	22,391	700	18,532			276	7,204
North Carolina	234	6,028	321	7,598			168	3,321
North Dakota	15	682					12	354
Ohio	356	10,630	755	19,355	30	693	273	5,888
Oklahoma	84	1,543	361	6,498	363	6,516	43	525
Oregon	146	4,494	197	5,136			112	2,356
Pennsylvania	363	12,705	597	19,104			287	5,166
Rhode Island	46	1,324	33	868	16	301	1	491
South Carolina	93	2,538	185	4,813			43	655
South Dakota								
Tennessee	174	4,320	330	6,066				
Texas	389	16,103	849	27,400			352	6,419
Utah	74	2,383	90	2,045			70	1,298
Vermont	74	2,353	65	1,662				
Virginia	205	5,408	248	6,097			106	2,592
Washington	248	8,092	245	7,589	80	1,525	145	4,332
West Virginia	62	1,358	109	2,364			30	537
Wisconsin	169	6,390	384	11,058			129	3,885
Wyoming	16	572					25	647

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State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	161	1,641	39	398	285	4,306	290	4,494
Alaska	6	160			42	861	109	**1,753
Arizona	121	2,009			171	4,735	191	5,518
Arkansas	77	684			178	2,651	69	1,588
California	835	18,078			887	30,870	1,097	32,114
Colorado	127	3,206			278	6,018	293	8,752
Connecticut	115	2,145	100	1,780	151	5,060	131	3,200
Delaware	30	417	27	539	35	801	36	979
District of Columbia	12	73	11	138	11	180	13	160
Florida	381	4,143			417	10,835	488	11,820
Georgia	326	3,937			329	7,799	131	2,775
Hawaii	53	695			57	1,152	65	1,611
Idaho	61	978			166	2,976	175	4,377
Illinois	282	7,893			525	14,754	627	20,424
Indiana	305	5,454			372	8,761	385	10,178
Iowa	118	2,898	71	1,639	376	9,083	395	13,509
Kansas	123	2,360			341	6,839	355	10,025
Kentucky	204	2,345			228	4,243	138	2,929
Louisiana	149	1,043	82	820	367	4,037	164	2,296
Maine	86	1,413	52	968	104	2,559	17	293
Maryland	173	2,271	157	3,196	171	4,041	172	4,364
Massachusetts	217	3,998	183	5,913	258	9,950	187	4,764
Michigan	349	8,759			646	17,971	694	20,934
Minnesota	221	4,937			421	12,123	431	15,542
Mississippi	141	1,115	23	285	236	4,056	60	1,150
Missouri	166	3,125			438	10,821	411	10,542
Montana	58	1,066			174	3,036	165	4,009
Nebraska	56	1,213			327	6,866	329	8,708
Nevada	36	500			78	1,681	78	2,230
New Hampshire	49	790	38	789	67	1,864	48	1,219
New Jersey	325	6,385	249	6,250	344	12,014	148	4,268
New Mexico	60	527			122	2,105	125	3,007
New York	416	8,003	302	7,812	590	16,830	608	14,902
North Carolina	275	3,457	127	1,742	313	8,636	325	7,316
North Dakota	17	384			135	1,998	124	3,493
Ohio	383	6,744	158	3,280	722	19,288	785	18,910
Oklahoma	109	1,115	27	286	392	3,751	80	1,205
Oregon	123	2,371			245	6,167	256	6,887
Pennsylvania	366	3,660	135	2,430	505	16,160	461	8,298
Rhode Island	43	992	37	1,121	37	1,374	40	961
South Carolina	121	1,599			179	5,032	174	3,523
South Dakota	21	355			158	2,681	144	3,518
Tennessee	242	1,944			235	4,935	249	4,482
Texas	1,096	15,903			1,182	68,388	882	52,167
Utah	79	1,200			113	3,320	116	2,894
Vermont	31	433	14	201	39	1,088	1	14
Virginia	214	2,788	147	3,534	255	6,693	223	5,056
Washington	243	6,413			338	9,192	360	10,355
West Virginia	80	993			101	2,183	96	2,072
Wisconsin	170	4,811			379	11,237	416	15,369
Wyoming	16	317	18	264	67	1,304	69	1,801

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	11	71	Crew	Delaware	1	57
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	69	99		District of Columbia	2	52
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	64	110		Florida	14	450
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	64	110		Kentucky	4	91
Archery	Arizona	1	1		Maine	2	11
Badminton	Arizona	40	700	Dance Team	Ohio	9	201
	California	199	4,641		West Virginia	2	68
	Florida	15	243	Decathlon	Minnesota	117	7,828
	Illinois	71	2,672		Oregon	86	1,831
	Maryland	46	142		Alabama	18	3
	Minnesota	16	418		Alaska	17	92
	New York	42	827		Maine	1	4
Baseball					Vermont	1	1
	Arizona		17	Equestrian	Michigan	54	351
	California		428		Vermont	1	9
	Colorado	40	66	Fencing	Maine	1	4
	Georgia	11	29		New Jersey	23	507
	Hawaii	5	8		New York	8	110
	Kansas		27		Ohio	1	18
	Kentucky	2	3		Vermont	1	2
	Maine	7	104	Flag Football	Florida	87	3,309
	Maryland		9	Football 11-player	Arizona		19
	Massachusetts	6	175		California	56	208
	Minnesota		33		Colorado	2	2
	New Jersey		36		Florida	24	86
	North Dakota	6	11		Georgia	13	53
	Ohio		310		Hawaii	2	4
	Oregon	10	86		Idaho	10	10
	Utah	1	1		Iowa	10	18
	Vermont	6	11		Kansas		29
Bowling	Florida	100	1,272		Kentucky	9	21
	Hawaii	44	411		Maine	9	17
	Illinois	112	2,013		Massachusetts	4	35
	Iowa	30	276		Minnesota		16
	Kentucky	2	14		New Jersey		2
	Maine	1	5		Ohio		4
	Maryland	30	58		Oklahoma	1	1
	Michigan	30	368		Oregon	12	81
	Nevada	19	197		Washington	31	**45
	New Jersey	191	1,558		West Virginia	4	7
	New York	214	2,225	Football 6-player	Colorado	1	1
	Ohio	21	203	Heptathlon	Alabama	18	35
	Pennsylvania	59	590		Connecticut	38	48
	South Carolina	10	80		Maine	1	2
	Washington	26	327		Vermont	5	17
	West Virginia	1	6				
Canoeing	Hawaii	33	761				
	Virginia	254	7,461				

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Ice Hockey	Alaska	13	**26	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	13	148
	Colorado	3	3		Delaware	1	22
	Iowa	3	17	Squash	Minnesota	20	481
	Maine	20	78		California	372	9,866
	Massachusetts	41	715	Synchronized Swimming	Florida	38	655
	Michigan	14	191		Hawaii	16	160
	Minnesota	178	2,887		Michigan	14	398
	New Hampshire	26	42		Ohio	7	137
	New Jersey		42		Pennsylvania	7	105
	North Dakota	7	68		Texas	52	535
	Ohio		7	Water Polo	Florida	90	3,055
	Rhode Island		11		Georgia	18	514
	Vermont	16	158		Hawaii	1	11
Judo	Hawaii	18	211		Maine	4	35
Kayaking	Hawaii	7	82		North Carolina	17	351
					Ohio	10	262
Lacrosse	Colorado	22	580		Texas	45	340
	Delaware	17	620		Vermont	1	24
	District of Columbia	1	30	Wrestling	Alaska	23	49
	Florida	22	824		Arizona		61
	Maine	28	872		California	212	514
	Maryland	103	3,712		Colorado	25	35
	Massachusetts	63	2,836		Delaware	7	9
	Michigan	18	611		Florida	76	181
	Missouri	10	150		Georgia	34	98
	New Hampshire	15	576		Hawaii	38	244
	New Jersey	67	4,149		Iowa	13	28
	New York	139	6,364		Kansas		31
	Ohio	46	1,331		Kentucky	9	17
	Pennsylvania	63	2,016		Maine	20	46
	Vermont	24	750		Maryland	3	25
	Virginia	34	1,166		Massachusetts	22	179
	West Virginia	2	90		Minnesota		26
					New Hampshire	32	9
Pentathlon	Iowa	2	17		New Jersey		17
Riflery	Alaska	9	60		North Carolina	16	39
	Georgia	65	195		North Dakota	2	8
	Hawaii	38	360		Ohio		131
	Iowa	1	9		Oregon	27	46
	Kentucky	10	38		Rhode Island		20
	Maine	3	10		Texas	77	432
	New York	8	80		Utah	5	6
	North Carolina	7	21		Vermont	6	13
	Ohio	1	2		Washington	75	**139
Rugby	Vermont	1	40		West Virginia	10	69
Rhythmic Gymnastics	Florida	15	321		Wyoming	2	2
Snowboarding	Vermont	4	13				

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NFHS 2001 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Short	States B/G	Schools (B)	Participants (B)	Schools (G)	Participants (G)	Combined
ADDITIONAL SPORTS						
Bowling	1/1	34	74	34	94	168
Floor Hockey	1/1	101	233	101	222	455
Soccer	1/1	107	259	107	223	482
Softball	1/1	95	209	95	241	450
Dance Team	0/1			230	6240	6240
Synchronized Swimming	0/1			19	497	497
Rhythmic Gymnastics	0/1			11	181	181
Archery		0	0	0	0	0
Badminton	5/8	233	4016	427	9579	13595
Baseball	48/19	14791	450513	146	1610	452123
Basketball	104/100	17135	539849	16756	452728	992577
Bowling	15/16	794	10115	864	10861	20976
Canoeing	2/2	33	572	35	916	1488
Competitive Spirit Squads	26/29	714	3092	3352	88561	91653
Crew	10/9	74	2186	71	2359	4545
Cross Country	51/51	12245	188420	11736	158516	346936
Decathlon	7/4	58	306	26	189	495
Equestrian	4/4	23	64	88	657	721
Fencing	6/6	58	951	56	847	1798
Field Hockey	4/18	20	232	1613	60918	61150
Flag Football	0/1			77	3109	3109
Football (11-Player)	51/25	13,454	1,012,420	290	1,655	1,014,075
Football (9-Player)	4/1	225	5,601	0	2	5,603
Football (8-Player)	16/1	618	13,616	6	2	13,618
Football (6-Player)	12/4	150	4,504	4	56	4,560
Golf	50/49	12,812	161,757	7,581	59,546	221,303
Gymnastics	15/32	181	2,542	1,529	20,886	23,428
Heptathlon	0/2	0	0	23	59	59
Ice Hockey	20/14	1,317	33,098	378	5,603	38,701
Judo	3/2	34	471	29	244	715
Lacrosse	22/21	938	41,822	783	32,403	74,225
Native Youth Olympics	1/1	23	104	23	80	184
Pentathlon	0/1	4	0	2	17	17
Riflery	12/11	225	2,328	189	1,176	3,504
Rhythmic Gymnastics	0/1			11	181	181
Rodeo	1/0	1	8			8
Skiing Alpine	14/14	452	6,456	555	5,599	12,055
Skiing Cross Country	13/13	405	5,088	408	4,872	9,960
Snowboarding	0/1		35		9	44
Soccer	50/50	9,846	332,850	8,934	292,086	624,936
Softball (Fast Pitch)	6/44	87	2,350	12,177	350,197	352,547
Softball (Slow Pitch)	3/13	13	278	2,105	25,127	25,405
Soft Tennis	1/1	9	91	10	104	195
Swimming and Diving	47/46	5,396	88,811	5,733	139,601	228,412
Team Tennis	1/1	414	9,081		9,106	18,187
Tennis	51/51	9,767	143,650	9,606	164,282	307,932
Track and Field (Indoor)	22/22	2,092	50,715	2,042	44,970	95,685
Track and Field (Outdoor)	51/51	15,016	491,822	14,789	415,666	907,488
Volleyball	22/51	1,716	39,768	13,597	390,814	430,582
Water Polo	6/6	525	12,905	546	14,023	26,928
Weight Lifting	8/7	450	12,562	176	3,810	16,372
Wrestling	50/31	9,404	244,984	896	3,032	248,016
Other	2/2	29	296	28	363	659
						<u>6,705,223</u>

Participation Totals By State

State Association	Sum Of Participants (B)	Sum Of Participants (G)	Total
1. Texas	453,654	325,675	779,329
2. California	386,037	271,203	657,240
3. New York	185,919	147,608	333,527
4. Illinois	182,177	120,177	302,354
5. Michigan	172,218	123,581	295,799
6. Ohio	179,217	115,631	294,848
7. Pennsylvania	131,266	113,073	244,339
8. New Jersey	127,071	91,911	218,982
9. Minnesota	117,376	99,894	217,270
10. Florida	121,577	90,071	211,648
11. Wisconsin	111,508	77,898	189,406
12. Massachusetts	103,520	81,533	185,053
13. Missouri	92,414	63,998	156,412
14. Washington	89,188	66,172	155,360
15. Indiana	88,463	62,245	150,708
16. Iowa	84,040	59,571	143,611
17. Georgia	86,323	53,596	139,919
18. North Carolina	83,527	51,617	135,144
19. Virginia	68,399	52,366	120,765
20. Colorado	65,209	49,381	114,590
21. Maryland	54,613	40,086	94,699
22. Kansas	56,535	37,558	94,093
23. Oregon	53,828	37,943	91,771
24. Arizona	54,962	34,392	89,354
25. Kentucky	47,905	37,903	85,808
26. Connecticut	49,162	36,123	85,285
27. Alabama	56,270	26,772	83,042
28. Louisiana	56,042	26,885	82,927
29. Tennessee	52,391	30,071	82,462
30. Mississippi	50,347	30,988	81,335
31. Nebraska	45,882	30,566	76,448
32. South Carolina	48,387	27,778	76,165
33. Oklahoma	38,045	32,408	70,453
34. Maine	29,518	25,825	55,343
35. Utah	29,269	18,796	48,065
36. Idaho	26,693	16,976	43,669
37. Arkansas	24,200	14,545	38,745
38. New Hampshire	20,209	18,481	38,690
39. New Mexico	22,742	15,657	38,399
40. West Virginia	20,856	15,185	36,041
41. Montana	19,368	15,318	34,686
42. Nevada	20,630	12,563	33,193
43. Hawaii	17,853	12,771	30,624
44. South Dakota	17,592	11,921	29,513
45. North Dakota	17,290	11,711	29,001
46. Rhode Island	14,206	10,188	24,394
47. Delaware	12,264	9,868	22,132
48. Vermont	11,688	10,124	21,812
49. Alaska	10,411	8,350	18,761
50. Wyoming	10,635	7,759	18,394
51. District of Columbia	2,173	1,442	3,615
TOTAL	3,921,069	2,784,154	<u>6,705,223</u>

BOYS PARTICIPATION 2001

State	Baseball		Basketball		Comp. Sport		Cross Country		Football 11-player		Football 8-player		Golf		Gymnastics		Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Rifery	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
AK	24	543	121	2,156	14	24	87	917	24	1,706							24	656			11	138
AL	379	8,746	395	11,382			122	880	365	21,070			255	1,210								
AR	212	3,983	234	5,110	13	37	56	607	139	8,188			139	1,042								
AZ	189	6,750	206	7,129			154	2,139	171	15,847	16	360	145	1,709								
CA	1,114	42,942	1,202	42,287	136	793	978	19,593	961	97,236	54	1,263	906	11,990	6	19	6	91	38	1,241	8	66
CO	252	8,431	295	8,697	14	14	196	2,642	210	15,814	40	1,111	169	2,339			14	331	30	1,510		
CT	169	5,404	170	4,845			158	2,816	120	8,231			154	1,914			57	1,578	33	2,522		
DC	12	189	14	170	5	20	12	61	11	711			5	31								
DE	42	1,396	42	1,340	6	9	39	680	39	2,315			36	398			4	84	26	1,086		
FL	500	13,418	557	14,213			412	5,316	422	34,591			426	2,161					25	1,079		
GA	360	11,477	366	11,010	55	131	303	4,626	342	24,716			342	3,120					11	474	88	728
HI	57	1,699	63	1,812	16	42	58	757	57	4,175	0	0	62	516	3	20	0	0	1	11	35	475
IA	395	10,899	398	12,737	6	84	313	3,977	354	21,365	26	217	364	7,282	0	0	8	55	0	0	2	23
ID	93	2,565	176	4,278	0	0	116	1,096	167	7,878	33	675	98	1,104	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IL	665	22,560	722	24,319			404	7,568	545	46,759			612	9,035	55	1,622						
IN	374	11,824	391	12,203			367	4,930	309	20,178			364	4,461								
KS	194	5,750	385	10,400	0	0	190	2,490	221	12,636	100	2,132	250	3,887	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
KY	269	7,540	278	7,324	48	225	265	3,150	216	11,771	8	200	256	2,711			1	6	1	10	81	
LA	309	8,009	409	12,241	0	0	307	3,367	294	16,108	0	0	184	1,142	7	56	0	0	0	0	0	0
MA	320	12,037	332	11,503			277	4,590	287	18,605			273	4,119	18	210	296	7,051	103	4,732		
MD	173	5,210	173	4,952	0	0	161	2,555	167	13,158	0	0	140	1,417	2	21	0	0	116	4,783	0	0
ME	131	3,531	139	4,308	25	42	108	1,286	66	3,649			114	1,445	1	3	53	1,369	34	1,255	4	53
MI	623	19,273	716	24,036	4	67	568	7,428	605	43,917	0	0	559	8,321	3	24	168	3,159	30	1,535	1	15
MN	410	13,849	439	14,757			316	5,033	366	28,691			374	6,479			233	6,118				
MO	473	12,549	556	15,415	0	30	291	4,749	319	20,711	19	470	325	4,680	0	0	50	1,000	20	300	0	0
MS	240	5,930	156	7,836	10	56	127	2,505	235	19,550	0	32	180	1,540	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MT			180	4,031			75	642	94	5,233	65	1,297	89	1,399								
NC	326	9,770	334	9,629			281	4,423	324	24,005			298	3,299					20	410		
ND	64	1,274	184	3,911	1	3	58	502	73	3,502			112	1,358			16	612				
NE	33	1,438	322	8,644	0	0	178	1,798	193	11,267	116	2,967	216	3,428	12	100	0	0	0	0	0	0
NH	85	2,595	87	2,682	70	18	68	871	40	2,753			64	899	21	13	31	801	24	1,174		
NJ	385	14,980	390	12,950			300	6,016	343	24,114			167	4,154			90	2,647	70	3,407		
NM	96	2,342	129	3,949	111	30	88	2,236	88	5,543	0	0	72	649	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NV	73	2,080	83	2,742			58	694	61	5,761	13	292	63	772							8	65
NY	736	21,268	765	21,334			537	7,540	598	32,127			599	7,665	20	226	130	2,834	258	12,030	25	357
OH	771	23,590	798	24,290			578	8,711	709	42,792			702	9,112	12	89	67	1,498	25	1,416	1	9
OK	441	6,530	468	7,087	14	47	171	1,277	260	10,174	54	1,111	231	1,185	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OR	214	6,310	267	7,631	22	69	196	2,613	196	12,852	37	689	175	2,219								
PA	611	19,552	642	19,260	0	0	482	4,820	543	24,435	0	0	518	5,180	2	20	0	0	0	0	32	288
RI	44	1,479	45	1,430			40	751	40	2,604			40	499			28	726	5	215		
SC	192	5,731	197	6,392			132	2,184	190	16,308			156	1,817								
SD			185	4,209	4	10	91	916	74	3,877			100	1,399								
TN	336	7,208	343	6,505			242	2,522	308	18,844			303	2,751								
TX	1,035	39,832	1,197	71,019			1,133	27,470	998	158,321			1,125	12,866								
UT	110	2,870	120	3,457			104	1,615	92	7,930			109	1,322								
VA	290	6,955	294	7,199	118	536	254	3,312	287	17,685	0	0	261	2,397	19	119	0	0	49	1,789	0	0
VT	64	1,604	72	1,944	9	93	42	495	21	1,350	5	154	46	579			23	348	18	767		
WA	335	10,617	379	12,051	0	0	275	5,055	295	21,041	32	646	271	3,762	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WI	449	13,144	476	15,911			380	5,043	430	31,235			370	7,257			78	2,133				
WV	128	2,900	136	3,361	3	14	78	770	125	6,046	0	0	101	1,056	0	0	0	0	2	85	0	0
WY			70	1,891	10	43	33	400	60	2,645			39	747								
	14791	450513	17035	539749	714	3092	12245	188420	13454	1012420	618	13616	12812	161757	181	2542	1317	33098	938	41822	225	2328

State	Skiing-Cross Country		Skiing-Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis		Track & Field - Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
AK	26	374			27	865	28	303	6	118			44	1,011	37	207			65	1,201
AL					121	3,028	28	213	146	1,522	41	527	286	8,105					63	1,529
AR					39	866	14	104	71	630			160	3,523						
AZ					142	4,786	84	1,434	122	1,890			177	6,872	45	1,111			156	4,836
CA	4	30	32	552	1,047	38,053	745	15,685	845	15,804	0	0	996	40,843	551	13,326	27	1,721	749	24,326
CO	13	88	13	177	148	5,814	100	1,551	112	2,288			272	8,272					225	5,810
CT					168	6,110	88	1,410	139	2,096	106	3,431	158	5,690	0	450			93	2,665
DC			10	169	8	120	5	59	12	80	14	255	14	252					1	26
DE					41	1,519	26	427	30	379	26	509	33	1,013	7	102			40	1,012
FL					445	12,215	331	4,076	389	4,003			419	14,490	76	1,292	183	5,027	312	7,923
GA					262	7,498	146	1,785	326	3,392			339	8,906			60	2,106	251	6,354
HI	0	0	0	0	58	1,552	52	351	55	704	0	0	62	1,740	59	1,190	4	84	53	1,057
IA	0	0	0	0	111	4,258	52	937	114	2,001	62	1,965	381	10,794	0	0	0	0	300	6,893
ID	0	113	0	0	68	1,246	0	286	61	895	0	0	166	3,866	0	0	0	0	128	2,591
IL					360	15,982	252	4,808	281	6,851			584	22,624	128	5,582			393	14,967
IN					235	7,321	209	3,869	297	4,584			368	10,899					309	8,194
KS	0	0	0	0	69	2,610	49	928	114	1,866	0	0	346	9,039	0	7	0	0	185	4,739
KY					165	4,783	135	1,134	221	2,223			242	5,194					71	1,561
LA	0	0	0	0	128	1,820	64	945	189	1,311	103	1,123	409	8,597	0	0	0	0	68	1,224
MA	19	290	70	1,027	318	12,329	137	1,768	217	3,163	199	6,446	286	10,356	78	1,584			154	3,890
MD	0	0	0	0	166	5,776	76	1,291	165	1,960	157	3,523	171	4,872	32	462	0	0	160	4,440
ME	39	397	48	519	132	4,532	49	506	91	1,235	55	1,178	101	2,792	15	168	8	133	57	1,020
MI	6	59	89	1,174	399	13,441	227	4,149	337	7,875	22	473	643	22,372	29	626	15	353	453	12,064
MN	93	1,539	77	1,395	163	7,473	141	3,047	183	4,407			416	13,414					343	8,547
MO	0	0	0	0	190	6,847	86	1,893	177	3,132	0	0	444	12,349	40	1,104	0	0	207	6,735
MS	0	0	0	0	102	2,995	40	985	145	1,530	60	500	223	4,925	0	0	115	1,845	1	18
MT					23	869	21	167	34	589			179	3,653					85	1,570
NC					264	7,867	151	1,815	250	2,945	117	2,069	289	9,973					267	7,212
ND					14	649	10	205	15	284			150	2,402					61	1,066
NE	0	0	0	0	61	2,234	41	480	55	765	0	0	321	8,415	0	0	0	0	228	4,208
NH	52	264	52	531	85	3,129			49	757	42	904	68	2,119					32	699
NJ			12	201	361	15,309	115	2,946	319	5,510	205	7,699	332	14,245	55	1,102			313	8,853
NM	0	0	0	0	56	1,925	34	562	49	446	0	0	120	3,221	0	0	0	0	55	1,579
NV			13	154	53	1,680	37	382	36	443			78	2,538	21	651			66	2,136
NY	123	1,418			689	21,020	264	4,520	501	8,576	325	7,971	642	16,984	193	4,003			479	11,980
OH	1	5	7	163	505	15,195	212	3,457	604	6,043	164	3,671	724	22,079	58	1,166	27	1,193	569	13,468
OK	0	0	0	0	81	1,600	42	615	188	1,205	30	450	450	4,250	0	0	0	0	129	2,514
OR					150	5,229	108	1,401	108	1,790			243	7,911					183	5,014
PA	0	0	0	0	514	17,990	274	4,932	368	3,680	136	2,448	516	16,512	167	3,006	0	0	466	8,398
RI					43	1,435	21	250	40	724	34	1,195	37	1,518	24	450			33	930
SC					137	4,098	46	482	117	1,357			182	6,313					108	3,592
SD									19	338			172	3,365					89	1,428
TN					198	4,725			246	1,912			239	5,032					138	2,771
TX					443	22,036	365	4,611	1,100	16,476			1,191	80,513					166	7,379
UT					78	2,598	69	1,036	79	1,227			112	3,955					95	3,259
VA	0	0	0	0	240	6,286	128	1,763	229	2,231	171	3,975	277	7,019	63	937	0	0	231	5,300
VT	23	201	22	302	70	2,346			20	255	9	94	39	808					17	251
WA	0	0	0	0	262	9,319	128	2,428	228	4,651	0	0	340	11,101	0	0	0	0	271	8,517
WI					228	8,896	110	2,027	193	4,400			424	12,752	38	1,242			362	7,468
WV	0	0	0	0	65	1,674	33	317	82	760	0	0	107	2,398	0	0	0	0	75	1,415
WY	6	94	7	92	16	704	22	361	15	247	14	309	70	1,736					50	1,165
	405	4872	452	6456	9746	332750	5396	88811	9767	143650	2092	50715	15016	491822	1716	39768	450	12562	9404	244984

Boys Other Sports

Sport	State	Schools	Participants	Sport	State	Schools	Participants
Adapted Bowling	MN	34	74	Fencing	CA	12	96
Adapted Floor Hockey	MN	101	233		ME	3	9
Adapted Soccer	MN	107	259		NJ	20	511
Adapted Softball	MN	95	209		NY	19	298
Badminton	AK	1	31	Field Hockey	OH	3	26
	CA	175	3572		VT	1	11
	FL	16	172		CA	2	36
	MD	23	163		MA	11	18
	NY	18	78		MI	2	70
Bowling	CA	20	474	Football 6-Player	VA	5	108
	FL	75	698		CA	7	82
	HI	45	448		CO	15	356
	IA	43	545		MT	15	118
	MD	4	30		NE	7	128
	ME	2	25		NM	12	360
	MI	49	629	Football 9-Player	TX	94	3460
	NC	0	110		CA	9	246
	NJ	132	2527		MN	56	1852
	NV	22	240		ND	60	1422
	NY	331	3690		SD	100	2081
	PA	56	560	Judo	CA	2	52
	SC	12	113		HI	30	403
	VT	1	15		VT	2	16
	WV	2	11	Native Youth Olympics	AK	23	104
Canoeing	CA	1	1	Pentathlon	KY	4	
	HI	32	571	Rodeo	IA	1	8
Crew	CA	12	279	Snowboarding	VT	0	35
	DC	1	30	Soft Tennis	HI	9	91
	DE	1	52	Softball (Fast Pitch)	CA	36	989
	FL	9	329		MA	1	2
	ME	2	36		ME	0	1
	MI	9	358		MI	8	250
	OH	12	253		MO	23	350
	VA	25	788		OH	19	758
	VT	1	12	Softball (Slow Pitch)	CA	7	140
	WV	2	49		MI	2	74
Decathlon	AK	7	27		OH	4	64
	AL	27	60	Team Tennis	TX	414	9081
	CA	15	158	Water Polo	CA	439	11411
	KY	1	1		FL	41	584
	ME	2	19		HI	9	150
	MI	3	34		MI	15	396
	VT	3	7		OH	8	169
Equestrian	CA	3	6		PA	13	195
	HI	1	5				
	ME	2	7				
	MI	17	46				

Girls Participation - 2001

	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country		Field Hockey		Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing	
ST	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Comb. Sport	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools
AK	122	1,797	33	557		79	720				9	142	29	415		
AL	394	5,921				101	736		138	412						
AR	231	4,121	60	1,022 *		46	436		76	294	6	47				
AZ	200	6,072				150	1,655		97	638						
CA	1,155	33,831	462	13,372 *		948	16,060	76	2,629	639	4,588	66	1,260	3	18	29
CO	293	7,597	121	2,977 *		184	2,202	13	536	111	1,291	60	714	14	63	14
CT	170	3,868				149	2,011	71	3,016	42	139	66	575			
DC	12	125	14	175 *		12	79		5	13						10
DE	43	1,012	19	448		38	504	40	1,598	13	51					
FL	534	11,159				408	5,288			314	4,016					
GA	365	9,295	215	4,199 *		289	3,547			244	1,000	28	326			
HI	64	1,671	47	785		57	733	0	0	41	150	5	35	0	0	0
IA	397	9,355	57	1,637		311	3,481	0	0	329	4,205	0	0	0	0	0
ID	176	3,669	0	0		116	843	0	0	98	526	0	0	0	104	0
IL	660	18,397				399	7,060			330	2,864	103	1,940			
IN	379	10,283				351	4,041			244	2,414	89	1,138			
KS	360	8,264	0	0		169	2,090	0	0	66	788	20	243	0	0	0
KY	279	5,929	282	5,503		264	2,615			170	1,037					
LA	377	9,401	0	0		205	1,225	0	0	101	303	19	217	0	0	0
MA	330	10,034				271	3,847	199	9,157	89	410	90	1,289	18	276	69
MD	173	4,552	0	0		160	1,951	159	3,885	52	69	6	142	0	0	0
ME	134	3,518	84	1,608 *		111	987	78	3,844	47	89	16	103	37	294	46
MI	692	20,379	148	3,474		531	6,287	12	602	292	3,664	90	1,163	7	57	83
MN	438	12,835				315	4,416			365	4,306	193	3,128	102	2,127	79
MO	530	12,805	120	1,400 *		289	3,885	23	937	139	1,543	3	33	0	0	0
MS	156	5,720	145	5,720		127	1,162	0	0	0	96	0	0	0	0	0
MT	180	3,753				68	712			90	866					
NC	334	7,856	90	2,225		273	4,023	8	210	115	491	8	90			
ND	181	3,209	28	354 *		56	387			104	682	11	100			
NE	322	7,051	0	0		177	1,336	0	0	124	1,093	18	169	0	0	0
NH	87	2,353	70	1,918 *		68	708	54	2,020	32	58	21	179	52	283	52
NJ	391	10,032				288	4,124	211	9,138	52	441	67	887			8
NM	130	3,398	111	915		85	1,082	0	0	63	0	0	0	0	0	0
NV	80	2,366				54	553			56	422					13
NY	750	18,308				517	6,020	230	8,576	110	786	113	1,052	118	1,135	118
OH	787	18,181				479	7,004	33	1,160	165	1,594	96	1,139	1	2	4
OK	468	6,782	173	1,260		151	1,260			203	1,024	0	0	0	0	0
OR	267	6,411	66	710 *		177	1,962			138	1,178					
PA	639	19,170	0	0		485	4,850	257	8,995	271	2,810	21	210	0	0	0
RI	46	1,129				40	629	20	684	1	47	16	203			
SC	196	5,092	85	2,069		127	1,537			45	279					
SD	182	3,403	21	246		80	695			82	736	29	314			
TN	345	4,764	331	975 *		243	2,004			293	803					
TX	1,190	69,760		22,963 *		1,140	28,460			1,107	7,231					
UT	119	2,959	90	1,754		101	1,185			26	52					
VA	285	5,804	284	7,092		249	2,691	101	2,905	139	69	803	0	0	0	0
VT	69	1,777	22	380		42	371	28	1,026	28	101	10	116	21	208	23
WA	367	10,026	0	0		269	3,345	0	0	251	2,115	79	1,590	0	0	0
WI	473	13,508				380	4,765			121	1,446	93	1,436			
WV	134	2,320	136	2,384 *		73	627	0	0	23	31	0	0	0	0	0
WY	70	1,706	38	439 *		34	325			39	215	9	103	6	106	7
	16,756	452,728	3,352	88,561		11,736	158,516	1,613	60,918	7,581	59,546	1,529	20,886	408	5,088	555

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	Alpine		Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
ST	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools
AK			27	789	21	497			6	166			44	818	101	1,706
AL			96	2,461	222	3,552	147	2,477	148	1,508	42	429	280	4,230	304	4,711
AR			36	653	117	1,343	84	2,096	66	609			156	2,317	63	1,441
AZ			130	3,703	180	5,701			123	2,112			173	5,086	197	6,160
CA	371	1,032	34,663	1,009	30,093	56	1,899	876	18,812		0	0	993	33,153	1,145	34,194
CO	127		155	5,889	139	4,134			124	3,502			272	6,474	296	9,118
CT			143	4,871	145	4,511			115	2,626	100	3,317	151	5,416	131	3,351
DC	250		1	18	14	147			12	55	12	144	12	147	14	166
DE			35	1,185	38	1,019			30	451	28	436	35	782	36	1,011
FL			409	11,860	492	10,678	41	787	403	4,211			419	13,096	506	11,776
GA			265	7,013	233	5,574	128	2,831	333	4,123			341	7,928	184	3,932
HI	0		57	1,633	52	928	0	0	57	809	0	0	57	1,214	65	1,661
IA	0		78	2,998	386	8,744	0	0	118	2,884	71	1,631	376	9,038	395	13,442
ID	0		63	1,132	79	2,054	16	295	61	1,017	0	0	166	2,974	175	4,353
IL			309	13,601	647	17,531			285	7,916			509	16,861	602	21,636
IN			188	5,412	351	9,163			303	5,510			366	9,552	382	10,073
KS	0		61	2,301	195	4,921	0	0	109	2,028	0	0	332	6,765	315	8,757
KY			151	3,853	261	5,179	16	354	221	2,540			242	4,504	205	4,351
LA	0		110	1,650	362	5,430	0	0	150	1,044	83	821	368	4,038	164	2,296
MA	836		302	11,468	316	10,384			227	4,095	200	6,141	270	10,211	190	4,884
MD	0		150	4,834	171	4,581			171	2,297	156	3,422	169	4,330	169	4,242
ME	306		128	4,039	130	3,264			93	1,508	53	978	103	2,532	19	294
MI	806		349	12,191	579	16,377	34	740	341	9,008	11	165	623	17,660	689	21,572
MN	810		160	6,949	388	12,212			215	5,886			419	13,849	428	15,455
MO	0		163	6,009	446	9,921	0	0	168	3,083	0	0	446	10,858	413	10,783
MS	0		89	1,720	134	3,675	213	4,530	145	1,215	60	300	223	4,150	61	1,375
MT			24	698	50	996			58	1,185			180	3,029	174	3,758
NC			224	5,837	317	7,519			274	3,335	111	1,728	293	8,063	327	7,194
ND			15	786					16	368			148	1,999	134	3,461
NE	0		61	2,017	0	1,751	0	0	59	1,170	0	0	322	6,859	323	8,111
NH	361		70	2,538	85	2,442			50	848	43	795	69	2,018	50	1,224
NJ	122		322	11,637	385	13,370			330	6,099	197	6,350	328	13,174	159	4,288
NM	0		52	1,741	72	1,358	0	0	60	437	0	0	122	2,565	125	3,487
NV	154		50	1,629	68	1,712			36	525			78	1,765	78	2,342
NY	1,135		676	24,561	725	18,832			427	8,074	328	7,888	649	17,161	611	15,024
OH	91		356	11,228	284	19,290	26	567	385	6,763	152	2,707	724	18,829	780	19,111
OK	0		85	1,640	377	6,500	391	6,701	101	1,120	25	316	391	3,850	80	1,400
OR			145	4,543	190	4,947			119	2,439			242	6,232	258	6,895
PA	0		512	17,920	599	19,168	0	0	372	3,720	138	2,484	515	16,480	490	8,820
RI			46	1,425	33	777	16	408	43	911	37	1,113	37	1,310	41	892
SC			101	2,832	186	4,671			125	1,682			180	5,135	181	3,626
SD									20	344			170	2,682	150	3,501
TN			188	4,028	334	6,138			248	1,847			238	5,170	263	4,342
TX			418	16,302	897	27,670			1,100	16,898			1,191	67,602	907	51,795
UT			72	2,328	90	2,064			79	1,241			113	3,178	119	2,869
VA	0		228	5,010	279	5,868			236	2,593	171	3,447	278	6,267	249	4,743
VT	166		67	2,091	58	1,490			26	405	10	130	42	860	1	12
WA	0		256	8,371	263	7,831	80	1,442	246	6,642	0	0	339	9,180	367	10,489
WI			207	8,058	429	11,744			197	5,436			420	10,739	469	16,795
WV	0		56	1,361	119	2,446	0	0	83	870	0	0	107	2,176	108	2,189
WY	64		16	610					16	315	14	228	68	1,360	68	1,706
	5,599		8,934	292,086	12,947	350,197	1,248	25,127	9,606	164,282	2,042	44,970	14,789	415,666	13,761	390,814

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Girls Other Sports

Sport	State	Schools	Participants	Sport	State	Schools	Participants
Adapted Bowling	MN	34	94	Heptathlon	AL	20	52
Adapted Floor Hockey	MN	101	222	Ice Hockey	VT	3	7
Adapted Soccer	MN	107	223		AK	0	18
Adapted Softball	MN	95	241		CO	3	3
Badminton	AK	1	47		DE	2	4
	AZ	42	826		IA	3	17
	CA	206	4722		MA	88	947
	FL	17	228		ME	20	116
	IL	76	2388		MI	9	142
	MD	23	141		MN	199	3809
	MN	17	573		NH	31	67
	NY	45	654		NJ	3	70
					NY	6	152
					OH		4
					RI		14
					VT	14	240
Baseball	AZ	10	38	Judo	CA	2	14
	CA	49	826		HI	27	230
	CO	39	68				
	FL	1	2	Lacrosse	CA	29	940
	GA	13	57		CO	25	948
	HI	6	10		DC	1	26
	KS	0	4		DE	18	597
	MA	2	3		FL	26	927
	MD	0	18		GA	8	346
	ME	3	6		HI	1	11
	MN		27		MA	83	3437
	NJ		43		MD	103	3712
	OK	2	2		ME	32	1043
	OR	12	83		MI	18	779
	RI		1		MO	10	150
	TX		362		NH	16	660
	UT		7		NJ	80	4932
	VA	3	3		NY	173	8143
	WA	6	50		OH	20	1222
					PA	71	2272
Bowling	CA	18	195		RI	4	148
	FL	116	1466		VA	43	1297
	HI	44	436		VT	20	702
	IA	30	276		WV	2	111
	IL	117	2677				
	MD	4	28	Pentathlon	IA	2	17
	ME	2	25				
	MI	47	456	Riflery	AK	11	53
	NJ	118	1539		CA	7	34
	NV	22	207		GA	68	235
	NY	240	2390		HI	36	355
	PA	60	600		IA	1	9
	SC	10	74		KY	10	38
	VT	1	7		ME	4	11
	WA	33	475		MI	2	36
	WV	2	10		NV	8	45
					NY	13	99
Canoeing	CA	3	156		PA	29	261
	HI	32	760				
				Rhythmic Gymnastics	FL	11	181
Crew	CA	13	264				
	DC	2	55	Snowboarding	VT	0	9
	DE	1	59				
	FL	8	356	Soft Tennis	HI	10	104
	ME	1	16				
	MI	9	458	Synchronized Swimming	MN	19	497
	OH	11	251				
	VA	23	817	Team Tennis	TX		9106
	VT	1	10				
	WV	2	73	Water Polo	CA	447	12257
					FL	44	704

Girls Other Sports

Sport	State	Schools	Participants	Sport	State	Schools	Participants
Dance Team					HI	20	275
					MI	17	486
					OH	7	136
					PA	11	165
Decathlon	AK	8	39	Native Youth Olympics	AK	23	80
	CA	14	132				
	ME	2	9				
	MI	2	9				
Equestrian				Wrestling	AK	23	41
	CA	28	236		AZ	39	80
	HI	2	7		CA	281	752
	ME	2	16		CO	25	35
Fencing	MI	56	398		DE	4	4
					FL	56	108
	CA	13	93		GA	34	106
	ME	1	1		HI	43	239
	NJ	23	509		IA	13	28
	NY	17	216		ID	0	9
	OH	1	20		IL	0	73
	VT	1	8		KS	0	9
Flag Football					KY	9	17
	FL	77	3109		MA	37	74
					MD	0	52
					ME	22	47
Football 11-player					MI	0	153
	AK	0	11		MO	0	3
	AZ	21	44		MT	2	6
	CA	132	313		NC	14	35
	CO	1	1		NH	32	9
	DE	1	1		NJ	1	90
	FL	19	25		OH		92
	GA	18	74		OR	25	60
	HI	5	18		RI		6
	IA	10	18		TX	115	485
	IL		161		UT		3
	KS	0	16		VA	38	138
	KY	11	21		VT	4	8
	MA		19		WA	68	256
	MD	0	1		WV	11	14
	ME	9	16				
	MI	0	29	Weight Lifting	CA	14	334
	MN		9		FL	118	2778
	MO	0	3		GA	19	376
	NJ		24		HI	3	19
	OK	3	3		ME	8	75
	OR	12	17		MI	7	62
	TX		621		OH	7	166
	VA	20	145				
	WA	26	33				
	WV	2	32				
Football 6-player							
	AZ	1	7				
	CA	4	55				
	CO	1	1				
	OK	1	1				
	OR	1	2				
	TX		1				
	WA	2	2				

2001-02 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2001-02 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS					
Bowling (1/1)	36	78	36	114	192
Floor Hockey (1/1)	46	174	46	192	366
Soccer (1/1)	109	280	109	244	524
Softball (1/1)	97	229	97	265	494
BADMINTON (4/7)	253	4,184	457	9,907	14,091
BASEBALL (49/14)	14,924	451,674	132	1,141	452,815
BASKETBALL (51/51)	17,135	540,597	16,851	456,169	996,766
BOWLING (18/19)	1,046	12,597	1,061	13,029	25,626
CANOEING (3/3)	35	875	37	1,254	2,129
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS (25/31)	715	2,581	4,245	94,635	97,216
CREW (10/10)	83	2,058	88	2,508	4,566
CROSS COUNTRY (51/51)	12,456	190,993	11,976	160,178	351,142
DECATHLON (5/2)	47	268	15	136	404
EQUESTRIAN (3/4)	23	36	77	639	675
FENCING (5/5)	56	1,105	59	901	2,006
FIELD HOCKEY (4/18)	7	194	1,646	60,737	60,931
FLAG FOOTBALL (0/1)			75	3,075	3,075
FOOTBALL 11-Player (51/21)	13,509	1,023,712	343	2,870	1,026,582
(9-player) (4/0)	269	5,911			5,911
(8-player) (16/4)	660	14,654	8	103	14,757
(6-player) (6/2)	181	5,201	4	90	5,291
GOLF (51/51)	13,031	163,299	7,754	59,901	223,200
GYMNASTICS (15/33)	176	2,223	1,548	21,034	23,257
(Rhythmic) (0/1)			13	221	221
HEPTATHLON (1/3)	1	1	21	97	98
ICE HOCKEY (19/16)	1,395	34,652	372	6,442	41,094
JUDO (2/2)	32	534	29	276	810
KAYAKING (1/1)	6	100	7	117	217
LACROSSE (20/22)	992	46,206	819	35,186	81,392
PENTATHLON (1/1)	2	9	2	14	23
RIFLERY (13/12)	200	2,401	159	1,249	3,650
SKIING (Cross Country) (13/12)	436	4,878	427	4,982	9,860
(Alpine) (13/13)	451	6,353	438	4,591	10,944
SOCCER (50/50)	9,903	339,101	9,186	295,265	634,366
SOFTBALL (Fast Pitch) (7/48)	82	1,842	13,807	355,960	357,802
(Slow Pitch) (2/12)	10	177	986	17,254	17,431
SWIMMING & DIVING (48/48)	5,540	90,698	5,935	141,218	231,916
(Synchronized) (0/1)			19	460	460
TEAM TENNIS (3/3)	737	12,516	741	13,293	25,809
TENNIS (50/50)	9,365	139,483	9,378	160,114	299,597
(Soft) (1/1)	9	140	10	164	304
TRACK AND FIELD (Indoor) (22/22)	2,242	52,000	2,141	46,415	98,415
(OUTDOOR) (51/51)	15,261	494,022	15,151	415,677	909,699
VOLLEYBALL (23/51)	1,804	40,567	14,083	395,124	435,691
WATER POLO (6/6)	568	13,735	582	14,792	28,527
WEIGHT LIFTING (9/8)	507	14,293	171	3,545	17,838
WRESTLING (50/30)	9,578	244,637	798	3,405	248,042
OTHER					1,264

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

2001-02 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,135	1.	Football (11-player)	1,023,712
2.	Track and Field Outdoor	15,261	2.	Basketball	540,597
3.	Baseball	14,924	3.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	494,022
4.	Football (11-player)	13,509	4.	Baseball	451,674
5.	Golf	13,031	5.	Soccer	339,101
6.	Cross Country	12,456	6.	Wrestling	244,637
7.	Soccer	9,903	7.	Cross Country	190,993
8.	Wrestling	9,578	8.	Golf	163,299
9.	Tennis	9,365	9.	Tennis	139,483
10.	Swimming & Diving	5,540	10.	Swimming & Diving	90,698

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	16,851	1.	Basketball	456,169
2.	Track and Field (Outdoor)	15,151	2.	Track and Field (Outdoor)	415,677
3.	Volleyball	14,083	3.	Volleyball	395,124
4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	13,807	4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	355,960
5.	Cross Country	11,976	5.	Soccer	295,265
6.	Tennis	9,378	6.	Cross Country	160,178
7.	Soccer	9,186	7.	Tennis	160,114
8.	Golf	7,754	8.	Swimming & Diving	141,218
9.	Swimming & Diving	5,935	9.	Competitive Spirit Squads	94,635
10.	Competitive Spirit Squads	4,245	10.	Field Hockey	60,737

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Year	Girls Participants
1971	3,666,917	1971	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,472,967	1993-94	2,130,315
1994-95	3,536,359	1994-95	2,240,461
1995-96	3,634,052	1995-96	2,367,936
1996-97	3,706,225	1996-97	2,474,043
1997-98	3,763,120	1997-98	2,570,333
1998-99	3,832,352	1998-99	2,652,726
1999-00	3,861,749	1999-00	2,675,874
2000-01	3,921,069	2000-01	2,784,154
2001-02	3,960,517	2001-02	2,806,998

2001-02 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹
1.	Texas	773,850	27.	Louisiana	84,704
2.	California	656,245	28.	Tennessee	83,756
3.	New York	338,248	29.	Alabama	82,716
4.	Illinois	301,626	30.	Mississippi	80,710
5.	Michigan	301,196	31.	South Carolina	77,807
6.	Ohio	299,351	32.	Nebraska	77,649
7.	Pennsylvania	243,765	33.	Oklahoma	66,858
8.	New Jersey	214,870	34.	Maine	53,766
9.	Florida	211,936	35.	Arkansas	48,834
10.	Minnesota	211,693	36.	Utah	46,489
11.	Massachusetts	193,880	37.	Idaho	45,967
12.	Wisconsin	191,425	38.	New Hampshire	40,664
13.	Missouri	157,815	39.	New Mexico	38,661
14.	Washington	153,487	40.	West Virginia	36,813
15.	Virginia	150,414	41.	Montana	35,389
16.	Georgia	148,063	42.	Nevada	33,910
17.	Iowa	141,975	43.	Hawaii	31,544
18.	Indiana	136,837	44.	South Dakota	29,860
19.	North Carolina	135,523	45.	North Dakota	29,321
20.	Colorado	111,580	46.	Vermont	25,495
21.	Kansas	98,261	47.	Rhode Island	24,372
22.	Maryland	94,173	48.	Delaware	23,392
23.	Arizona	93,508	49.	Alaska	18,883
24.	Oregon	91,875	50.	Wyoming	18,027
25.	Connecticut	89,944	51.	District of Columbia	3,984
26.	Kentucky	86,404	TOTAL		6,767,515

¹Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	381	8,792	395	11,382			122	880
Alaska	25	602	132	2,213	9	31	91	918
Arizona	191	7,053	209	7,108	69	185	155	2,221
Arkansas	212	4,586	234	6,002	13	97	56	787
California	1,114	42,942	1,202	42,267	136	793	978	19,593
Colorado	260	7,959	299	8,366	21	70	196	2,710
Connecticut	173	5,763	173	5,070			166	3,033
Delaware	42	1,425	42	1,466	5	7	39	692
District of Columbia	12	201	15	319			12	115
Florida	520	13,641	559	14,087			423	5,494
Georgia	360	11,460	369	11,289	48	117	311	4,795
Hawaii	57	1,693	63	1,789	16	44	58	686
Idaho	97	2,570	170	4,472			95	1,085
Illinois	659	22,810	727	24,429			471	7,503
Indiana	374	10,567	381	10,924			367	4,667
Iowa	389	10,810	398	12,634	6	90	313	3,943
Kansas	206	5,660	367	10,146			269	2,813
Kentucky	272	7,624	279	7,350	48	225	243	2,888
Louisiana	309	8,009	409	12,241			307	3,367
Maine	127	3,649	137	4,111	29	47	105	1,200
Maryland	174	5,288	176	4,946			163	2,749
Massachusetts	328	12,631	338	11,939			279	4,788
Michigan	632	19,573	725	23,804			574	7,562
Minnesota	412	13,883	443	14,295			316	5,070
Mississippi	240	6,105	156	7,976	10	50	127	2,534
Missouri	478	12,875	558	14,907		30	299	4,852
Montana			182	4,451	6	8	85	807
Nebraska	35	1,517	321	8,668			182	1,994
Nevada	77	2,132	90	2,811			62	711
New Hampshire	86	2,785	88	2,679	73	60	68	893
New Jersey	386	14,647	391	12,673			308	5,814
New Mexico	96	2,342	129	3,849		30	88	2,236
New York	749	21,565	766	21,411			550	7,628
North Carolina	334	9,958	340	9,497			297	4,253
North Dakota	98	1,361	185	4,002	1	1	55	460
Ohio	773	24,084	789	23,925			576	8,423
Oklahoma	435	6,275	478	7,100	16	41	170	1,258
Oregon	220	6,330	273	7,797	40	87	190	2,569
Pennsylvania	610	19,520	641	19,230			484	4,840
Rhode Island	44	1,466	45	1,405			40	760
South Carolina	187	5,966	195	6,351			132	2,148
South Dakota			182	4,091	3	14	85	866
Tennessee	331	7,200	343	6,505		65	224	2,300
Texas	1,041	37,226	1,193	70,661			1,140	27,415
Utah	108	2,893	119	3,429			108	1,635
Vermont	71	1,797	77	2,120	10	14	46	593
Virginia	288	8,589	291	9,192	136	431	261	4,031
Washington	337	10,728	377	11,869			278	4,940
West Virginia	127	2,917	136	3,428	8	8	78	766
Wisconsin	447	12,205	479	16,103			376	6,325
Wyoming			69	1,818	12	36	38	383

* Includes some coeducational teams

** Includes girls playing on boys' teams and boys playing on girls' teams

State	Football 11-player		Football 8-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	365	21,070			235	1,115		
Alaska	24	1,609						
Arizona	171	15,591	18	400	151	1,732		
Arkansas	139	9,829		46	139	1,259		3
California	961	97,236	54	1,263	906	11,990	6	19
Colorado	188	15,291	37	1,254	165	2,499		
Connecticut	135	9,130			159	1,944		
Delaware	39	2,483			38	400		
District of Columbia	10	646			6	50		
Florida	441	35,730			440	4,094		
Georgia	341	25,402			335	2,961		
Hawaii	57	4,322			62	557	3	14
Idaho	130	7,985	32	696	87	908		
Illinois	549	47,179			547	8,725	54	1,420
Indiana	309	18,836			364	3,974		
Iowa	354	21,192	26	213	364	7,221		
Kansas	251	15,196	103	2,265	270	3,816		
Kentucky	219	11,934			257	2,722		
Louisiana	294	16,108			164	1,142	7	55
Maine	66	3,550			112	1,438	4	9
Maryland	168	12,919			141	1,412	6	39
Massachusetts	302	19,592			278	4,182	8	205
Michigan	618	44,411			567	8,313	5	34
Minnesota	360	28,107			377	6,530		
Mississippi	235	19,705		37	160	1,577		
Missouri	322	21,414	19	477	336	4,717		
Montana	88	5,337	78	1,397	128	1,424		
Nebraska	179	11,406	131	3,245	231	3,348	13	
Nevada	65	5,905	13	299	65	791		
New Hampshire	40	2,779			67	926	20	12
New Jersey	347	24,430			177	3,944		
New Mexico	88	5,543			72	649		
New York	617	33,263			624	7,987	21	224
North Carolina	330	22,601			318	3,345		
North Dakota	88	3,583			126	1,416		
Ohio	710	43,301			704	9,214	6	44
Oklahoma	260	10,190	72	1,428	234	1,204		
Oregon	191	12,598	40	722	175	2,122		
Pennsylvania	540	24,300			519	5,190	2	20
Rhode Island	41	2,490			40	511		
South Carolina	190	16,866			156	1,666		
South Dakota	72	3,888			105	1,423		
Tennessee	307	18,850			296	2,701		
Texas	999	157,856			1,119	12,890		
Utah	93	8,067			113	1,346		
Vermont	26	1,605	5	138	57	667	1	1
Virginia	277	21,908			259	2,776	20	124
Washington	295	20,021	32	774	274	3,704		
West Virginia	125	6,228			102	1,029		
Wisconsin	430	31,405			369	7,041		
Wyoming	63	2,825			41	707		

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State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	23	669			10	163	26	375
Arizona								
Arkansas						98		
California	6	91	38	1,241	8	66	4	30
Colorado	14	356	30	1,679			13	81
Connecticut	76	1,656	57	2,828				
Delaware			29	1,133				
District of Columbia								
Florida			30	1,210				
Georgia			21	906	99	795		
Hawaii					35	441		
Idaho							15	77
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa	8	60			2	19		
Kansas								
Kentucky	1	6			10	81		
Louisiana								
Maine	52	1,401	37	1,539	3	36	45	430
Maryland			117	4,747				
Massachusetts	257	7,413	106	5,495			21	322
Michigan	180	3,341	37	1,844	2	14	5	66
Minnesota	237	6,196					96	1,588
Mississippi								
Missouri	50	1,000	20	300				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada								
New Hampshire	34	825	28	1,346			51	250
New Jersey	91	2,782	74	3,354				
New Mexico								
New York	131	3,126	260	12,339	29	387	124	1,260
North Carolina			22	755				
North Dakota	27	661						
Ohio	71	1,597		1,730	1	7	2	28
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania						288		
Rhode Island	29	717	7	274				
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	27	566	22	984	1	6	27	264
Virginia			55	2,378				
Washington								
West Virginia			2	124				
Wisconsin	81	2,189						
Wyoming							7	107

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State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			125	3,126	34	259	151	1,574
Alaska			26	839	28	316	6	117
Arizona			145	4,641	90	1,494	122	1,672
Arkansas			39	1,418	14	175	71	801
California	32	552	1,047	38,053	745	15,685	845	15,804
Colorado	13	150	154	5,460	100	1,548	115	2,189
Connecticut			171	6,330	100	1,444	148	2,146
Delaware			41	1,636	26	420	31	411
District of Columbia	8	125	6	133	3	24	12	62
Florida			391	11,952	304	4,269	426	3,656
Georgia			273	7,750	149	1,823		
Hawaii			58	1,514	52	377	55	743
Idaho			71	1,762	12	262	52	1,057
Illinois			375	16,324	241	4,658	310	6,946
Indiana			244	6,879	209	3,558	297	4,197
Iowa			111	4,222	52	928	114	1,983
Kansas			89	3,475	52	192	130	1,897
Kentucky			158	4,580	126	1,058	215	2,163
Louisiana			128	1,920	64	945	189	1,311
Maine	45	557	127	4,363	46	485	70	966
Maryland			167	5,768	77	1,248	171	1,933
Massachusetts	71	1,124	328	12,577	135	1,894	219	3,192
Michigan	88	1,138	423	13,742	237	4,393	340	7,983
Minnesota	76	1,350	169	7,828	139	2,982	184	4,431
Mississippi			102	3,108	40	1,005	145	1,619
Missouri			197	7,140	86	1,899	179	3,194
Montana			19	584	13	122	33	658
Nebraska			63	2,275	50	568	58	876
Nevada	15	158	57	1,722	41	392	40	454
New Hampshire	51	561	87	3,256	26	198	50	727
New Jersey	14	196	364	15,225	121	3,039	323	4,504
New Mexico			56	1,925	34	562	49	446
New York			728	22,165	292	4,802	531	9,049
North Carolina			278	8,539	189	2,033	278	3,111
North Dakota			15	559	16	215	19	269
Ohio	3	56	515	15,072	218	3,608	411	5,949
Oklahoma			82	1,620	43	520	169	1,352
Oregon			154	5,235	111	1,442	108	1,776
Pennsylvania			514	17,990	275	4,950	370	3,700
Rhode Island			43	1,496	25	262	40	749
South Carolina			134	4,071	54	576	113	1,390
South Dakota							18	330
Tennessee			203	4,740			239	1,899
Texas			447	22,174	370	5,758	1,083	16,221
Utah			84	2,636	69	1,068	80	1,242
Vermont	29	299	80	2,813			21	238
Virginia			241	7,684	133	2,167	227	2,663
Washington			261	9,248	133	2,440	222	4,448
West Virginia			62	1,586	33	310	78	753
Wisconsin			232	9,250	108	1,937	193	4,396
Wyoming	6	87	19	696	25	388	15	236

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State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	45	578	290	6,190				
Alaska			41	981	49	283		
Arizona			179	6,440	47	1,130		
Arkansas			160	4,428				
California			996	40,843	551	13,326	27	1,721
Colorado			288	7,836				
Connecticut	133	3,612	164	5,835	32	618		
Delaware	28	517	32	971	7	99	2	53
District of Columbia	12	107	12	275				
Florida			522	14,869	75	1,263	223	5,009
Georgia			346	9,307			60	2,398
Hawaii			62	1,866	59	1,137	4	15
Idaho			157	3,857				
Illinois			585	21,437	156	5,538		
Indiana			368	9,993				
Iowa	62	1,946	381	10,706				
Kansas			364	8,689		207		
Kentucky			245	5,258				
Louisiana	103	1,123	409	8,597				
Maine	56	1,115	102	2,759	9	122	5	137
Maryland	170	3,772	172	5,175	31	546		
Massachusetts	207	6,732	277	11,108	77	1,789		
Michigan	32	600	639	22,635	21	313	29	1,064
Minnesota			421	13,511				
Mississippi	60	581	223	5,018			115	1,961
Missouri			454	12,388	41	1,065		
Montana			179	3,759				
Nebraska			319	8,158				
Nevada			83	2,601	23	667		
New Hampshire	44	896	69	2,116				
New Jersey	209	7,558	347	13,372	57	1,014		
New Mexico			120	3,221				
New York	337	8,115	669	17,631	191	3,857		
North Carolina	176	1,521	326	10,784				
North Dakota			161	2,491				
Ohio	167	3,717	748	22,403	80	1,657	42	1,935
Oklahoma	30	450	380	4,150				
Oregon			252	8,001	1	2		
Pennsylvania	136	2,448	516	16,512	166	2,988		
Rhode Island	34	1,241	39	1,430	25	508		
South Carolina			185	6,467				
South Dakota			175	3,448				
Tennessee			230	5,085				
Texas			1,195	78,758				
Utah			113	3,926				
Vermont	16	127	41	929				
Virginia	171	4,974	281	8,958	62	1,043		
Washington			344	11,336				
West Virginia			104	2,754				
Wisconsin			427	13,131	44	1,395		
Wyoming	14	270	69	1,629				

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State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	72	1,747
Alaska	68	1,066
Arizona	158	4,738
Arkansas		
California	749	24,326
Colorado	226	5,522
Connecticut	112	2,748
Delaware	40	1,001
District of Columbia	2	30
Florida	380	7,987
Georgia	261	6,237
Hawaii	53	924
Idaho	118	2,680
Illinois	406	14,205
Indiana	309	7,353
Iowa	300	6,836
Kansas	199	4,755
Kentucky	71	1,561
Louisiana	68	1,224
Maine	58	1,048
Maryland	161	4,110
Massachusetts	162	3,850
Michigan	448	11,705
Minnesota	346	8,622
Mississippi	1	25
Missouri	207	6,971
Montana	89	1,663
Nebraska	230	4,327
Nevada	69	2,189
New Hampshire	32	645
New Jersey	315	8,389
New Mexico	55	1,579
New York	506	12,646
North Carolina	274	7,524
North Dakota	72	1,051
Ohio	519	13,319
Oklahoma	129	2,514
Oregon	187	5,093
Pennsylvania	466	8,388
Rhode Island	34	968
South Carolina	108	3,580
South Dakota	88	1,455
Tennessee	141	2,828
Texas	176	7,566
Utah	96	3,195
Vermont	25	290
Virginia	232	6,299
Washington	266	7,896
West Virginia	77	1,361
Wisconsin	354	7,458
Wyoming	63	1,143

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	36	78	Fencing	California	12	96
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	46	174		New Jersey	21	644
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	109	280		New York	20	319
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	97	229		Ohio	2	34
Badminton	California	175	3,572		Vermont	1	12
	Florida	17	204	Field Hockey	California	2	36
	Maryland	42	315		Maine	2	2
	New York	19	93		Massachusetts		31
Bowling	Arkansas		34		Vermont	3	125
	California	20	474	Football 6-player	California	7	82
	Florida	78	805		Colorado	40	987
	Hawaii	45	474		Montana	16	261
	Iowa	43	119		Nebraska	7	128
	Kentucky	3	75		New Mexico	12	360
	Maine	2	59	Football 9-player	Texas	99	3,383
	Maryland	23	31		California	9	246
	Michigan	74	927		Minnesota	71	2,088
	New Jersey	139	2,540		North Dakota	83	1,374
	Nevada	24	246		South Dakota	106	2,203
	New York	354	4,019	Judo	California	2	52
	Ohio	62	1,218		Hawaii	30	482
	Pennsylvania	56	560	Kayaking	Hawaii	6	100
	South Carolina	12	114	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	9	140
	Tennessee	108	864	Softball (Fast Pitch)	Alaska	1	5
	Vermont	2	32		Arkansas		115
Canoeing	West Virginia	1	6		California	36	989
	California	1	1		Michigan	1	30
	Hawaii	32	852		Missouri	21	297
Crew	Ohio	2	22		Ohio	19	349
	California	12	279	Softball (Slow Pitch)	Vermont	4	57
	Delaware	1	47		California	7	140
	District of Columbia	1	20	Team Tennis	Ohio	3	37
	Florida	12	248		Georgia	323	3,424
	Kentucky	1	5		Hawaii		11
	Maine	2	33	Water Polo	Texas	414	9,081
	Michigan	12	417		California	439	11,411
	Ohio	14	279		Florida	45	692
	Virginia	26	677		Hawaii	9	145
Decathlon	West Virginia	2	53		Illinois	52	1,095
	Alabama	28	63		Ohio	10	197
	Arkansas		37		Pennsylvania	13	195
	California	15	158				
	Kentucky	1	1				
	Vermont	3	9				
Equestrian	California	3	6				
	Michigan	19	29				
	Vermont	1	1				

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GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country		Field Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	394	5,291			101	736		
Alaska	124	1,832	29	583	84	727		
Arizona	200	6,091	219	4,895	154	1,711		
Arkansas	231	4,996	60	1,758	46	671		
California	1,155	33,831	462	13,372	948	16,060	76	2,629
Colorado	300	7,278	134	2,503	184	2,336	11	483
Connecticut	174	4,225			158	2,181	72	3,109
Delaware	43	1,095	30	888	38	534	41	1,553
District of Columbia	13	203	12	250	14	150		
Florida	540	11,263			432	5,649		
Georgia	365	9,258	211	4,305	291	3,690		
Hawaii	64	1,628	47	730	57	679		
Idaho	167	3,785			95	734		
Illinois	666	18,516			462	6,605		
Indiana	379	9,041			351	3,723		
Iowa	397	9,278	57	1,622	311	3,450		
Kansas	366	8,162			272	2,394		
Kentucky	280	5,950	279	5,444	245	2,427		
Louisiana	377	9,401			205	1,225		
Maine	133	3,336	92	1,867	102	952	82	3,131
Maryland	177	4,494			163	2,035	166	3,385
Massachusetts	345	10,632			256	3,766	202	8,963
Michigan	717	20,827	162	4,063	550	6,619	13	627
Minnesota	440	12,841			315	4,450		
Mississippi	156	5,765	145	2,500	127	1,216		
Missouri	532	12,513	120	1,420	300	4,005	21	956
Montana	181	3,893	21	251	85	769		
Nebraska	321	7,288			182	1,382		
Nevada	87	2,425			58	567		
New Hampshire	88	2,460	73	2,155	68	759	54	2,108
New Jersey	391	9,984			294	4,092	214	9,524
New Mexico	130	3,398	111	915	85	1,082		
New York	753	18,568			527	6,120	244	8,654
North Carolina	338	7,619	90	2,225	289	3,510	6	137
North Dakota	181	3,291	22	384	51	360		
Ohio	784	18,352			481	7,074	33	1,161
Oklahoma	468	6,805	162	1,115	162	1,191		
Oregon	273	6,468	64	703	178	1,944		
Pennsylvania	640	19,200			489	4,890	256	8,960
Rhode Island	46	1,153			41	662	21	634
South Carolina	194	5,130	78	2,184	131	1,565		
South Dakota	182	3,466	22	275	79	622		
Tennessee	344	4,754	333	1,000	220	1,980		
Texas	1,193	69,975	650	23,222	1,147	28,902		
Utah	117	2,956	88	1,647	102	1,163		
Vermont	73	1,893	23	384	45	489	28	1,101
Virginia	283	7,768	288	9,162	254	3,243	106	3,622
Washington	374	9,986			268	3,252		
West Virginia	131	2,526	120	2,319	70	639		
Wisconsin	475	13,671			375	4,865		
Wyoming	69	1,608	41	494	34	331		

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State	Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing Cross Country		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	64	191						
Alaska			9	145	25	387		
Arizona	101	652						
Arkansas	76	372	6	202				
California	639	4,588	66	1,260	3	18	29	371
Colorado	112	1,324	59	628	14	59	14	114
Connecticut	42	127	66	537				
Delaware	16	29						
District of Columbia	6	25					8	250
Florida	333	2,161						
Georgia	248	1,113	30	398				
Hawaii	41	161	5	44				
Idaho	87	778			15	105		
Illinois	356	2,753	97	1,754				
Indiana	244	2,156	89	986				
Iowa	329	4,169						
Kansas	101	1,020	20	267				
Kentucky	226	1,379	1	3				
Louisiana	101	320	19	217				
Maine	45	76	23	136	39	313	46	373
Maryland	64	217	2	80				
Massachusetts	39	429	97	1,378	19	307	66	878
Michigan	317	3,863	87	1,063	5	47	87	823
Minnesota	369	4,931	192	3,096	104	2,169	78	788
Mississippi		105						
Missouri	137	1,466	2	25				
Montana	141	904						
Nebraska	129	1,066	17	134				
Nevada	60	433					15	158
New Hampshire	31	43	20	159	51	282	51	395
New Jersey	56	401	68	887			8	133
New Mexico	63	346						
New York	107	774	119	1,627	118	948		
North Carolina	132	526	11	94				
North Dakota	102	654	17	125				
Ohio	171	1,848	94	1,108	2	8	3	48
Oklahoma	201	1,025						
Oregon	139	1,182						
Pennsylvania	290	2,900	21	210				
Rhode Island	1	31	21	178				
South Carolina	48	320						
South Dakota	83	816	30	318				
Tennessee	251	704						
Texas	1,105	7,238						
Utah	28	61						
Vermont	36	114	12	120	25	243	26	200
Virginia	77	186	68	816				
Washington	257	2,150	80	1,609				
West Virginia	33	40						
Wisconsin	126	1,492	91	1,325				
Wyoming	36	242	9	105	7	96	7	60

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State	Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	97	2,487	323	5,168	47	792	31	266
Alaska	26	831	25	651			28	506
Arizona	135	3,789	182	5,763			90	2,277
Arkansas	36	997	84	2,928	117	708	28	243
California	1,032	34,663	1,009	30,093	56	1,899	762	24,596
Colorado	161	5,723	135	3,974			116	3,638
Connecticut	148	4,889	175	4,582			106	2,807
Delaware	38	1,228	38	1,228			28	615
District of Columbia	4	81	12	186			3	31
Florida	417	11,415	500	10,570			368	7,473
Georgia	273	7,329	280	6,351	91	1,870	156	2,738
Hawaii	57	1,568	52	955			55	663
Idaho	62	1,592	96	2,331	12	202		
Illinois	325	13,965	630	17,137			261	6,555
Indiana	201	5,398	351	8,086			226	4,194
Iowa	78	2,972	386	8,673			58	1,774
Kansas	66	2,391	203	4,996			59	1,360
Kentucky	154	3,930	259	5,674	19	420	126	1,831
Louisiana	110	1,650	362	5,430			46	460
Maine	130	3,926	127	3,224			52	958
Maryland	161	4,998	172	4,589			77	1,854
Massachusetts	289	11,929	333	10,921			133	4,155
Michigan	373	12,954	608	17,052			251	6,624
Minnesota	168	7,340	398	12,495			180	6,892
Mississippi	89	1,776	134	4,643	213	4,643	60	1,413
Missouri	176	6,262	448	9,950			98	2,612
Montana	22	620	39	944			14	217
Nebraska	66	2,086	91	2,090			51	981
Nevada	54	1,670	72	1,755			41	864
New Hampshire	71	2,643	86	2,288			25	483
New Jersey	326	11,884	385	12,538			124	5,071
New Mexico	52	1,741	72	1,358			33	590
New York	714	22,278	737	18,438			323	7,336
North Carolina	252	7,317	333	6,478			178	3,415
North Dakota	17	720					16	337
Ohio	406	11,447	762	18,155	28	540	275	5,994
Oklahoma	86	1,702	381	5,130	342	5,130	44	530
Oregon	147	4,557	199	5,092			117	2,428
Pennsylvania	445	15,575	597	20,895			286	5,148
Rhode Island	45	1,429	34	788	16	355	27	529
South Carolina	107	2,992	183	4,719			56	1,005
South Dakota								
Tennessee	196	4,130	326	6,008				
Texas	430	16,698	915	27,704			369	5,924
Utah	76	2,435	89	2,039			69	1,163
Vermont	78	2,531	61	1,560	3	65	3	65
Virginia	237	6,418	281	7,436			136	3,175
Washington	256	8,602	295	8,583	42	630	158	4,222
West Virginia	65	1,411	118	2,445			31	531
Wisconsin	213	7,690	429	11,867			133	4,062
Wyoming	19	606					28	613

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State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	153	1,559	41	419	284	4,290	303	4,696
Alaska	6	181			40	825	98	1,712
Arizona	122	1,944			179	4,840	201	6,215
Arkansas	66	746			156	3,278	63	2,008
California	876	18,812			993	33,153	1,145	34,194
Colorado	124	3,238			288	6,385	300	8,836
Connecticut	142	2,756	132	3,440	160	5,453	139	3,524
Delaware	31	480	29	510	32	704	36	1,058
District of Columbia	12	57	9	98	12	250	14	194
Florida	417	4,292			516	13,295	532	11,990
Georgia					341	8,193	207	4,300
Hawaii	57	881			57	1,205	65	1,725
Idaho	52	1,120			156	3,168	167	4,539
Illinois	322	7,523			583	16,087	698	21,788
Indiana	303	5,060			366	8,282	382	8,963
Iowa	118	2,859	71	1,616	376	8,963	395	13,332
Kansas	139	2,373			364	6,535	366	9,488
Kentucky	216	2,483			245	4,560	216	4,584
Louisiana	150	1,044	83	821	370	4,056	167	4,038
Maine	72	1,162	54	971	101	2,508	21	357
Maryland	169	2,010	171	3,437	171	4,483	169	3,483
Massachusetts	225	4,206	201	6,361	266	10,474	213	5,373
Michigan	336	9,044	24	354	645	18,555	699	21,527
Minnesota	223	5,916			424	13,882	432	15,492
Mississippi	145	1,336	60	315	223	4,195	61	1,502
Missouri	171	3,110			455	11,016	416	10,779
Montana	43	827			169	2,631	130	3,862
Nebraska	61	1,211			319	6,587	321	8,314
Nevada	40	538			83	1,809	82	2,401
New Hampshire	50	842	45	904	69	2,065	52	1,275
New Jersey	335	6,205	200	6,567	333	11,954	167	4,554
New Mexico	60	437			122	2,565	125	3,487
New York	445	8,520	340	8,165	675	17,719	625	14,918
North Carolina	284	3,415	126	1,327	319	8,069	336	7,268
North Dakota	20	387			161	2,064	160	3,536
Ohio	386	6,741	156	2,936	739	19,278	782	18,746
Oklahoma	107	963	25	320	390	3,820	80	1,020
Oregon	118	2,480			252	6,236	265	6,880
Pennsylvania	374	3,740	138	2,484	517	16,544	489	8,802
Rhode Island	44	911	37	1,043	37	1,246	41	912
South Carolina	123	1,655			182	5,122	182	3,860
South Dakota	18	288			170	2,856	170	3,501
Tennessee	243	1,823			234	5,160	260	4,312
Texas	1,098	16,814			1,199	65,574	922	51,390
Utah	79	1,253			112	3,156	118	2,826
Vermont	24	388	18	146	45	1,034	1	3
Virginia	241	3,228	168	3,961	283	7,633	263	6,294
Washington	244	6,642			342	9,191	366	10,435
West Virginia	79	885			105	2,271	107	2,204
Wisconsin	199	5,423			423	11,119	469	16,945
Wyoming	16	306	13	220	68	1,339	65	1,682

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	36	114		Virginia	28	944
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	105	192		West Virginia	2	71
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	109	244	Decathlon	California	14	132
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	97	265		Vermont	1	4
Badminton	Arizona	44	762	Equestrian	California	28	236
	California	206	4,722		Michigan	47	379
	Florida	18	223		Ohio	1	17
	Illinois	79	2,573		Vermont	1	7
	Maryland	42	233	Fencing	California	13	93
	Minnesota	16	603		Nevada	18	231
	New York	52	791		New Jersey	25	548
Baseball	Alaska	4	39		Ohio	2	20
	Arizona	5	27		Vermont	1	9
	California	49	826	Flag Football	Florida	75	3,075
	Colorado	26	78	Football 11-player	Alaska	5	13
	Georgia	11	50		Arizona	24	46
	Hawaii	6	8		Arkansas		7
	Kentucky	2	3		California	132	313
	Maine	5	8		Colorado	12	10
	North Dakota	3	5		Connecticut		16
	Oklahoma	2	2		Delaware	3	6
	Oregon	7	47		Florida		29
	Vermont	6	37		Georgia	12	52
	Washington	5	8		Hawaii	5	9
	West Virginia	1	3		Idaho	9	10
Bowling	Alaska	6	49		Iowa	10	14
	California	18	195		Kansas		56
	Florida	89	1,053		Kentucky	11	21
	Hawaii	44	445		Maine	9	15
	Illinois	165	2,934		Maryland		3
	Iowa	30	272		Massachusetts		30
	Kentucky	2	14		Michigan		30
	Maryland	23	83		Minnesota		15
	Michigan	67	659		Missouri		10
	Nevada	24	212		New Hampshire	40	5
	New Jersey	78	1,506		Ohio		24
	New York	260	2,660		Oklahoma	2	2
	Ohio	43	807		Oregon	7	21
	Pennsylvania	60	600		Texas		1,142
	South Carolina	9	60		Vermont	3	7
	Tennessee	106	848		Virginia	30	926
	Vermont	2	16		Washington	25	34
	Washington	34	609		West Virginia	4	4
	West Virginia	1	7	Football 8-Player	Kansas		81
Canoeing	California	1	156		Oklahoma	1	1
	Hawaii	32	1,084		Oregon	3	3
	Ohio	2	14		Washington	4	18
Crew	California	13	264	Football 6-player	California	4	55
	Delaware	1	49		Texas		35
	District of Columbia	1	52	Heptathlon	Alabama	18	45
	Florida	13	288		Arkansas		34
	Kentucky	4	91		Vermont	3	18
	Maine	2	17				
	Michigan	12	484				
	Ohio	12	248				

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SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Ice Hockey	Alaska	14	64	Rhythmic Gymnastics	Florida	13	221
	Colorado	2	3	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	10	164
	Connecticut		15	Synchronized	Minnesota	19	460
	Iowa	3	14	Swimming			
	Maine	26	139	Team Tennis	Georgia	327	4,154
	Massachusetts	42	1,304		Hawaii		33
	Michigan	8	161		Texas	414	9,106
	Minnesota	201	3,847	Water Polo	California	447	12,257
	New Hampshire	34	53		Florida	49	787
	New Jersey	3	91		Hawaii	20	228
	New York	6	163		Illinois	45	1,167
	North Dakota	3	6		Ohio	10	188
	Ohio		29	Weight Lifting	Pennsylvania	11	165
	Rhode Island		17		California	14	334
	Vermont	23	405		Delaware	2	32
	Wisconsin	7	131		Florida	94	1,773
	California	2	14		Georgia	15	405
	Hawaii	27	262		Hawaii	3	3
	Hawaii	7	117		Maine	5	95
Judo	California	29	940		Michigan	16	279
Kayaking	Colorado	25	998		Ohio	22	624
Lacrosse	Connecticut		40	Wrestling	Alaska	27	70
	Delaware	19	615		Arizona	32	91
	District of Columbia	2	50		California	281	752
	Florida	26	969		Colorado	15	15
	Georgia	15	581		Connecticut		57
	Maine	31	1,096		Delaware	5	7
	Maryland	104	3,754		Florida		200
	Massachusetts	78	3,845		Georgia	39	123
	Michigan	25	1,034		Hawaii	43	267
	Minnesota	9	401		Idaho	10	22
	Missouri	10	150		Iowa	13	24
	New Hampshire	18	755		Kansas		27
	New Jersey	94	4,786		Kentucky	9	17
	New York	175	8,358		Maine	22	45
	North Carolina	7	202		Maryland		36
	Ohio		1,419		Massachusetts		58
	Pennsylvania	71	2,272		Michigan		180
	Rhode Island	6	197		Minnesota		26
	Vermont	25	961		Missouri		15
Pentathlon	Virginia	48	1,641		New Hampshire	32	36
	West Virginia	2	122		New Jersey	1	18
	Iowa	2	14		North Dakota	4	9
	Alaska	10	81		Ohio		96
	Arkansas		56		Oregon	29	60
	California	7	34		Rhode Island		9
	Georgia	78	335		Texas	121	941
	Hawaii	36	326		Vermont	6	13
	Iowa	1	7		Virginia	36	67
	Kentucky	10	38		Washington	64	112
	Maine	3	5		West Virginia	9	12
	Michigan	2	10				
	New York	11	94				
	Pennsylvania		261				
	Vermont	1	2				

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2002-03 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2002-03 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS					
Bowling	21	92	21	105	197
Floor Hockey	58	349	58	162	511
Soccer	53	320	53	192	512
Softball	53	288	53	214	502
BADMINTON	218	4,090	406	10,311	14,401
BASEBALL	14,988	453,792	121	1,622	455,414
BASKETBALL	17,333	540,874	17,028	457,165	998,039
BOWLING	1,281	16,002	1,176	13,886	29,888
CANOEING	55	1,014	56	1,177	2,191
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUAD	615	3,207	4,644	111,191	114,398
CREW	89	2,284	95	2,536	4,820
CROSS COUNTRY	12,574	191,833	12,083	163,360	355,193
DANCE TEAM — HK/PRECISION			121	3,248	3,248
DANCE TEAM — JAZZ/FUNK			137	3,507	3,507
DECATHLON	34	114	5	26	140
EQUESTRIAN	27	67	76	597	664
FENCING	64	1,280	66	1,137	2,417
FIELD HOCKEY	1	56	1,594	61,055	61,111
FLAG FOOTBALL			103	3,855	3,855
FOOTBALL (11-Player)	13,642	1,023,142	306	1,477	1,024,619
(6-player)	169	4,486	1	26	4,512
(8-player)	671	14,400	12	39	14,439
(9-player)	258	5,857			5,857
GOLF	13,120	162,805	8,106	62,159	224,964
GYMNASTICS	141	2,186	1,593	21,138	23,324
HEPTATHLON	1	4	20	62	66
ICE HOCKEY	1,427	35,236	405	6,628	41,864
JUDO	45	561	37	297	858
KAYAKING	5	94	6	105	199
LACROSSE	1,107	50,006	976	38,885	88,891
RIFLERY	227	2,380	180	1,244	3,624
RODEO	23	208	12	60	268
RYTHMIC GYMNASTICS			12	226	226
SAILING	2	51	4	76	127
SKIING — ALPINE	479	6,283	459	4,415	10,698
SKIING — CROSS COUNTRY	409	4,654	409	4,987	9,641
SNOWBOARDING	21	207	17	83	290
SOCCER	10,103	345,156	9,299	301,450	646,606
SOFT TENNIS	11	113	12	137	250
SOFTBALL — FAST PITCH	81	1,925	14,007	357,912	359,837
SOFTBALL — SLOW PITCH	7	137	784	15,057	15,194
SWIMMING & DIVING	5,588	94,612	6,120	141,468	236,080
SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING			19	453	453
TEAM TENNIS	764	11,987	908	15,484	27,471
TENNIS	9,411	144,844	9,332	162,810	307,654
TRACK AND FIELD — INDOOR	2,135	51,934	2,080	47,313	99,247
TRACK AND FIELD — OUTDOOR	15,195	498,027	15,032	415,602	913,629
VOLLEYBALL	1,650	39,326	14,244	396,682	436,008
WATER POLO	619	15,279	621	15,870	31,149
WEIGHT LIFTING	527	16,228	176	4,372	20,600
WRESTLING	9,543	239,845	805	3,769	243,614
OTHER SPORTS	59	1,103	58	726	1,829

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

2002-03 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,333	1.	Football (11-player)	1,023,142
2.	Track and Field (Outdoor)	15,195	2.	Basketball	540,874
3.	Baseball	14,988	3.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	498,027
4.	Football (11-player)	13,642	4.	Baseball	453,792
5.	Golf	13,120	5.	Soccer	345,156
6.	Cross Country	12,574	6.	Wrestling	239,845
7.	Soccer	10,103	7.	Cross Country	191,833
8.	Wrestling	9,543	8.	Golf	162,805
9.	Tennis	9,411	9.	Tennis	144,844
10.	Swimming & Diving	5,588	10.	Swimming & Diving	94,612

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,028	1.	Basketball	457,165
2.	Track and Field (Outdoor)	15,032	2.	Track and Field (Outdoor)	415,602
3.	Volleyball	14,244	3.	Volleyball	396,682
4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	14,007	4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	357,912
5.	Cross Country	12,083	5.	Soccer	301,450
6.	Tennis	9,332	6.	Cross Country	163,360
7.	Soccer	9,299	7.	Tennis	162,810
8.	Golf	8,106	8.	Swimming & Diving	141,468
9.	Swimming & Diving	6,120	9.	Competitive Spirit Squads	111,191
10.	Competitive Spirit Squads	4,644	10.	Golf	62,159

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Year	Girls Participants
1971-72	3,666,917	1971-72	294,015
1972-73	3,770,621	1972-73	817,073
1973-74	4,070,125	1973-74	1,300,169
1975-76	4,109,021	1975-76	1,645,039
1977-78	4,367,442	1977-78	2,083,040
1978-79	3,709,512	1978-79	1,854,400
1979-80	3,517,829	1979-80	1,750,264
1980-81	3,503,124	1980-81	1,853,789
1981-82	3,409,081	1981-82	1,810,671
1982-83	3,355,558	1982-83	1,779,972
1983-84	3,303,599	1983-84	1,747,346
1984-85	3,354,284	1984-85	1,757,884
1985-86	3,344,275	1985-86	1,807,121
1986-87	3,364,082	1986-87	1,836,356
1987-88	3,425,777	1987-88	1,849,684
1988-89	3,416,844	1988-89	1,839,352
1989-90	3,398,192	1989-90	1,858,659
1990-91	3,406,355	1990-91	1,892,316
1991-92	3,429,853	1991-92	1,940,801
1992-93	3,416,389	1992-93	1,997,489
1993-94	3,472,967	1993-94	2,130,315
1994-95	3,536,359	1994-95	2,240,461
1995-96	3,634,052	1995-96	2,367,936
1996-97	3,706,225	1996-97	2,474,043
1997-98	3,763,120	1997-98	2,570,333
1998-99	3,832,352	1998-99	2,652,726
1999-00	3,861,749	1999-00	2,675,874
2000-01	3,921,069	2000-01	2,784,154
2001-02	3,960,517	2001-02	2,806,998
2002-03	3,988,738	2002-03	2,856,358

2002-03 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹
1.	Texas	771,633	27.	Mississippi	85,686
2.	California	652,333	28.	Tennessee	85,201
3.	New York	336,987	29.	Louisiana	84,704
4.	Illinois	319,727	30.	Alabama	84,208
5.	Michigan	304,971	31.	South Carolina	78,391
6.	Ohio	301,885	32.	Nebraska	71,885
7.	Pennsylvania	249,985	33.	Oklahoma	66,858
8.	Minnesota	220,129	34.	Maine	54,525
9.	Florida	212,408	35.	Utah	45,668
10.	New Jersey	209,452	36.	New Mexico	45,557
11.	Massachusetts	195,638	37.	Idaho	43,740
12.	Wisconsin	189,153	38.	Arkansas	42,231
13.	Missouri	161,026	39.	New Hampshire	40,649
14.	North Carolina	155,525	40.	Montana	38,249
15.	Virginia	154,282	41.	West Virginia	36,191
16.	Washington	154,058	42.	Nevada	35,125
17.	Indiana	146,932	43.	Hawaii	32,216
18.	Georgia	143,909	44.	South Dakota	30,045
19.	Iowa	141,150	45.	North Dakota	28,154
20.	Colorado	115,530	46.	Vermont	25,190
21.	Maryland	97,688	47.	Rhode Island	25,043
22.	Arizona	97,261	48.	Delaware	22,415
23.	Kansas	98,819	49.	Alaska	19,978
24.	Connecticut	94,398	50.	Wyoming	17,418
25.	Oregon	88,745	51.	District of Columbia	4,219
26.	Kentucky	86,400	TOTAL		6,845,096

¹ Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	388	8,953	401	11,555			126	908
Alaska	25	582	134	2,331	10	71	97	1,014
Arizona	208	7,573	222	7,447	45	160	163	2,359
Arkansas	212	3,971	234	5,248		84	56	617
California	1,132	41,392	1,225	41,784	112	669	971	20,465
Colorado	265	8,110	308	8,496	49	199	202	2,909
Connecticut	172	5,733	172	5,050	26	579	164	2,971
Delaware	45	1,507	43	1,469			39	737
District of Columbia	12	240	15	333			12	120
Florida	520	13,640	575	14,386			436	5,435
Georgia	360	11,460	369	11,289	48	117	311	4,795
Hawaii	59	1,602	63	1,740	17	47	60	779
Idaho	110	2,503	169	4,202		30	93	1,003
Illinois	665	23,354	726	25,038			472	8,455
Indiana	379	11,212	390	11,541			376	4,968
Iowa	389	11,009	398	12,052	6	54	313	4,171
Kansas	194	5,542	364	10,096			214	2,801
Kentucky	272	7,624	279	7,350	48	225	243	2,888
Louisiana	309	8,009	409	12,241			307	3,367
Maine	125	3,485	145	4,168	28	40	107	1,239
Maryland	176	5,233	177	4,901			165	2,884
Massachusetts	328	12,322	339	12,078			275	4,891
Michigan	637	19,479	728	23,922			579	7,465
Minnesota	420	13,830	452	14,206			316	5,053
Mississippi	249	6,192	265	8,068			123	2,555
Missouri	477	12,849	557	15,072		20	306	4,877
Montana			183	4,346	2	8	112	1,002
Nebraska	39	1,690	315	8,519			172	1,958
Nevada	79	2,095	92	2,861			59	722
New Hampshire	86	2,588	88	2,505	10	29	68	926
New Jersey	401	13,890	407	12,005			318	5,760
New Mexico	108	2,309	151	5,148			107	1,182
New York	677	20,962	697	20,720			539	7,531
North Carolina	336	9,773	343	9,321			302	4,396
North Dakota	100	1,409	183	3,722			59	470
Ohio	773	23,839	789	23,779			564	8,346
Oklahoma	435	7,474	471	8,583	17	102	171	1,337
Oregon	215	6,189	267	7,474	39	75	184	2,491
Pennsylvania	612	19,584	647	19,410			489	4,890
Rhode Island	44	1,470	46	1,419	2	6	41	726
South Carolina	191	5,822	194	6,279			130	2,103
South Dakota			188	4,068	3	10	148	869
Tennessee	341	7,310	350	6,590		67	243	2,450
Texas	1,046	39,310	1,214	70,493			1,154	27,424
Utah	108	2,905	122	3,387			108	1,666
Vermont	68	1,670	74	2,044	13	23	48	510
Virginia	291	8,959	294	9,452	122	541	262	4,030
Washington	336	10,708	375	11,738			276	5,011
West Virginia	125	2,908	133	3,315	7	11	77	728
Wisconsin	449	13,522	481	15,851			379	5,222
Wyoming			70	1,782	11	40	38	357

State	Football 11-player		Football 8-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	369	21,301			249	1,181		
Alaska	27	1,724						
Arizona	181	16,264	19	480	159	1,813		
Arkansas	139	8,109			139	1,045		57
California	987	95,504	32	1,129	759	11,764	7	91
Colorado	215	12,356	39	803	178	2,199		
Connecticut	129	9,074			158	2,000		
Delaware	37	2,536			37	406		
District of Columbia	10	666			5	45		
Florida	448	35,967			346	4,087		
Georgia	341	25,402			335	2,961		
Hawaii	56	4,269			60	555	3	19
Idaho	122	6,882	32	676	90	1,045	1	2
Illinois	555	50,022			550	8,993	55	1,299
Indiana	314	20,218			370	4,303		
Iowa	354	20,068		1,123	364	6,815		
Kansas	249	14,098	108	2,392	242	3,695	4	11
Kentucky	219	11,934			527	2,722		
Louisiana	294	16,108			164	1,142	7	55
Maine	67	3,659			110	1,430	7	10
Maryland	173	12,932			143	1,334	10	33
Massachusetts	302	19,807			276	4,195	8	212
Michigan	624	44,480			571	8,323	7	47
Minnesota	370	27,456			385	6,579		
Mississippi	251	20,041			168	1,620		
Missouri	322	21,560	19	440	335	4,648		
Montana	88	5,586	79	1,282	128	1,727		
Nebraska	174	8,130	133	2,697	232	3,372		
Nevada	64	6,147	20	401	64	832		
New Hampshire	41	2,964			66	965		
New Jersey	354	23,900			187	3,920		
New Mexico	152	8,404			87	743		
New York	522	33,410			573	8,115	21	220
North Carolina	332	25,229			317	3,302		
North Dakota	89	3,482			121	1,445		
Ohio	711	43,980			712	9,035	6	50
Oklahoma	304	10,299	72	1,431	255	987		
Oregon	186	12,487	41	752	175	2,073		
Pennsylvania	544	24,480			527	5,270		
Rhode Island	41	2,642			41	473		
South Carolina	189	17,161			152	1,633		
South Dakota	73	3,842			131	1,523		
Tennessee	313	19,025			282	2,620		
Texas	992	157,778			1,125	12,611		
Utah	93	7,671			114	1,348		
Vermont	26	1,603	5	139	57	645	1	2
Virginia	288	22,764			264	2,937	4	78
Washington	295	20,222	32	655	272	3,688		
West Virginia	123	6,164			102	994		
Wisconsin	430	30,548			372	7,006		
Wyoming	63	2,787			44	641		

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riftery		Skiing	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Cross Country Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	23	643			11	191	30	380
Arizona								
Arkansas						34		
California	2	31	60	2,240	8	56	5	48
Colorado	24	379	51	1,925			15	206
Connecticut	74	1,691	60	3,015				
Delaware			29	1,109				
District of Columbia								
Florida			29	1,243				
Georgia			21	906	99	795		
Hawaii			6		34	464		
Idaho	5	63	8	102	2	14		
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	1	6			10	81		
Louisiana								
Maine	54	1,666	39	1,546	4	55	43	387
Maryland			125	4,755				
Massachusetts	264	7,409	120	5,917			22	326
Michigan	186	3,494	40	1,911	2	22	3	35
Minnesota	243	6,276					102	1,362
Mississippi								
Missouri	50	1,250	20	300				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada								
New Hampshire	35	881	29	1,326			55	334
New Jersey	96	2,830	82	4,138				
New Mexico								
New York	139	2,993	244	13,005	22	322	102	1,238
North Carolina			25	964				
North Dakota	25	584						
Ohio	67	1,777	32	1,801	1	15		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					32	320		
Rhode Island	31	819	7	289				
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	26	536	21	847	2	11	24	232
Virginia			57	2,562				
Washington								
West Virginia			2	105				
Wisconsin	82	1,908						
Wyoming							8	106

State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			133	3,326	35	267	142	1,480
Alaska			29	829	29	325	6	126
Arizona			160	5,008	96	1,523	132	1,807
Arkansas			39	986	14	144	71	640
California	27	366	1,068	38,501	709	15,731	842	16,716
Colorado	15	200	161	5,624	113	1,684	124	3,707
Connecticut			170	6,598	99	1,853	146	2,063
Delaware			41	1,556	23	398	31	436
District of Columbia	10	150	7	155	4	36	12	66
Florida			478	12,767	355	4,366	414	3,680
Georgia			273	7,750	149	1,823		
Hawaii			58	1,550	43	403	55	705
Idaho	9	55	66	1,737	3	42	49	951
Illinois			378	17,082	245	5,262	308	7,533
Indiana			257	7,349	223	3,802	304	4,508
Iowa			111	5,068	52	1,082	114	2,152
Kansas			90	3,480	48	870	111	1,893
Kentucky			158	4,580	126	1,058	215	2,163
Louisiana			128	1,920	64	945	189	1,311
Maine	43	490	129	4,238	44	547	75	997
Maryland			172	5,882	81	1,540	170	1,896
Massachusetts	76	1,131	331	12,531	133	1,970	229	3,368
Michigan	93	1,045	439	14,416	244	4,523	340	8,299
Minnesota	79	1,343	183	7,957	142	3,001	187	4,459
Mississippi			111	3,321	44	1,220	159	1,725
Missouri			198	7,317	86	1,888	178	3,233
Montana			32	352	17	190	58	920
Nebraska			63	2,315	46	622	53	893
Nevada	12	188	56	1,841	39	391	40	528
New Hampshire	55	596	87	3,177	28	221	50	796
New Jersey	15	219	379	14,666	127	2,832	336	5,009
New Mexico			68	1,967	40	403	60	555
New York			641	22,677	276	4,708	491	8,630
North Carolina			284	8,928	201	2,253	274	3,152
North Dakota			15	644	16	214	18	224
Ohio	4	114	516	15,618	214	3,874	410	6,042
Oklahoma			83	1,622	43	428	171	1,361
Oregon			151	5,067	107	1,443	105	1,672
Pennsylvania			521	18,235	275	4,950	376	4,512
Rhode Island			43	1,435	38	218	40	702
South Carolina			134	4,121	58	652	108	1,311
South Dakota							23	346
Tennessee			214	4,830			247	1,948
Texas			464	22,244	380	5,908	1,102	16,234
Utah			85	2,693	69	1,096	80	1,250
Vermont	34	305	76	2,587	1	16	23	321
Virginia			247	8,082	140	2,327	229	2,759
Washington			260	9,212	137	2,742	227	4,620
West Virginia			63	1,560	35	302	77	764
Wisconsin			235	9,086	73	2,092	194	4,112
Wyoming	7	81	18	669	24	427	16	269

State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	45	575	292	6,233				
Alaska			45	1,081	50	289		
Arizona			182	6,803	51	1,209		
Arkansas		449	160	3,494				922
California			978	41,349	398	12,156	18	1,920
Colorado			284	7,979				
Connecticut	131	3,625	164	5,945	34	650		
Delaware	28	547	32	1,109	7	121	2	51
District of Columbia	12	134	12	269				
Florida			477	12,589	93	1,521	227	5,216
Georgia			346	9,307			60	2,398
Hawaii			63	1,805	62	1,093	1	15
Idaho			150	3,453				
Illinois			587	24,230	166	5,640		
Indiana			377	10,913				
Iowa			381	10,990				
Kansas			343	8,689	4	74		
Kentucky			245	5,258				
Louisiana	103	1,123	409	8,597				
Maine	54	1,185	98	2,599	9	136	7	242
Maryland	155	3,989	174	5,388	31	542		
Massachusetts	209	7,055	285	10,788	79	1,831		
Michigan	25	544	636	22,549	10	314	24	701
Minnesota			426	13,577				
Mississippi	60	1,013	219	6,125			134	2,325
Missouri			454	12,661	40	1,027		
Montana			183	4,182				
Nebraska			313	8,165				
Nevada			82	2,839	24	629		
New Hampshire	46	926	69	2,129				
New Jersey	213	7,458	353	12,501	59	1,115		
New Mexico			152	4,293				
New York	358	8,481	591	17,723	171	3,693		
North Carolina	114	1,821	332	11,141				
North Dakota			158	2,210				
Ohio	172	3,893	748	22,710	62	1,349	53	2,398
Oklahoma	31	412	380	4,212				
Oregon			245	7,544				
Pennsylvania	139	2,085	522	16,704	168	3,024		
Rhode Island	36	1,281	39	1,496	26	526		
South Carolina			185	6,444				
South Dakota			186	3,415				
Tennessee			245	5,385				
Texas			1,205	78,858				
Utah			112	3,779				
Vermont	19	204	44	904			1	40
Virginia	173	4,932	286	8,848	60	1,013		
Washington			346	11,326				
West Virginia			104	2,540				
Wisconsin			426	13,417	46	1,374		
Wyoming	12	202	70	1,482				

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	72	1,747
Alaska	75	1,165
Arizona	165	4,806
Arkansas		
California	731	22,007
Colorado	232	5,078
Connecticut	117	2,658
Delaware	40	953
District of Columbia	1	22
Florida	319	7,541
Georgia	261	6,237
Hawaii	49	974
Idaho	110	2,269
Illinois	402	14,685
Indiana	311	7,942
Iowa	300	6,490
Kansas	190	4,812
Kentucky	71	1,561
Louisiana	68	1,224
Maine	59	1,027
Maryland	172	4,396
Massachusetts	158	3,817
Michigan	469	11,624
Minnesota	343	8,587
Mississippi	1	36
Missouri	212	7,144
Montana	85	2,013
Nebraska	226	4,179
Nevada	69	1,885
New Hampshire	32	665
New Jersey	323	8,289
New Mexico	58	1,484
New York	462	12,013
North Carolina	283	7,576
North Dakota	70	1,020
Ohio	519	12,772
Oklahoma	129	2,515
Oregon	182	4,798
Pennsylvania	470	8,460
Rhode Island	35	953
South Carolina	107	3,554
South Dakota	107	1,484
Tennessee	140	2,820
Texas	196	7,581
Utah	95	2,952
Vermont	22	244
Virginia	244	6,204
Washington	266	7,704
West Virginia	80	1,456
Wisconsin	355	7,368
Wyoming	60	1,054

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Hawaii	1	2		New Jersey	24	658
	Minnesota	20	90		New York	24	437
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	58	349	Field Hockey	Ohio	3	32
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	53	320		Vermont	1	6
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	53	288		California	1	36
	California	164	3,627		Massachusetts		20
Badminton	Florida	16	188		Arkansas	16	324
	Maryland	31	161	Football (6-player)	California	2	96
Bowling	New York	7	114		Colorado	21	284
	Alaska	5	65		Montana	11	312
	Arkansas		61		Nebraska	8	110
	California	9	174		Texas	111	3,360
	Florida	101	923	Football (9-player)	California	4	251
	Hawaii	48	491		Minnesota	68	2,103
	Idaho	7	56		Mississippi	1	49
	Illinois	105	1,701		North Dakota	80	1,335
	Iowa	70	936		South Dakota	105	2,119
	Kentucky	3	75	Heptathlon	Vermont	1	4
	Maine	5	61	Judo	California	2	4
	Maryland	4	32		Hawaii	36	499
	Michigan	105	1,177		Idaho	6	50
	Nevada	24	305		Vermont	1	8
	New Jersey	139	2,300	Kayaking	Hawaii	5	94
	New York	349	4,249	Rodeo	Arkansas		9
	Ohio	108	1,569		Idaho	17	171
	Pennsylvania	62	620		Iowa	6	28
	South Carolina	11	85	Sailing	Florida	2	38
	Tennessee	124	1,100		Hawaii		13
Canoeing	Vermont	1	16	Snowboarding	Idaho	2	10
	West Virginia	1	6		Maine	5	74
	California	1	6		Vermont	14	123
	Hawaii	53	1,001	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	11	113
Crew	Ohio	1	7	Softball (Fast Pitch)	Alaska	1	13
	California	8	248		Arkansas		278
	Delaware	1	45		California	37	863
	District of Columbia	1	25		Michigan	7	167
	Florida	16	335		Missouri	20	281
	Idaho	2	14		Ohio	15	301
	Kentucky	1	5		Vermont	1	22
	Maine	2	37	Softball (Slow Pitch)	California	5	100
	Michigan	15	456		Ohio	2	37
	Ohio	11	282	Team Tennis	Georgia	323	3,424
	Vermont	1	5		Hawaii		5
	Virginia	29	785		Maine	29	347
	West Virginia	2	47		Texas	410	8,196
	Alabama	23	55		Vermont	2	15
	Arkansas		14	Water Polo	California	435	11,500
	California	5	31		Florida	49	637
	Kentucky	1	1		Hawaii	11	131
	Vermont	5	13		Illinois	62	1,657
	California	1	6		Michigan	17	460
	Hawaii	1	6		Missouri	20	525
Equestrian	Maine	2	8		Ohio	10	144
	Michigan	22	46		Pennsylvania	15	225
	Ohio	1	1				
	California	11	144				
Fencing	Idaho	1	3				

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country		Field Hockey	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	399	5,358			126	765		
Alaska	134	2,003	31	588	97	810		
Arizona	212	6,366	122	3,661	163	1,829		
Arkansas	231	4,381	60	1,414	56	537		
California	1,160	33,912	411	12,921	971	16,618	63	2,170
Colorado	306	7,740	230	5,351	202	2,941	15	490
Connecticut	173	4,263	133	1,800	164	2,277	72	3,245
Delaware	41	973			39	557	39	1,372
District of Columbia	13	260	12	275	12	140		
Florida	547	11,353			436	5,344		
Georgia	365	9,258	211	4,305	311	3,690		
Hawaii	63	1,594	47	724	60	794		
Idaho	169	3,653	170	1,628	93	786		
Illinois	671	18,918			472	7,319		
Indiana	383	9,539			376	3,981		
Iowa	397	8,981	57	2,548	313	3,651		
Kansas	358	8,080			214	2,386		
Kentucky	280	5,950	279	5,444	243	2,427		
Louisiana	377	9,401			307	1,225		
Maine	143	3,581	97	1,864	107	951	78	3,025
Maryland	177	4,469			165	2,100	120	4,042
Massachusetts	343	10,577			275	3,968	202	8,819
Michigan	709	20,837	165	4,165	579	6,630	16	664
Minnesota	443	12,903			316	4,436		
Mississippi	265	6,025	145	2,500	123	1,320		
Missouri	531	12,528	150	2,200	306	4,054	21	1,114
Montana	181	3,661	8	106	112	1,067		
Nebraska	316	7,116			172	1,398		
Nevada	89	2,435			59	561		
New Hampshire	88	2,244	73	1,912	68	736	55	2,019
New Jersey	408	9,520			318	3,894	221	9,424
New Mexico	151	4,560			107	992		
New York	688	17,245			539	6,122	232	8,508
North Carolina	343	9,451	333	13,746	302	3,674	6	234
North Dakota	180	2,940	22	398	59	365		
Ohio	784	17,874			564	6,898	33	1,194
Oklahoma	471	7,400	178	1,783	171	1,238		
Oregon	267	6,140	61	650	184	1,928		
Pennsylvania	647	19,410			489	4,940	261	9,135
Rhode Island	48	1,174	24	618	41	611	21	631
South Carolina	193	5,110	89	2,602	130	1,488		
South Dakota	188	3,447	20	224	148	649		
Tennessee	352	5,005	359	1,500	243	2,105		
Texas	1,211	69,386	676	23,413	1,154	28,997		
Utah	118	2,839			108	1,146		
Vermont	74	1,974	31	551	48	466	31	1,227
Virginia	291	7,842	289	9,578	262	3,356	108	3,742
Washington	374	9,981			276	3,398		
West Virginia	131	2,437	122	2,236	77	648		
Wisconsin	475	13,474			379	4,874		
Wyoming	70	1,597	39	486	38	273		

State	Golf		Gymnastics		Skiing		Skiing	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Cross Country	Particip.	Alpine	Particip.
Alabama	69	206						
Alaska			10	154	30	375		
Arizona	103	719						
Arkansas	76	328	6	106				
California	669	5,547	46	859	5	32	27	190
Colorado	130	1,188	78	1,428	17	150	17	150
Connecticut	36	321	70	509				
Delaware	18	41						
District of Columbia	5	30					10	275
Florida	327	2,164						
Georgia	248	1,113	30	398				
Hawaii	42	178	7	36				
Idaho	90	544	3	16			6	35
Illinois	361	3,222	98	1,916				
Indiana	265	2,352	92	1,046				
Iowa	329	3,916						
Kansas	102	1,029	32	265				
Kentucky	226	1,379	1	3				
Louisiana	101	320	19	217				
Maine	43	68	17	121	39	305	41	295
Maryland	89	173	29	81				
Massachusetts	25	400	99	1,312	20	334	68	885
Michigan	317	3,980	91	1,108	3	31	90	789
Minnesota	376	4,982	189	3,107	107	2,199	80	779
Mississippi		110						
Missouri	147	1,520	2	25				
Montana	125	762						
Nebraska	125	1,219						
Nevada	57	513					11	114
New Hampshire	26	27	23	152	60	269	60	418
New Jersey	59	510	68	846			8	158
New Mexico	87	272						
New York	102	948	116	1,598	97	950		
North Carolina	102	606	10	59				
North Dakota	103	597	17	84				
Ohio	181	1,975	99	1,089			3	48
Oklahoma	371	1,295						
Oregon	138	1,140						
Pennsylvania	295	2,950	21	210				
Rhode Island	1	42	23	182				
South Carolina	47	364						
South Dakota	131	794	35	328				
Tennessee	222	650						
Texas	1,117	7,266						
Utah	38	82						
Vermont	38	135	11	110	23	232	32	230
Virginia	87	147	70	801				
Washington	260	2,259	79	1,551				
West Virginia	28	42						
Wisconsin	136	1,547	94	1,327				
Wyoming	36	187	8	94	8	110	6	49

State	Soccer		Softball Slow Pitch		Softball Fast Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	108	2,769			376	6,016	34	292
Alaska	29	866			27	626	30	495
Arizona	148	4,180			201	6,096	95	2,338
Arkansas	36	839		62	84	2,980	28	238
California	1,028	35,380	34	939	1,002	29,179	728	23,255
Colorado	166	5,584			148	3,587	215	3,696
Connecticut	149	5,188			172	4,605	98	3,043
Delaware	39	1,228			38	1,016	25	581
District of Columbia	5	98			12	166	4	46
Florida	416	12,234	43	916	509	10,489	359	7,417
Georgia	273	7,329	91	1,870	280	6,351	156	2,738
Hawaii	62	1,653			51	971	50	664
Idaho	61	1,516	12	159	96	2,082	5	73
Illinois	332	14,042			643	17,878	266	6,972
Indiana	216	5,737			358	8,750	233	4,653
Iowa	78	3,590			386	8,523	58	1,696
Kansas	64	2,345			180	4,665	63	1,460
Kentucky	154	3,930	19	420	259	5,674	126	1,831
Louisiana	110	1,650			362	5,430	46	460
Maine	125	3,764			124	3,175	51	962
Maryland	172	5,223			174	4,720	120	1,875
Massachusetts	292	12,173			331	10,541	144	3,976
Michigan	388	13,608			612	17,180	256	6,647
Minnesota	180	7,458			405	12,539	184	6,866
Mississippi	99	1,885	210	4,835	170	4,265	44	1,630
Missouri	181	6,484			457	10,081	99	2,695
Montana	34	988			48	1,254	19	298
Nebraska	68	2,090			91	2,155	47	929
Nevada	56	1,792			76	1,815	38	944
New Hampshire	74	2,724			86	2,324	30	516
New Jersey	341	11,336			401	11,996	129	4,630
New Mexico	68	1,718			83	1,589	40	589
New York	637	22,213			679	18,265	317	7,466
North Carolina	269	7,470			333	7,754	206	3,726
North Dakota	18	719					21	317
Ohio	406	12,301	19	509	757	18,315	281	6,124
Oklahoma	86	1,739	340	5,031	392	5,872	41	532
Oregon	140	4,417			195	4,903	114	2,291
Pennsylvania	442	15,470			602	21,070	288	5,184
Rhode Island	45	1,362	13	239	37	891	36	550
South Carolina	110	3,154			187	4,825	56	962
South Dakota								
Tennessee	204	4,350			333	6,113		
Texas	447	16,700			936	26,347	377	6,052
Utah	71	2,271			92	2,141	70	1,185
Vermont	75	2,415	3	77	64	1,593	1	10
Virginia	236	6,737			284	7,629	142	3,315
Washington	258	8,724			319	8,911	155	4,304
West Virginia	67	1,443			118	2,476	36	564
Wisconsin	219	8,017			437	12,089	133	3,798
Wyoming	17	547					26	583

State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	150	1,528	43	439	286	4,290	318	4,928
Alaska	6	159			45	842	119	1,887
Arizona	131	2,212			182	5,072	214	6,549
Arkansas	66	632		307	153	2,606	63	969
California	878	19,496			970	34,378	1,114	32,756
Colorado	124	3,749			284	6,703	307	9,120
Connecticut			132	3,556	160	5,498	143	3,744
District of Columbia	12	52	9	96	12	248	14	164
Delaware	31	514	29	500	32	864	37	1,079
Florida	427	4,239			462	10,724	540	12,196
Georgia					341	8,193	207	4,300
Hawaii	59	945			61	1,292	67	1,768
Iowa	118	3,292			376	9,253	395	12,862
Idaho	49	1,061			150	2,741	165	3,995
Illinois	324	8,609			582	16,624	700	22,243
Indiana	307	5,441			375	9,070	387	9,607
Kansas	125	2,264			338	6,370	358	9,359
Kentucky	216	2,483			245	4,560	216	4,584
Louisiana	150	1,044	83	821	370	4,056	167	4,038
Maine	75	1,223	52	976	94	2,297	23	397
Maryland	178	2,207	155	3,577	173	4,435	171	4,352
Massachusetts	233	4,315	206	6,765	274	10,763	217	5,566
Michigan	342	9,234	25	538	622	18,345	698	21,678
Minnesota	224	5,849			426	13,948	437	15,303
Mississippi	159	1,463	60	450	226	5,302	63	1,605
Missouri	172	3,285			452	10,999	419	10,764
Montana	66	1,183			183	3,027	173	3,979
Nebraska	54	1,188			314	6,374	318	8,248
Nevada	40	603			78	2,080	86	2,342
New Hampshire	51	847	44	1,091	69	2,078	54	1,312
New Jersey	351	6,119	203	6,395	339	11,364	177	4,382
New Mexico	60	602			152	3,564	152	5,056
New York	429	8,541	353	8,609	593	17,510	596	14,689
North Carolina	281	3,521	110	1,740	330	7,667	339	7,667
North Dakota	21	442			165	1,871	164	3,448
Ohio	389	6,779	165	3,147	733	19,476	784	18,324
Oklahoma	109	861	26	322	391	3,831	81	1,176
Oregon	116	2,421			246	5,950	261	6,686
Pennsylvania	380	4,560	143	2,145	522	16,704	492	8,856
Rhode Island	43	911	37	987	40	1,110	41	934
South Carolina	124	1,641			183	5,078	182	3,919
South Dakota	24	306			186	2,714	180	3,907
Tennessee	251	1,873			225	4,980	274	4,480
Texas	1,105	16,721			1,209	65,624	943	51,438
Utah	78	1,265			112	3,095	120	2,885
Vermont	26	428	19	204	46	1,011	1	12
Virginia	244	3,233	174	4,460	286	7,473	269	6,717
Washington	240	6,927			344	9,079	359	10,374
Wisconsin	200	5,308			423	10,905	472	16,183
West Virginia	78	919			103	2,185	101	2,142
Wyoming	16	315	12	188	69	1,379	66	1,713

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Hawaii	1	4		Michigan	15	436
	Minnesota	20	101		Ohio	10	240
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	58	162		Virginia	27	963
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	53	192		Vermont	1	5
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	53	214		West Virginia	2	67
Badminton	Arizona	43	836	Dance Team — HK/ Precision	Minnesota	121	3,248
	California	187	4,929	Dance Team — Jazz/Funk	Minnesota	137	3,507
	Florida	17	202	Decathlon	California	4	22
	Illinois	77	2,500		Vermont	1	4
	Maryland	31	437	Equestrian	California	3	40
	Minnesota	16	593		Hawaii	1	8
	New York	35	814		Idaho	1	2
Baseball	Alaska	3	34		Maine	2	24
	Arkansas		163		Michigan	66	496
	Arizona	4	15		Ohio	3	27
	California	38	662	Fencing	California	12	127
	Colorado	20	25		New Jersey	27	588
	Connecticut		3		New York	23	395
	Florida		5		Ohio	3	20
	Georgia	11	50		Vermont	1	7
	Hawaii	6	8	Flag Football	Florida	103	3,855
	Kentucky	2	3	Football — 11-Player	Alaska	5	11
	Massachusetts		4		Arkansas		159
	Maryland	1	1		Arizona	27	47
	Maine	1	2		California	94	236
	Minnesota		23		Colorado	39	39
	North Dakota	3	6		Connecticut		13
	New Jersey		15		Delaware	2	4
	Ohio		250		Florida		13
	Oklahoma	10	13		Georgia	12	52
	Oregon	7	48		Hawaii	10	13
	Rhode Island		1		Iowa	10	60
	Texas		174		Idaho	2	2
	Utah	3	4		Kansas	6	59
	Virginia	2	2		Kentucky	11	21
	Vermont	4	52		Massachusetts		25
Bowling	Washington	6	59		Maine	6	9
	Alaska	5	71		Minnesota		14
	California	6	54		Missouri		10
	Florida	128	1,452		North Dakota	3	25
	Hawaii	49	478		Nebraska		3
	Iowa	70	671		New Hampshire		13
	Idaho	7	56		New Jersey		7
	Illinois	178	3,051		New Mexico		77
	Kentucky	2	14		Ohio		15
	Maryland	4	32		Oklahoma	7	7
	Maine	4	23		Oregon	8	50
	Michigan	101	906		Rhode Island		7
	New Jersey	121	1,466		Texas		304
	Nevada	24	262		Utah	3	4
	New York	269	2,851		Virginia	27	134
	Ohio	91	1,030		Vermont	6	8
	Pennsylvania	66	660		Washington	26	34
	South Carolina	11	83		West Virginia	2	2
	Vermont	1	11	Football — 6-player	California	1	3
	Washington	38	709		Nebraska		1
	West Virginia	1	6		Texas		22
Canoeing	California	1	14		Arizona	2	3
	Hawaii	55	1,163		Iowa	5	11
Crew	California	15	264	Football — 8-player	Kansas	2	21
	District of Columbia	1	45		Oregon	2	3
	Delaware	1	39		Vermont	1	1
	Florida	17	366	Heptathlon	Alabama	16	36
	Kentucky	4	91				
	Maine	2	20				

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Ice Hockey	Arkansas		6	Soft Tennis Synchronized Swimming Team Tennis	Maine	4	20
	California	1	11		Vermont	12	57
	Vermont	3	9		Hawaii	12	137
	Alaska	15	75		Minnesota	19	453
	Connecticut		16		Connecticut	141	2,704
	Massachusetts	50	1,361		Georgia	327	4,154
	Maine	19	117	Water Polo	Hawaii		24
	Michigan	11	206		Maine	28	387
	Minnesota	211	3,922		Texas	410	8,203
	North Dakota	21	168		Vermont	2	12
	New Hampshire	35	55		California	446	12,185
	New Jersey	6	84		Florida	52	918
	Ohio		29		Hawaii	22	333
	Rhode Island	7	88		Illinois	56	1,482
	Vermont	23	382		Michigan	21	552
	Wisconsin	7	125		Missouri		10
Judo	California	1	2		Ohio	10	180
	Hawaii	32	281	Weight Lifting	Pennsylvania	14	210
Kayaking	Idaho	3	8		Arkansas		1
	Vermont	1	6		California	10	487
Lacrosse	Hawaii	6	105		Delaware	2	40
	California	55	1,834		Florida	94	2,401
	Colorado	47	1,428	Wrestling	Georgia	15	405
	Connecticut		36		Hawaii	1	3
	District of Columbia	2	63		Maine	6	126
	Delaware	19	624		Michigan	21	325
	Florida	27	1,052		Mississippi	6	6
	Georgia	15	581		Ohio	20	568
	Idaho	1	8		Alaska	28	68
	Massachusetts	87	4,147		Arizona	39	86
	Maryland	113	4,003		California	269	957
	Maine	31	1,046		Colorado	12	23
	Michigan	26	1,101		Connecticut		72
	Minnesota	11	476		Delaware	2	3
	Missouri	10	150		Florida	15	234
	North Carolina	9	354		Georgia	39	123
	New Hampshire	21	870		Hawaii	12	285
	New Jersey	102	5,176		Iowa	13	29
	New York	200	8,958		Idaho	6	16
	Ohio	32	1,604		Kansas	11	63
	Pennsylvania	76	2,432		Kentucky	9	17
	Rhode Island	7	240		Massachusetts		39
	Virginia	52	1,776		Maryland	9	63
	Vermont	25	839		Maine	28	54
	West Virginia	2	87		Minnesota		19
Riflery	Alaska	11	85		Missouri		15
	Arkansas		6		Montana	1	4
	California	6	40		North Dakota	6	15
	Georgia	78	335		Nebraska		13
	Hawaii	31	357		New Hampshire	7	14
	Kentucky	10	38		New Jersey	1	52
	Maine	3	16		New Mexico		50
	Michigan	2	16		Ohio		104
	New York	10	64		Oklahoma	18	22
	Pennsylvania	28	280		Oregon	24	53
	Vermont	1	7		Rhode Island		10
Rodeo	Arkansas		11		Texas	138	989
	Iowa	6	29		Utah	3	4
	Idaho	6	20		Virginia	43	104
Rythmic Gymnastics	Florida	11	222		Vermont	5	10
	Maine	1	4		Washington	56	122
Sailing	Florida	4	53		West Virginia	11	37
	Hawaii	0	23				
Snowboarding	Idaho	1	6				

2003-04 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2003-04 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS					
Basketball	19	157	15	74	231
Bowling	27	195	27	189	384
Floor Hockey	60	351	60	165	516
Soccer	54	316	54	179	495
Softball	57	303	57	221	524
Track	14	128	14	81	209
BADMINTON	218	4,110	389	9,591	13,701
BASEBALL	14,984	457,146	163	1,924	459,070
BASKETBALL	17,389	544,811	17,061	457,986	1,002,797
BOWLING	1,477	17,654	1,467	16,194	33,848
CANOEING	63	1,049	60	1,223	2,272
COED VOLLEYBALL	45	275	45	303	578
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUAD	545	2,251	3,693	89,443	91,694
CREW	78	2,037	81	2,049	4,086
CROSS COUNTRY	12,649	196,428	12,235	166,287	362,715
DANCE TEAM — HK/PRECISION			126	3,377	3,377
DANCE TEAM — JAZZ/FUNK			139	3,552	3,552
DECATHLON	27	125	5	25	150
EQUESTRIAN	26	63	80	591	654
FENCING	75	1,562	73	1,446	3,008
FIELD HOCKEY	7	215	1,634	61,984	62,199
FLAG FOOTBALL			108	3,375	3,375
FOOTBALL (11-Player)	13,680	1,032,682	242	1,527	1,034,209
(6-player)	147	4,088	1	29	4,117
(8-player)	687	14,745	6	57	14,802
(9-player)	265	6,145	2	2	6,147
GOLF	12,921	163,341	8,171	63,173	226,514
GYMNASTICS	130	2,189	1,475	19,939	22,128
HEPTATHLON			25	87	87
ICE HOCKEY	1,467	36,184	404	6,931	43,115
JUDO	44	456	40	268	724
KAYAKING	7	105	6	107	212
LACROSSE	1,156	53,436	1,176	43,099	96,535
RIFLERY	230	2,191	196	1,109	3,300
RODEO	10	34	10	39	73
SAILING	4	20	5	17	37
SKIING — ALPINE	456	5,921	437	4,263	10,184
SKIING — CROSS COUNTRY	405	4,619	401	4,999	9,618
SNOWBOARDING	13	120	11	63	183
SOCCER	10,219	349,785	9,490	309,032	658,817
SOFT TENNIS	22	103	23	149	252
SOFTBALL — FAST PITCH	75	1,462	14,181	362,468	363,930
SOFTBALL — SLOW PITCH	7	137	699	13,431	13,568
SWIMMING & DIVING	5,758	96,562	6,176	144,565	241,127
TEAM TENNIS	802	12,903	808	13,571	26,474
TENNIS	9,427	152,938	9,559	167,758	320,696
TRACK AND FIELD — INDOOR	2,185	51,926	2,096	46,641	98,567
TRACK AND FIELD — OUTDOOR	15,221	504,801	15,089	418,322	923,123
VOLLEYBALL	1,683	40,093	14,181	396,322	436,415
WATER POLO	635	15,649	629	16,362	32,011
WEIGHT LIFTING	521	16,639	214	5,976	22,615
WRESTLING	9,526	238,700	808	4,008	242,708
OTHER SPORTS	59	1,103	58	726	1,829

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS 2003-04 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,389	1.	Football (11-player)	1,032,682
2.	Track and Field (Outdoor)	15,221	2.	Basketball	544,811
3.	Baseball	14,984	3.	Track & Field (Outdoor)	504,801
4.	Football (11-player)	13,680	4.	Baseball	457,146
5.	Golf	12,921	5.	Soccer	349,785
6.	Cross Country	12,649	6.	Wrestling	238,700
7.	Soccer	10,219	7.	Cross Country	196,428
8.	Wrestling	9,526	8.	Golf	163,341
9.	Tennis	9,427	9.	Tennis	152,938
10.	Swimming & Diving	5,758	10.	Swimming & Diving	96,562

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,061	1.	Basketball	457,986
2.	Track and Field (Outdoor)	15,089	2.	Track and Field (Outdoor)	418,322
3.	Volleyball	14,181	3.	Volleyball	396,322
3.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	14,181	4.	Softball (Fast Pitch)	362,468
5.	Cross Country	12,235	5.	Soccer	309,032
6.	Tennis	9,559	6.	Tennis	167,758
7.	Soccer	9,490	7.	Cross Country	166,287
8.	Golf	8,171	8.	Swimming & Diving	144,565
9.	Swimming & Diving	6,176	9.	Competitive Spirit Squads	89,443
10.	Competitive Spirit Squads	3,693	10.	Golf	63,173

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total	Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total
1971-72	3,666,917	294,015	3,960,932	1989-90	3,398,192	1,858,659	5,256,851
1972-73	3,770,621	817,073	4,587,694	1990-91	3,406,355	1,892,316	5,298,671
1973-74	4,070,125	1,300,169	5,370,294	1991-92	3,429,853	1,940,801	5,370,654
1975-76	4,109,021	1,645,039	5,754,060	1992-93	3,416,389	1,997,489	5,413,878
1977-78	4,367,442	2,083,040	6,450,482	1993-94	3,472,967	2,130,315	5,603,282
1978-79	3,709,512	1,854,400	5,563,912	1994-95	3,536,359	2,240,461	5,776,820
1979-80	3,517,829	1,750,264	5,268,093	1995-96	3,634,052	2,367,936	6,001,988
1980-81	3,503,124	1,853,789	5,356,913	1996-97	3,706,225	2,474,043	6,180,268
1981-82	3,409,081	1,810,671	5,219,752	1997-98	3,763,120	2,570,333	6,333,453
1982-83	3,355,558	1,779,972	5,135,530	1998-99	3,832,352	2,652,726	6,485,078
1983-84	3,303,599	1,747,346	5,050,945	1999-00	3,861,749	2,675,874	6,537,623
1984-85	3,354,284	1,757,884	5,112,168	2000-01	3,921,069	2,784,154	6,705,223
1985-86	3,344,275	1,807,121	5,151,396	2001-02	3,960,517	2,806,998	6,767,515
1986-87	3,364,082	1,836,356	5,200,438	2002-03	3,988,738	2,856,358	6,845,096
1987-88	3,425,777	1,849,684	5,275,461	2003-04	4,038,253	2,865,299	6,903,552
1988-89	3,416,844	1,839,352	5,256,196				

2003-04 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹
1.	Texas	754,828	27.	Mississippi	88,091
2.	California	652,333	28.	Kentucky	86,724
3.	New York	336,987	29.	Alabama	84,819
4.	Illinois	324,433	30.	Louisiana	84,704
5.	Ohio	303,505	31.	Nebraska	78,092
6.	Michigan	302,648	32.	South Carolina	77,814
7.	Pennsylvania	261,049	33.	Oklahoma	73,758
8.	New Jersey	228,842	34.	Maine	53,150
9.	Minnesota	220,788	35.	Utah	46,018
10.	Florida	212,760	36.	New Mexico	45,557
11.	Massachusetts	196,687	37.	Idaho	44,176
12.	Wisconsin	189,863	38.	New Hampshire	41,571
13.	Missouri	159,498	39.	Arkansas	41,017
14.	Indiana	157,537	40.	Nevada	35,280
15.	Virginia	156,122	41.	Montana	33,531
16.	North Carolina	155,826	42.	Hawaii	33,300
17.	Washington	155,582	43.	Rhode Island	31,589
18.	Georgia	151,986	44.	West Virginia	31,444
19.	Iowa	139,035	45.	South Dakota	27,818
20.	Colorado	114,704	46.	North Dakota	27,107
21.	Kansas	97,329	47.	Vermont	23,473
22.	Connecticut	97,215	48.	Delaware	22,618
23.	Tennessee	96,817	49.	Alaska	18,985
24.	Arizona	96,410	50.	Wyoming	16,995
25.	Maryland	95,282	51.	District of Columbia	4,128
26.	Oregon	93,727	TOTAL		6,903,552

¹Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	388	8,943	400	11,526				
Alaska	20	537	137	2,184	6	78	11	45
Arizona	205	7,535	224	7,520			40	100
Arkansas	212	3,672	234	4,941		164		66
California	1,132	41,392	1,225	41,784	9	174	112	669
Colorado	251	8,110	313	8,464			41	164
Connecticut	170	5,775	173	5,122			20	99
Delaware	44	1,468	43	1,347				
District of Columbia	10	175	15	359				
Florida	525	13,426	582	13,773	105	914		
Georgia	365	11,459	375	11,374			50	118
Hawaii	62	1,704	68	1,826	50	477	31	45
Idaho	92	2,452	168	4,116				
Illinois	658	23,371	720	24,747	127	1,979		
Indiana	385	11,868	396	12,230				
Iowa	389	10,844	398	11,871	70	922	6	53
Kansas	199	5,688	364	9,976				
Kentucky	272	7,624	279	7,350	3	75	48	225
Louisiana	309	8,009	409	12,241				
Maine	123	3,489	139	4,178			29	42
Maryland	179	5,243	181	5,029				
Massachusetts	331	12,767	343	11,913				
Michigan	622	19,082	732	23,788	163	1,866		
Minnesota	426	14,025	454	14,261				
Mississippi	246	6,288	257	8,308			7	50
Missouri	477	12,911	557	14,691				20
Montana			183	4,558			1	13
Nebraska	42	1,517	319	8,314				
Nevada	79	2,100	92	2,900	24	310		
New Hampshire	86	2,694	88	2,548			8	35
New Jersey	402	14,910	406	13,280	232	2,611		
New Mexico	108	2,309	151	5,148				
New York	667	20,962	697	20,720	349	4,249		
North Carolina	326	9,617	349	9,129				
North Dakota	106	1,408	180	3,586				
Ohio	777	23,731	789	23,651	114	1,546		
Oklahoma	435	7,417	471	8,603			17	112
Oregon	225	6,121	283	7,763				
Pennsylvania	642	20,554	684	20,520	82	820		
Rhode Island	44	1,596	47	1,569			2	6
South Carolina	188	5,764	195	6,279	8	57		
South Dakota			167	3,701				
Tennessee	347	8,352	356	8,759	133	1,400		
Texas	1,054	40,167	1,218	71,903				
Utah	108	2,844	120	3,500				
Vermont	66	1,633	67	1,794			14	36
Virginia	293	8,963	296	9,575			94	320
Washington	339	10,699	380	11,713				
West Virginia	112	2,572	117	2,909	2	12	14	33
Wisconsin	446	13,359	481	15,644				
Wyoming			67	1,826				

State	Cross Country		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	128	923	369	21,301	254	1,205		
Alaska	100	915	23	1,554			4	64
Arizona	161	2,267	176	15,878	161	1,768		
Arkansas	56	558	139	7,917	139	1,057		21
California	971	20,465	987	95,504	759	11,764	7	91
Colorado	200	2,909	213	13,445	183	2,199		
Connecticut	158	2,992	130	9,032	156	1,930		
Delaware	38	741	38	2,435	38	401		
District of Columbia	12	115	10	675	5	40		
Florida	483	5,665	459	35,993	478	4,075		
Georgia	329	5,067	355	27,047	342	3,064		
Hawaii	62	846	59	4,346	60	492		
Idaho	95	1,106	154	7,573	86	1,027		
Illinois	479	8,695	553	49,114	535	8,534	57	1,354
Indiana	382	5,294	314	21,609	375	4,652		
Iowa	308	4,108	354	19,767	364	6,713		
Kansas	214	2,846	253	14,174	253	3,582		
Kentucky	243	2,888	219	11,934	257	2,722		
Louisiana	307	3,367	294	16,108	164	1,142	7	55
Maine	103	1,260	68	3,738	105	1,361	4	7
Maryland	167	2,927	177	14,779	140	1,264		
Massachusetts	269	4,883	301	20,221	280	4,153	8	213
Michigan	575	7,575	608	42,717	569	8,048	9	63
Minnesota	320	5,113	350	25,980	392	6,688		
Mississippi	122	2,629	236	20,221	80	1,667		
Missouri	299	4,799	325	21,926	329	4,500		
Montana	116	942	87	5,357	133	2,215		
Nebraska	189	2,183	174	10,888	234	3,377		
Nevada	59	725	64	6,150	64	832		
New Hampshire	68	945	41	2,944	70	913		
New Jersey	360	6,127	355	24,414	209	4,251		
New Mexico	107	1,182	152	8,404	87	743		
New York	539	7,531	522	33,410	573	8,115	21	220
North Carolina	308	4,441	339	25,449	305	3,207		
North Dakota	55	433	83	3,207	130	1,507		
Ohio	547	8,379	714	44,786	709	8,989	2	16
Oklahoma	170	1,326	304	11,109	235	1,290		
Oregon	156	2,770	197	13,850	189	1,994		
Pennsylvania	515	5,150	569	25,605	535	5,350		
Rhode Island	42	788	41	2,772	42	487		3
South Carolina	130	2,147	190	17,131	151	1,608		
South Dakota	111	783	69	3,866	106	1,333		
Tennessee	243	3,244	316	19,241	301	2,924		
Texas	1,164	28,411	1,004	158,575	1,136	13,168		
Utah	110	1,720	93	7,455	110	1,389		
Vermont	46	549	25	1,412	49	613	3	20
Virginia	265	4,290	287	22,758	267	2,831	8	62
Washington	275	5,030	296	20,846	276	3,689		
West Virginia	70	647	108	5,394	89	849		
Wisconsin	383	5,315	429	30,053	374	6,901		
Wyoming	40	417	57	2,618	43	718		

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	20	580			9	144		
Arizona								
Arkansas						29		
California	2	31	60	2,240	8	56	27	366
Colorado	25	379	37	1,925			15	150
Connecticut	65	1,770	61	3,192				
Delaware	2	39	32	1,204				
District of Columbia							10	160
Florida			25	1,112				
Georgia			25	1,102	101	731		
Hawaii					41	399		
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	1	6	1	4	10	81		
Louisiana								
Maine	57	1,321	38	1,564			44	444
Maryland			127	4,871				
Massachusetts	253	7,409	142	6,609			76	1,156
Michigan	201	3,776	45	2,148	2	13	91	955
Minnesota	256	6,601					77	1,307
Mississippi								
Missouri	50	1,250	20	300				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada							12	188
New Hampshire	36	936	32	1,611			55	617
New Jersey	109	3,074	104	5,426			16	228
New Mexico								
New York	139	2,993	244	13,005	22	322		
North Carolina			33	1,218				
North Dakota	30	590						
Ohio	80	1,904	36	1,959	3	76	1	20
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					34	340		
Rhode Island	32	768	10	373				
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	25	520	23	881			26	260
Virginia			61	2,692			26	260
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	84	2,237						
Wyoming							6	70

State	Skiing		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Cross Country Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			132	3,301	39	297	142	1,480
Alaska	32	399	26	779	27	314	7	162
Arizona			157	4,968	96	1,659	130	1,739
Arkansas			39	996	14	109	71	573
California	5	48	1,068	38,501	709	15,731	842	16,716
Colorado	15	206	163	5,624	100	1,684	118	3,707
Connecticut			169	6,515	91	1,569	139	2,182
Delaware			41	1,459	26	411	30	412
District of Columbia			7	112	4	50	12	75
Florida			472	12,666	365	4,581	415	3,850
Georgia			284	8,005	165	2,069		
Hawaii			60	1,598	54	395	62	751
Idaho			67	1,804	3	42	50	916
Illinois			379	17,051	249	6,282	312	7,376
Indiana			264	7,932	218	4,061	303	4,816
Iowa			111	4,992	52	1,066	114	2,120
Kansas			98	3,445	51	873	120	1,915
Kentucky			158	4,580	126	1,058	215	2,163
Louisiana			128	1,920	64	945	189	1,311
Maine	40	355	127	4,297	48	523	78	1,077
Maryland			165	5,721	79	1,243	168	1,933
Massachusetts	20	290	327	12,666	134	1,859	232	3,420
Michigan	2	17	445	14,234	243	4,553	340	8,194
Minnesota	103	1,370	192	8,338	141	2,971	191	4,547
Mississippi			112	3,418	44	1,256	154	1,775
Missouri			200	7,222	86	1,822	174	3,149
Montana			41	958	17	233	42	632
Nebraska			65	2,236	54	593	59	913
Nevada			56	1,850	39	400	40	525
New Hampshire	55	344	86	3,243	30	255	48	791
New Jersey			379	16,198	217	3,547	336	5,658
New Mexico			68	1,967	40	403	60	555
New York	102	1,238	641	22,677	276	4,708	491	8,630
North Carolina			294	8,794	192	2,150	265	3,029
North Dakota			17	583	14	199	18	236
Ohio			521	15,775	220	3,970	420	6,279
Oklahoma			83	1,700	43	430	171	1,381
Oregon			170	5,778	117	1,331	116	1,898
Pennsylvania			550	19,250	288	5,184	403	4,836
Rhode Island			44	1,450	34	224	39	6,877
South Carolina			138	4,124	58	694	102	1,213
South Dakota							19	391
Tennessee			224	5,484			256	2,295
Texas			473	21,898	381	5,872	1,092	15,957
Utah			85	2,739	70	1,131	82	1,278
Vermont	24	241	68	2,204	2	2	17	245
Virginia			68	2,204	2	2	17	245
Washington			262	9,204	132	2,618	229	4,839
West Virginia			59	1,444	30	244	65	608
Wisconsin			239	9,310	107	2,084	194	4,451
Wyoming	7	111	17	663	23	407	15	265

State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	45	578	294	6,275				
Alaska			41	998	52	298		
Arizona			181	6,512	52	1,250		
Arkansas		608	160	3,583				942
California			978	41,349	398	12,156	18	1,920
Colorado			284	7,992				
Connecticut	126	3,636	159	5,955	36	728		
Delaware	30	566	35	1,082	6	106	1	29
District of Columbia	12	165	12	255				
Florida			470	12,606	104	1,577	216	5,058
Georgia			361	9,670			78	3,243
Hawaii			64	1,938	65	1,187		
Idaho			149	3,558				
Illinois			587	25,353	167	5,833		
Indiana			376	11,764				
Iowa			381	10,825				
Kansas			344	8,535	1	1		
Kentucky			245	5,258				
Louisiana	103	1,123	409	8,597				
Maine	55	1,172	102	2,695	8	86		
Maryland	163	3,940	178	5,470	31	556		
Massachusetts	201	6,905	280	10,617	79	1,760		
Michigan	23	496	636	22,849	6	152	35	858
Minnesota			435	13,854				
Mississippi	50	1,041	227	6,307			131	2,392
Missouri			446	12,256	39	1,058		
Montana			183	3,806				
Nebraska			316	8,485				
Nevada			82	2,840	24	630		
New Hampshire	46	927	71	1,997				
New Jersey	284	8,001	364	14,327	69	1,606		
New Mexico			152	4,293				
New York	358	8,481	591	17,723	171	3,693		
North Carolina	127	2,050	316	10,903				
North Dakota			153	2,163				
Ohio	138	2,775	748	23,441	52	1,065	40	2,147
Oklahoma	31	425	382	4,310				
Oregon			261	7,340				
Pennsylvania	145	2,175	558	17,856	188	3,384		
Rhode Island	35	1,201	38	1,431	24	470		
South Carolina			177	6,164				
South Dakota			159	3,277				
Tennessee			238	6,556				
Texas			1,219	78,960				
Utah			110	4,028				
Vermont	17	173	46	964			2	50
Virginia	184	5,257	287	9,205	65	1,162		
Washington			347	11,602				
West Virginia			93	2,231				
Wisconsin			428	13,173	46	1,335		
Wyoming	12	231	68	1,573				

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	72	1,747
Alaska	73	1,056
Arizona	168	4,977
Arkansas		
California	731	22,007
Colorado	226	5,078
Connecticut	115	2,545
Delaware	39	917
District of Columbia	1	15
Florida	315	7,284
Georgia	276	6,442
Hawaii	49	1,026
Idaho	105	2,282
Illinois	397	14,679
Indiana	311	8,495
Iowa	300	6,393
Kansas	188	4,762
Kentucky	71	1,561
Louisiana	68	1,224
Maine	52	952
Maryland	162	3,886
Massachusetts	153	3,804
Michigan	470	11,342
Minnesota	344	8,605
Mississippi	2	41
Missouri	209	6,449
Montana	86	1,871
Nebraska	232	4,322
Nevada	69	1,885
New Hampshire	33	670
New Jersey	328	8,137
New Mexico	58	1,484
New York	462	12,013
North Carolina	289	7,529
North Dakota	74	958
Ohio	521	12,580
Oklahoma	129	2,500
Oregon	196	4,904
Pennsylvania	486	8,748
Rhode Island	33	834
South Carolina	108	3,608
South Dakota	82	1,398
Tennessee	147	3,634
Texas	199	7,585
Utah	94	2,871
Vermont	23	234
Virginia	237	6,000
Washington	273	7,785
West Virginia	72	1,213
Wisconsin	348	7,288
Wyoming	50	1,080

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Basketball	Georgia	19	157	Football (9-player)	Nevada	20	405
	Minnesota	24	97		Oklahoma	72	1,530
	Vermont	3	98		Oregon	44	587
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	54	316		Vermont	5	97
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	55	293		Washington	36	603
	Vermont	2	10		California	4	251
Adapted Track	Georgia	14	128		Minnesota	84	2,593
	Alaska	1	19		Mississippi	1	52
	California	164	3,627		North Dakota	87	1,436
	Florida	15	157		South Dakota	89	1,813
	Maryland	30	163	Judo	California	2	4
Badminton	Michigan	1	30	Kayaking	Hawaii	41	441
	New York	7	114		Michigan	1	11
	California	1	6	Rodeo	Hawaii	7	105
	Hawaii	61	1,028		Arkansas		6
	Michigan	1	15	Sailing	Iowa	10	28
Crew	California	8	248		Hawaii	4	20
	Delaware	1	48	Snowboarding	Vermont	13	120
	District of Columbia	1	22	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	22	103
	Florida	8	139	Softball (Fast Pitch)	Alaska	2	11
	Kentucky	1	5		Arkansas		43
Decathlon	Michigan	16	526		California	37	863
	Ohio	14	272		Kansas	1	21
	Virginia	27	745		Maine	1	2
	West Virginia	2	32		Michigan	4	75
	Alabama	18	36		Missouri	20	280
	Arkansas		52		Montana	1	1
	California	5	31		Ohio	4	98
	Ohio	2	3		Vermont	5	68
	Vermont	2	3		California	5	100
	California	1	6		Ohio	2	37
Equestrian	Michigan	24	56	Team Tennis	Georgia	337	3,638
	Ohio	1	1		Maine	21	255
	California	11	144	Water Polo	Texas	438	8,951
Fencing	Michigan	1	10		Vermont	6	59
	New Jersey	33	945		California	435	11,500
	New York	24	437		Florida	64	910
	Ohio	4	20		Hawaii	9	139
	Vermont	2	6		Illinois	64	1,737
Field Hockey	California	1	36		Michigan	18	447
	Massachusetts		14		Missouri	20	532
	Vermont	6	165		Ohio	10	159
Football (6-player)	Arkansas		90		Pennsylvania	15	225
	California	2	96	Weight Lifting	Arkansas		942
	Colorado	17	227		California	18	1,920
	Montana	7	161		Delaware	1	29
	Nebraska	7	101		Florida	216	5,058
Football (8-player)	Texas	114	3,413		Georgia	78	3,243
	Arizona	23	596		Michigan	35	858
	California	32	1,129		Mississippi	131	2,392
	Colorado	42	480		Ohio	40	2,147
	Idaho	37	776		Vermont	2	50
	Iowa	40	1,106				
	Kansas	108	2,289				
	Missouri	19	428				
	Montana	79	1,255				
	Nebraska	130	3,464				

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	399	5,358					128	787
Alaska	128	1,840	6	59	29	471	100	778
Arizona	214	6,160			115	3,539	161	1,827
Arkansas	231	4,043			60	1,318	56	468
California	1,160	33,912	6	54	411	12,921	971	16,618
Colorado	311	7,579			229	5,521	200	2,941
Connecticut	174	4,263			139	2,068	158	2,294
Delaware	42	968			11	274	38	542
District of Columbia	13	249			12	269	12	130
Florida	559	10,964	116	1,442			483	5,576
Georgia	374	9,171			232	4,929	329	3,869
Hawaii	65	1,651	53	472	48	744	62	1,089
Idaho	164	3,611			142	1,756	95	822
Illinois	671	18,986	194	3,269			479	8,125
Indiana	392	10,207					382	4,295
Iowa	397	8,846	70	661	57	2,510	308	3,596
Kansas	364	8,145					214	2,419
Kentucky	280	5,950	2	14	279	5,444	243	2,427
Louisiana	377	9,401					307	1,225
Maine	135	3,505			85	1,673	103	968
Maryland	181	4,528					167	2,020
Massachusetts	337	10,418					269	4,094
Michigan	718	20,661	151	1,477	171	4,387	575	6,710
Minnesota	447	13,017					320	4,501
Mississippi	257	6,204			257	3,812	122	1,358
Missouri	530	12,460			150	2,200	299	4,051
Montana	170	3,469			5	72	116	841
Nebraska	320	7,045					189	1,587
Nevada	89	2,475	24	265			59	560
New Hampshire	87	2,262			72	1,844	68	853
New Jersey	411	10,080	203	1,660			360	4,225
New Mexico	151	4,560					107	992
New York	688	17,245	269	2,851			539	6,122
North Carolina	343	8,493			340	14,440	308	3,756
North Dakota	179	2,855					55	365
Ohio	788	18,111	102	1,098			547	7,026
Oklahoma	471	7,565			181	1,903	170	1,250
Oregon	281	6,768			135	2,009	156	2,246
Pennsylvania	685	20,550	87	870			515	5,200
Rhode Island	47	1,123			24	619	42	663
South Carolina	195	4,985	9	59	84	2,456	130	1,649
South Dakota	163	3,011					111	577
Tennessee	357	6,461	133	1,142			243	2,404
Texas	1,214	69,824					1,164	27,777
Utah	118	2,955					110	1,210
Vermont	67	1,774			30	406	46	460
Virginia	286	7,804			290	9,999	265	3,507
Washington	371	9,696	41	796			275	3,350
West Virginia	117	2,145	1	5	105	1,859	70	581
Wisconsin	475	13,013					383	5,247
Wyoming	68	1,620					40	309

State	Field Hockey		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					152	454		
Alaska			5	13			6	82
Arizona			16	35	113	752		
Arkansas				3	76	366	6	139
California	63	2,170	94	236	669	5,547	46	859
Colorado	15	479		16	132	1,280	50	578
Connecticut	76	3,322		8	32	443	60	430
Delaware	41	1,391	2	4	16	51		
District of Columbia					5	25		
Florida					341	2,200		
Georgia			24	88	272	1,267	34	384
Hawaii			11	28	47	162		
Idaho					86	960		
Illinois					363	3,210	95	1,800
Indiana					268	2,550	87	1,097
Iowa				60	329	3,857		
Kansas			5	10	97	1,038	16	173
Kentucky	17	408	11	21	226	1,379		
Louisiana					101	320	19	217
Maine	79	2,984	7	11	37	63	14	78
Maryland	120	3,903			98	198	13	178
Massachusetts	198	8,635		28	27	439	90	1,219
Michigan	16	677			306	3,910	84	989
Minnesota				9	383	5,054	190	3,119
Mississippi					15	121		
Missouri	24	1,178		10	142	1,531	2	20
Montana					112	930		
Nebraska				10	130	1,383		
Nevada					57	515		
New Hampshire	55	2,159		6	27	36	24	154
New Jersey	223	9,605		3	189	673	64	848
New Mexico				77	87	272		
New York	232	8,508			102	948	116	1,598
North Carolina	9	264			128	730	13	123
North Dakota			2	11	107	640	13	79
Ohio	33	1,199		33	224	2,090	94	1,120
Oklahoma			6	7	211	980		
Oregon					157	1,170		
Pennsylvania	275	9,625			187	1,870	25	250
Rhode Island	21	631		4	1	53	25	177
South Carolina					52	373		
South Dakota					75	738	27	275
Tennessee					242	815		
Texas				268	1,120	7,366		
Utah			1	2	34	69		
Vermont	26	1,013	5	49	33	110	13	114
Virginia	111	3,833	24	385	104	196	70	809
Washington	25	80			262	2,190	81	1,556
West Virginia			4	4	25	34		
Wisconsin					139	1,621	90	1,395
Wyoming					33	194	8	79

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Skiing Alpine		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	16	100					28	373
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California			55	1,834	27	190	5	32
Colorado		4	28	1,327	17	150	17	150
Connecticut		17	56	2,585				
Delaware			20	593				
District of Columbia			2	60	10	266		
Florida			26	984				
Georgia			25	1,005				
Hawaii								
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky								
Louisiana								
Maine	29	161	33	1,157	40	298	35	283
Maryland			116	3,043				
Massachusetts	58	1,447	114	4,449	69	911	20	279
Michigan	10	218	31	1,124	88	773	4	37
Minnesota	221	4,101			78	757	109	2,234
Mississippi								
Missouri			10	150				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					11	115		
New Hampshire		16	28	1,302	56	421	56	293
New Jersey	14	35	201	6,526	12	149		
New Mexico								
New York			200	8,958			97	950
North Carolina			15	492				
North Dakota	19	154						
Ohio		33	36	1,665	1	14		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania			94	3,008				
Rhode Island	7	129	9	268				
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	23	388	23	765	24	175	23	254
Virginia			54	1,804				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	7	128						
Wyoming					6	44	7	114

State	Soccer		Softball Fast Pitch		Softball Slow Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	113	2,897	376	6,016			35	300
Alaska	26	863	23	584			27	484
Arizona	151	4,368	201	6,172			97	2,477
Arkansas	36	769	84	3,147		27	28	153
California	1,028	35,380	1,002	29,179	34	939	728	23,255
Colorado	174	5,721	153	3,614			124	3,765
Connecticut	148	5,255	171	4,670			93	2,896
Delaware	44	1,376	37	987			26	657
District of Columbia	5	80	12	155			4	35
Florida	443	12,513	514	10,394	48	884	372	7,535
Georgia	289	7,776	357	7,848	23	516	173	3,161
Hawaii	59	1,727	54	1,068			57	613
Idaho	63	1,636	94	2,256			5	73
Illinois	341	15,082	640	18,446			272	7,963
Indiana	228	6,204	370	9,529			222	4,990
Iowa	78	3,536	386	8,395			58	1,671
Kansas	83	2,481	196	4,988			61	1,325
Kentucky	154	3,930	259	5,674	19	420	126	1,831
Louisiana	110	1,650	362	5,430			46	460
Maine	124	3,811	122	3,116			50	907
Maryland	155	5,209	177	3,544			81	1,024
Massachusetts	313	12,193	325	10,721			150	3,921
Michigan	399	13,515	605	16,772	1	36	256	6,588
Minnesota	189	7,827	411	12,719			191	7,118
Mississippi	80	1,939	170	4,401	207	4,979	44	1,677
Missouri	183	6,486	463	10,096			101	2,674
Montana	25	945	34	1,085			14	274
Nebraska	70	2,065	106	2,237			55	944
Nevada	56	1,800	76	1,825			38	950
New Hampshire	75	2,679	86	2,214			32	523
New Jersey	356	12,118	406	12,538			228	5,602
New Mexico	68	1,718	83	1,589			40	589
New York	637	22,213	679	18,265			317	7,466
North Carolina	267	7,424	324	7,388			199	3,806
North Dakota	16	687					16	288
Ohio	426	12,622	766	18,756	11	319	290	6,220
Oklahoma	87	1,740	395	6,190	340	5,031	41	546
Oregon	141	4,496	210	5,274			122	2,107
Pennsylvania	473	16,555	639	22,365			305	5,490
Rhode Island	45	1,403	37	909	11	198	35	530
South Carolina	113	3,221	186	4,809			59	1,063
South Dakota								
Tennessee	215	4,807	337	6,184				
Texas	457	17,444	952	26,943			383	6,140
Utah	75	2,275	90	2,080			71	1,243
Vermont	67	2,130	58	1,357	5	82	2	2
Virginia	246	7,109	280	7,548			149	3,505
Washington	261	8,880	327	8,790			158	4,538
West Virginia	55	1,197	108	2,218			34	508
Wisconsin	226	8,695	438	11,983			136	4,090
Wyoming	17	585					25	588

State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	152	1,549	40	409	288	4,350	325	5,037
Alaska	7	166			40	764	72	1,529
Arizona	133	2,190			180	4,683	223	6,483
Arkansas	66	573		390	153	2,443	63	1,615
California	878	19,496			970	34,378	1,114	32,756
Colorado	132	3,601			281	6,103	310	8,953
Connecticut	135	2,896	121	3,572	155	5,640	143	3,751
Delaware	31	535	32	550	35	974	35	944
District of Columbia	12	50	10	145	12	235	14	169
Florida	432	4,310			462	10,914	572	12,182
Georgia					359	8,102	231	5,127
Hawaii	61	960			64	1,271	71	1,846
Idaho	50	960			147	2,599	165	3,851
Illinois	328	8,524			577	16,587	695	21,978
Indiana	304	5,731			374	9,885	393	10,328
Iowa	118	3,243			376	9,114	395	12,669
Kansas	129	2,397			337	6,669	364	9,486
Kentucky	216	2,483			245	4,560	216	4,584
Louisiana	150	1,044	83	821	370	4,056	167	4,038
Maine	79	1,238	58	1,021	104	2,275	19	342
Maryland	169	2,270	161	3,439	174	4,423	174	4,250
Massachusetts	246	4,224	200	6,701	282	10,443	213	5,865
Michigan	338	8,917	21	316	631	18,347	691	21,320
Minnesota	226	5,896			429	14,039	441	15,447
Mississippi	154	1,505	25	463	227	4,535	60	1,652
Missouri	170	3,359			448	10,930	421	10,725
Montana	65	1,210			170	2,693		
Nebraska	62	1,181			316	6,902	317	8,310
Nevada	40	605			78	2,080	86	2,350
New Hampshire	57	843	46	1,004	70	2,065	55	1,419
New Jersey	357	6,303	279	7,161	368	12,725	202	4,783
New Mexico	60	602			152	3,564	152	5,056
New York	429	8,541	353	8,609	593	17,510	596	14,689
North Carolina	286	3,647	120	1,749	314	8,263	345	7,735
North Dakota	20	450			155	1,839	165	3,409
Ohio	403	6,971	124	2,046	744	20,263	781	19,113
Oklahoma	110	872	26	325	394	3,860	82	1,180
Oregon	123	2,469			263	5,628	276	7,224
Pennsylvania	413	4,956	151	2,265	559	17,888	535	9,630
Rhode Island	44	909	35	1,009	41	1,182	41	914
South Carolina	122	1,708			176	4,752	186	3,950
South Dakota	21	307			149	2,600	158	3,748
Tennessee	256	2,661			242	5,337	284	5,117
Texas	1,097	16,639			1,216	65,732	950	51,484
Utah	78	1,239			112	3,202	118	2,778
Vermont	21	369	18	178	47	1,033	2	8
Virginia	249	3,313	181	4,281	286	7,650	267	6,241
Washington	242	7,304			341	9,058	365	10,448
West Virginia	68	784			93	1,959	95	1,948
Wisconsin	204	5,446			423	10,906	472	16,189
Wyoming	16	312	12	187	67	1,312	64	1,672

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama		
Alaska	33	85
Arizona	39	94
Arkansas		
California	269	957
Colorado		18
Connecticut		63
Delaware	2	2
District of Columbia		
Florida	33	467
Georgia	43	147
Hawaii	48	316
Idaho		
Illinois		
Indiana		
Iowa		29
Kansas	15	52
Kentucky	9	17
Louisiana		
Maine	23	43
Maryland		33
Massachusetts		38
Michigan		
Minnesota		17
Mississippi		
Missouri		15
Montana	4	10
Nebraska		30
Nevada		
New Hampshire		8
New Jersey	1	123
New Mexico		50
New York		
North Carolina		
North Dakota	4	12
Ohio		50
Oklahoma	8	22
Oregon		
Pennsylvania		
Rhode Island		15
South Carolina		
South Dakota		
Tennessee		
Texas	149	1,086
Utah	6	8
Vermont	7	9
Virginia	36	41
Washington	69	137
West Virginia	10	14
Wisconsin		
Wyoming		

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	24	113	Judo	California	1	11
	Vermont	3	76		Vermont	2	3
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	60	165		California	1	2
	Minnesota	54	179		Hawaii	38	256
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	55	211	Kayaking	Michigan	1	10
	Vermont	2	10		Hawaii	6	107
Adapted Softball	Arizona	43	832		Alaska	8	72
	California	187	4,929		California	6	40
Badminton	Florida	16	204	Riflery	Georgia	88	255
	Illinois	78	2,620		Hawaii	39	308
Baseball	Maryland	30	192		Kentucky	10	38
	New York	35	814		Michigan	2	8
	Alaska	2	7		New York	10	64
	Arizona	10	27		Ohio	1	4
	Arkansas		34		Pennsylvania	32	320
	California	38	662		Arkansas		10
	Colorado	37	161	Rodeo	Iowa	10	29
	Florida		3		Hawaii	5	17
	Georgia	14	43	Sailing	Vermont	11	63
	Hawaii	25	45		Hawaii	23	149
	Kentucky	2	3	Snowboarding	Georgia	341	4,243
	Maine	6	58		Maine	22	340
	Maryland		3	Soft Tennis	Texas	438	8,903
	Massachusetts		3		Vermont	7	85
	Michigan	1	10	Team Tennis	California	446	12,185
	Minnesota		26		Florida	63	1,026
	Nebraska		2		Hawaii	15	396
	New Jersey		46		Illinois	59	1,738
	North Dakota	7	10		Michigan	23	608
	Ohio		80		Missouri		20
	Oklahoma	3	153		Ohio	9	179
	Rhode Island		4		Pennsylvania	14	210
	Texas		336	Weight Lifting	Arkansas		69
	Utah	2	2		California	10	487
	Vermont	4	38		Delaware	2	58
	Washington	9	131		Florida	137	3,812
Canoeing	California	1	14		Georgia	22	586
	Hawaii	59	1,209		Michigan	22	339
Crew	California	15	264		Ohio	19	605
	Delaware	1	47		Vermont	2	20
	District of Columbia	1	42				
	Florida	8	181				
	Kentucky	4	7				
	Michigan	15	467				
	Ohio	10	173				
	Virginia	27	868				
Dance Team — HK/ Precision	Minnesota	126	3,377				
Dance Team — Jazz/Funk	Minnesota	139	3,552				
	California	4	22				
Decathlon	Ohio	1	3				
	California	3	40				
Equestrian	Michigan	75	536				
	Ohio	2	15				
Football — 6-player	California	1	3				
	Texas		26				
Football — 8-player	Arizona	1	2				
	Iowa		11				
	Kansas	1	2				
	Nebraska		3				
	Oklahoma	1	1				
	Vermont	3	38				
Heptathlon	Alabama	22	50				
	Arkansas		23				

2004-05 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2004-05 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS					
Basketball	19	157	15	74	231
Bowling	29	100	29	98	198
Floor Hockey	67	251	67	128	379
Soccer	56	213	56	161	374
Softball	56	174	56	148	322
Track	14	128	14	81	209
ARCHERY	18	366	15	251	617
BADMINTON	213	4,030	408	10,683	14,713
BASEBALL	15,161	459,717	140	1,015	460,732
BASKETBALL	17,482	545,497	17,175	456,543	1,002,040
BOWLING	1,768	20,534	1,676	18,717	39,251
CANOEING	57	1,111	60	1,239	2,350
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUAD	504	2,115	3,482	84,416	86,531
CREW	89	2,220	89	2,398	4,618
CROSS COUNTRY	12,727	201,719	12,345	170,450	372,169
DANCE TEAM			78	1,559	1,559
DANCE TEAM-HI KICK/PRECISION			134	3,599	3,599
DANCE TEAM-JAZZ/FUNK			147	3,681	3,681
DANCE/DRILL	1	1	59	931	932
EQUESTRIAN	31	76	86	773	849
FENCING	91	1,811	87	1,677	3,488
FIELD HOCKEY	5	85	1,684	62,980	63,065
FLAG FOOTBALL			110	3,538	3,538
FOOTBALL – 11-player	13,671	1,045,494	250	1,473	1,046,967
6-player	195	4,689	3	59	4,748
8-player	639	14,656	8	25	14,681
9-player	264	6,324	9	70	6,394
GOLF	13,152	161,025	8,249	64,245	225,270
GYMNASTICS	123	2,278	1,430	19,115	21,393
ICE HOCKEY	1,474	37,004	431	7,398	44,402
JUDO	41	605	38	294	899
LACROSSE	1,334	59,993	1,270	48,086	108,079
RIFLERY	242	2,462	211	1,285	3,747
SKIING — ALPINE	464	5,739	451	4,245	9,984
SKIING — CROSS COUNTRY	332	3,549	331	4,376	7,925
SKIING (XC & ALPINE)	98	1,190	93	996	2,186
SNOWBOARDING	55	818	50	579	1,397
SOCCER	10,392	354,587	9,695	316,104	670,691
SOFTBALL — FAST PITCH	49	918	14,493	364,759	365,677
SOFTBALL — SLOW PITCH	7	105	591	13,099	13,204
SWIMMING & DIVING	5,878	103,754	6,238	148,154	251,908
TEAM TENNIS	1,223	21,638	1,264	23,649	45,287
TENNIS	9,426	148,530	9,646	169,292	317,822
TRACK AND FIELD — INDOOR	2,295	56,626	2,220	51,878	108,504
TRACK AND FIELD — OUTDOOR	15,294	516,703	15,213	428,198	944,901
VOLLEYBALL	1,688	41,637	14,526	386,022	427,659
WEIGHT LIFTING	576	16,508	255	5,430	21,938
WRESTLING	9,562	243,009	941	4,334	247,343
OTHER	275	3,354	267	2,762	6,116

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS 2004-05 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,482	1.	Football – 11-Player	1,045,494
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,294	2.	Basketball	545,497
3.	Baseball	15,161	3.	Track and Field – Outdoor	516,703
4.	Football – 11-Player	13,671	4.	Baseball	459,717
5.	Golf	13,152	5.	Soccer	354,587
6.	Cross Country	12,727	6.	Wrestling	243,009
7.	Soccer	10,392	7.	Cross Country	201,719
8.	Wrestling	9,562	8.	Golf	161,025
9.	Tennis	9,426	9.	Tennis	148,530
10.	Swimming & Diving	5,878	10.	Swimming & Diving	103,754

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,175	1.	Basketball	456,543
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,213	2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	428,198
3.	Volleyball	14,526	3.	Volleyball	386,022
3.	Softball – Fast Pitch	14,493	4.	Softball – Fast Pitch	364,759
5.	Cross Country	12,345	5.	Soccer	316,104
6.	Soccer	9,695	6.	Cross Country	170,450
7.	Tennis	9,646	7.	Tennis	169,292
8.	Golf	8,249	8.	Swimming & Diving	148,154
9.	Swimming & Diving	6,238	9.	Competitive Spirit Squad	84,416
10.	Competitive Spirit Squad	3,482	10.	Golf	64,245

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total	Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total
1971-72	3,666,917	294,015	3,960,932	1989-90	3,398,192	1,858,659	5,256,851
1972-73	3,770,621	817,073	4,587,694	1990-91	3,406,355	1,892,316	5,298,671
1973-74	4,070,125	1,300,169	5,370,294	1991-92	3,429,853	1,940,801	5,370,654
1975-76	4,109,021	1,645,039	5,754,060	1992-93	3,416,389	1,997,489	5,413,878
1977-78	4,367,442	2,083,040	6,450,482	1993-94	3,472,967	2,130,315	5,603,282
1978-79	3,709,512	1,854,400	5,563,912	1994-95	3,536,359	2,240,461	5,776,820
1979-80	3,517,829	1,750,264	5,268,093	1995-96	3,634,052	2,367,936	6,001,988
1980-81	3,503,124	1,853,789	5,356,913	1996-97	3,706,225	2,474,043	6,180,268
1981-82	3,409,081	1,810,671	5,219,752	1997-98	3,763,120	2,570,333	6,333,453
1982-83	3,355,558	1,779,972	5,135,530	1998-99	3,832,352	2,652,726	6,485,078
1983-84	3,303,599	1,747,346	5,050,945	1999-00	3,861,749	2,675,874	6,537,623
1984-85	3,354,284	1,757,884	5,112,168	2000-01	3,921,069	2,784,154	6,705,223
1985-86	3,344,275	1,807,121	5,151,396	2001-02	3,960,517	2,806,998	6,767,515
1986-87	3,364,082	1,836,356	5,200,438	2002-03	3,988,738	2,856,358	6,845,096
1987-88	3,425,777	1,849,684	5,275,461	2003-04	4,038,253	2,865,299	6,903,552
1988-89	3,416,844	1,839,352	5,256,196	2004-05	4,110,319	2,908,390	7,018,709

2004-05 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹
1.	Texas	740,052	27.	Oregon	92,575
2.	California	678,019	28.	Louisiana	90,157
3.	New York	350,349	29.	Alabama	86,036
4.	Michigan	311,814	30.	Mississippi	84,877
5.	Illinois	310,791	30.	Nebraska	80,228
6.	Ohio	310,585	32.	South Carolina	79,777
7.	Pennsylvania	262,859	33.	Oklahoma	74,511
8.	Minnesota	233,070	34.	Maine	55,256
9.	New Jersey	228,388	35.	New Mexico	48,504
10.	Florida	219,040	36.	Utah	46,910
11.	Massachusetts	205,181	37.	Arkansas	46,315
12.	Wisconsin	189,787	38.	Idaho	44,512
13.	Missouri	167,481	39.	New Hampshire	43,418
14.	Virginia	164,426	40.	Nevada	38,096
15.	North Carolina	160,330	41.	Hawaii	34,758
16.	Indiana	159,496	42.	West Virginia	34,571
17.	Georgia	151,986	43.	Montana	33,338
18.	Iowa	140,333	44.	South Dakota	28,541
19.	Washington	137,888	45.	North Dakota	26,768
20.	Colorado	121,421	46.	Rhode Island	25,971
21.	Arizona	102,579	47.	Vermont	24,472
22.	Tennessee	101,768	48.	Alaska	19,357
23.	Connecticut	100,715	49.	Wyoming	17,302
24.	Maryland	100,305	50.	Delaware	16,631
25.	Kansas	99,111	51.	District of Columbia	4,087
26.	Kentucky	93,967	TOTAL		7,018,709

¹Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	382	8,805	409	11,785				
Alaska	28	655	114	1,998	7	70	13	42
Arizona	213	7,714	232	7,651			33	104
Arkansas	197	3,722	239	5,026	31	309	15	36
California	1,162	40,676	1,267	42,061	12	369	103	811
Colorado	272	8,523	315	8,930				
Connecticut	169	5,934	173	5,031				168
Delaware	45	1,034	47	988			8	31
District of Columbia	13	205	15	300			13	26
Florida	551	13,946	640	14,012	112	1,002		
Georgia	365	11,459	375	11,374			50	118
Hawaii	54	1,675	70	1,846	50	516	49	51
Idaho	97	2,562	146	4,181			14	45
Illinois	662	22,519	715	23,288	135	1,947		
Indiana	377	11,652	388	13,321				
Iowa	389	10,952	398	11,990	70	931	6	54
Kansas	214	5,952	364	9,751	28	168		
Kentucky	268	7,581	273	7,648	30	348	52	200
Louisiana	365	9,125	407	12,210	64	640		
Maine	129	3,628	143	4,103	3	50	26	40
Maryland	182	5,453	183	5,328	20	88		
Massachusetts	329	13,871	339	12,284				
Michigan	638	19,274	734	23,999	203	2,363		
Minnesota	427	13,873	460	14,427				
Mississippi	243	6,389	257	8,406	50	310		
Missouri	483	12,835	557	14,693				20
Montana			182	3,816				
Nebraska	47	1,617	313	8,341				
Nevada	84	2,250	95	2,991	28	310		
New Hampshire	86	2,817	87	2,606			11	33
New Jersey	403	13,275	409	13,361	232	2,884		
New Mexico	98	3,006	145	3,792				
New York	667	21,768	697	20,942	349	4,363		
North Carolina	336	9,722	352	9,856				
North Dakota	105	1,539	177	3,480				
Ohio	781	23,682	799	24,032	117	1,457		
Oklahoma	429	7,320	471	8,700			12	98
Oregon	230	5,942	289	7,806				
Pennsylvania	644	20,608	691	20,730	84	840		
Rhode Island	46	1,612	48	1,505				
South Carolina	193	5,897	196	6,696	8	55		
South Dakota			173	3,815				
Tennessee	350	8,790	361	8,975	135	1,514		
Texas	1,065	40,567	1,231	72,383				
Utah	108	2,760	120	3,248				
Vermont	64	1,683	70	1,893			10	16
Virginia	298	9,151	300	9,472			87	220
Washington	294	9,333	332	10,289				
West Virginia	129	2,951	136	2,395			2	2
Wisconsin	450	13,413	480	15,875				
Wyoming			68	1,867				

State	Cross Country		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	128	923	374	21,590	255	1,210		
Alaska	85	890	29	1,794			1	12
Arizona	175	2,600	182	17,057	167	1,840		
Arkansas	85	779	167	8,957	154	1,106	2	23
California	994	22,782	984	99,079	752	11,459	2	3
Colorado	215	3,305	217	15,686	189	2,502		
Connecticut	159	3,175	131	9,522	157	1,994		
Delaware	41	556	39	1,943	35	271		
District of Columbia	11	125	10	555	5	40		
Florida	469	5,828	468	36,119	433	4,054		
Georgia	329	5,067	355	27,047	342	3,064		
Hawaii	66	851	48	4,329	63	512		
Idaho	99	1,252	105	6,769	87	1,046		
Illinois	473	8,220	549	48,125	531	8,208	55	1,521
Indiana	371	5,186	311	22,043	367	4,540		
Iowa	308	4,149	354	19,873	364	6,780		
Kansas	237	2,936	254	14,289	262	3,666		
Kentucky	217	2,543	222	12,772	244	2,490	4	8
Louisiana	280	3,080	302	16,428	229	1,603	12	96
Maine	101	1,171	70	3,841	112	1,453		
Maryland	171	2,982	178	14,025	144	1,401	6	31
Massachusetts	274	5,279	286	20,877	282	4,271	8	239
Michigan	580	7,969	622	44,285	561	7,941	5	45
Minnesota	325	5,171	350	25,975	391	6,682		
Mississippi	130	2,781	237	17,863	175	1,753		
Missouri	295	4,866	327	21,818	318	4,474		
Montana	80	857	94	5,004	91	1,201		
Nebraska	183	2,277	179	11,188	234	3,345		
Nevada	64	731	68	6,531	70	830		
New Hampshire	69	992	48	3,305	71	998		12
New Jersey	376	6,278	354	24,917	315	3,763		
New Mexico	99	1,300	94	7,050	73	470		
New York	539	7,870	522	34,738	573	7,745	20	240
North Carolina	310	4,614	337	26,639	315	3,268		
North Dakota	61	506	82	3,114	134	1,330		
Ohio	556	8,651	718	46,550	714	8,989	4	34
Oklahoma	173	1,350	304	11,100	230	1,200		
Oregon	187	2,783	196	13,881	192	1,818		
Pennsylvania	523	5,230	570	25,650	546	5,460		
Rhode Island	42	856	41	2,813	40	480		
South Carolina	129	2,125	191	17,164	147	1,708		
South Dakota	122	796	77	3,946	124	1,373		
Tennessee	247	3,380	325	21,105	311	2,988		
Texas	1,181	28,689	1,007	159,261	1,158	12,755		
Utah	107	1,769	93	7,698	112	1,406		
Vermont	48	542	24	1,469	50	632		
Virginia	275	4,662	296	23,879	275	2,933	4	14
Washington	247	4,499	265	18,310	244	3,324		
West Virginia	77	753	125	5,378	106	1,046		
Wisconsin	378	5,330	431	29,522	371	6,926		
Wyoming	36	413	59	2,621	37	677		

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	24	627			12	153		
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California	1	24	95	3,608			37	617
Colorado	33	533	42	2,250			20	150
Connecticut	64	1,703	69	3,396				
Delaware			27	914				
District of Columbia							7	90
Florida			48	1,816				
Georgia			25	1,102	101	731		
Hawaii					43	515		
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	8	119	18	466	20	220		
Louisiana								
Maine	59	1,390	42	1,809	3	52	47	430
Maryland			130	4,918				
Massachusetts	209	7,353	141	7,068			74	1,102
Michigan	207	4,008	71	3,032	3	40	87	888
Minnesota	268	6,557					85	1,330
Mississippi								
Missouri	50	1,250	40	600				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada							13	177
New Hampshire	38	985	37	1,642			55	552
New Jersey	115	3,208	121	5,490				
New Mexico								
New York	139	2,895	244	14,200	18	289		
North Carolina			38	1,234				
North Dakota	26	578						
Ohio	84	2,040	42	2,086	3	72	2	41
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					38	380		
Rhode Island	36	854	14	499				
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	28	553	24	939	1	10	31	298
Virginia			63	2,789				
Washington								
West Virginia			3	135				
Wisconsin	85	2,327						
Wyoming							6	64

State	Skiing		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Cross Country Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			141	3,526	43	327	147	1,532
Alaska	32	392	28	873	27	315	12	159
Arizona			165	5,207	103	1,878	135	1,957
Arkansas			50	1,177	21	166	90	713
California			1,093	39,453	737	17,579	858	17,238
Colorado	20	153	161	5,965	111	1,605	110	2,372
Connecticut			170	6,539	92	1,786	140	2,314
Delaware			45	1,126	26	418	30	329
District of Columbia			8	175	3	38	11	67
Florida			502	13,392	333	5,085	433	4,027
Georgia			284	8,005	165	2,069		
Hawaii			53	1,474	54	425	61	778
Idaho			64	1,754			57	1,075
Illinois			385	16,764	241	5,848	307	7,330
Indiana			260	8,227	222	3,945	301	4,818
Iowa			111	5,042	52	1,077	114	2,141
Kansas			97	3,617	55	1,025	124	2,178
Kentucky	4	12	167	4,879	117	1,210	208	2,312
Louisiana			141	2,115	103	1,226	176	1,232
Maine	41	402	135	4,435	51	542	69	1,022
Maryland			168	5,861	81	1,104	170	2,435
Massachusetts	19	302	324	12,578	112	2,211	229	3,509
Michigan	4	45	453	14,562	251	5,201	350	8,723
Minnesota	107	1,383	198	8,240	143	2,974	193	4,552
Mississippi			110	3,519	45	1,282	186	1,811
Missouri			200	7,166	89	1,842	172	3,231
Montana			26	772	17	182	36	609
Nebraska			65	2,330	53	695	58	957
Nevada			62	1,946	49	625	47	555
New Hampshire	55	338	85	3,206	35	302	49	763
New Jersey	16	180	390	15,479	220	4,134	336	5,186
New Mexico			64	2,332	40	420	51	528
New York			641	23,274	276	4,813	491	9,321
North Carolina			301	9,269	199	2,580	258	3,275
North Dakota			17	601	15	258	18	262
Ohio			531	16,252	245	4,205	421	6,295
Oklahoma			117	1,850	42	450	171	1,390
Oregon			176	5,590	119	1,551	118	1,739
Pennsylvania			553	19,355	291	5,238	407	4,884
Rhode Island			44	1,567	36	267	39	752
South Carolina			139	4,095	66	819	109	1,346
South Dakota							20	335
Tennessee			230	5,776			251	2,366
Texas			485	21,976	391	6,356	1,120	15,718
Utah			82	2,692	73	1,333	80	1,348
Vermont	27	242	70	2,366			25	325
Virginia			252	8,432	156	2,889	156	2,889
Washington			226	8,154	110	2,496	196	4,234
West Virginia			66	1,633	39	371	82	762
Wisconsin			240	9,279	107	2,211	189	4,596
Wyoming	7	100	17	690	22	381	15	240

State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	52	668	286	6,168				
Alaska			42	1,095	39	202		
Arizona			192	7,560	51	1,264		
Arkansas	40	535	196	3,953			21	655
California			1,009	45,038	392	13,133	21	851
Colorado			261	8,654				
Connecticut	128	3,963	162	6,391	37	742		
Delaware	28	454	36	835				
District of Columbia	13	278	13	305				
Florida			491	13,706	113	1,901	201	4,691
Georgia			361	9,670			78	3,243
Hawaii			64	2,100	61	1,053		
Idaho			140	3,803				
Illinois			582	22,421	169	5,984		
Indiana			370	12,135				
Iowa			381	10,933				
Kansas			352	9,071				
Kentucky			238	5,282			50	1,967
Louisiana	115	1,265	404	8,484				
Maine	59	1,276	97	2,546	8	87	8	203
Maryland	162	4,203	176	5,569	37	511		
Massachusetts	205	7,558	279	11,649	80	1,875		
Michigan	24	582	642	23,375	6	165	23	936
Minnesota			432	13,836				
Mississippi	55	1,053	231	6,409			139	2,538
Missouri			444	12,466	40	1,077		
Montana			181	3,629				
Nebraska			311	8,900				
Nevada			82	3,115	24	772		
New Hampshire	51	1,057	73	2,313	8	183		
New Jersey	291	8,750	366	13,545	76	1,662		
New Mexico			146	5,840				
New York	358	9,145	591	18,624	171	3,627		
North Carolina	123	2,180	323	11,579				
North Dakota			156	2,199				
Ohio	161	3,510	749	23,973	51	1,053	29	1,424
Oklahoma	31	405	392	4,400				
Oregon			264	7,021				
Pennsylvania	144	2,160	565	18,080	186	3,348		
Rhode Island	33	1,193	36	1,476	24	522		
South Carolina			186	6,767				
South Dakota			172	3,337				
Tennessee			240	6,606				
Texas			1,227	79,130				
Utah			110	4,096				
Vermont	14	204	46	1,043				
Virginia	196	5,904	294	9,699	69	1,141		
Washington			303	10,681				
West Virginia			108	2,546				
Wisconsin			424	13,060	46	1,335		
Wyoming	12	283	68	1,590				

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	73	1,771
Alaska	70	1,150
Arizona	176	5,296
Arkansas		
California	728	23,318
Colorado	227	5,312
Connecticut	114	2,570
Delaware	40	726
District of Columbia		
Florida	341	8,199
Georgia	276	6,442
Hawaii	58	1,036
Idaho	97	2,300
Illinois	396	14,874
Indiana	306	7,938
Iowa	300	6,457
Kansas	193	4,825
Kentucky	70	1,489
Louisiana	68	1,224
Maine	56	1,002
Maryland	169	4,309
Massachusetts	149	4,190
Michigan	459	11,610
Minnesota	351	8,677
Mississippi	1	52
Missouri	210	6,691
Montana	87	1,565
Nebraska	238	4,716
Nevada	74	2,191
New Hampshire	35	714
New Jersey	326	8,455
New Mexico	52	960
New York	462	12,879
North Carolina	264	7,323
North Dakota	74	959
Ohio	535	12,853
Oklahoma	125	2,400
Oregon	193	4,931
Pennsylvania	479	8,622
Rhode Island	36	954
South Carolina	114	3,939
South Dakota	99	1,412
Tennessee	151	3,855
Texas	205	5,776
Utah	96	3,075
Vermont	22	247
Virginia	245	6,523
Washington	241	7,138
West Virginia	84	1,516
Wisconsin	349	7,436
Wyoming	48	1,112

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Basketball	Georgia	19	157		Iowa	40	1,117
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	28	90		Kansas	103	2,294
	Vermont	1	10		Missouri	19	407
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	56	213		Montana	59	962
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	55	164		Nebraska	121	3,177
	Vermont	1	10		Nevada	22	466
Adapted Track	Georgia	14	128		Oklahoma	72	1,520
Badminton	Alaska	1	1		Oregon	48	590
	California	153	3,521		Vermont	5	175
	Florida	14	160	Football – 9-player	Washington	33	638
	Kentucky	4	52		California	5	166
	Maryland	34	181		Michigan	11	705
	New York	7	115		Minnesota	84	2,530
Canoeing	California	1	4		Mississippi	1	63
	Hawaii	55	1,101		North Dakota	70	1,027
	Maine	1	6		South Dakota	93	1,833
Crew	California	7	280	Judo	Hawaii	39	583
	Delaware	2	51		Kentucky	2	22
	District of Columbia	1	15	Rodeo	Arkansas	4	6
	Florida	9	228		Iowa	10	28
	Kentucky	3	21	Snowboarding	California	37	617
	Maine	2	34		Maine	4	69
	Michigan	21	500		Vermont	14	132
	Ohio	12	179	Softball – Fast Pitch	Alaska	1	1
	Virginia	30	880		Arkansas	2	33
	West Virginia	2	32		California	15	388
Decathlon	Alabama	28	74		Maine	3	77
	Arkansas	11	18		Michigan	3	56
	California	4	19		Missouri	20	270
	Connecticut	41	72	Softball – Slow Pitch	Vermont	5	93
	Maine	1	15		California	5	68
	Ohio	3	11		Ohio	2	37
	Vermont	3	8	Team Tennis	Georgia	337	3,638
Equestrian	Maine	1	1		Hawaii	61	778
	Michigan	28	66		Maine	24	315
	Ohio	2	9		Minnesota	193	4,552
Fencing	California	15	186		Missouri	172	3,231
	Kentucky	4	42		Texas	434	9,093
	New Jersey	35	1,008		Vermont	2	31
	New York	24	498	Water Polo	California	447	12,570
	Ohio	12	71		Florida	65	945
	Vermont	1	6		Hawaii	9	141
Field Hockey	California	2	52		Illinois	62	1,806
	Maine	1	1		Michigan	19	461
	Maryland		1		Missouri	21	541
	Massachusetts		15		Ohio	7	133
	Vermont	2	16	Weight Lifting	Pennsylvania	15	225
Football – 6-player	Arkansas	1	201		Arkansas	21	655
	California	4	47		California	21	851
	Colorado	20	330		Florida	207	4,691
	Maine	1	7		Georgia	78	3,243
	Montana	25	247		Kentucky	50	1,967
	Nebraska	8	127		Maine	8	203
	New Mexico	22	220		Michigan	23	936
	Texas	114	3,510		Mississippi	139	2,538
Football – 8-player	Arizona	27	686		Ohio	29	1,424
	California	46	1,623				
	Colorado	14	210				
	Idaho	30	791				

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	409	5,492					128	838
Alaska	108	1,715	7	64	27	478	85	733
Arizona	224	6,292			108	3,253	175	2,119
Arkansas	238	4,217			81	1,286	85	671
California	1,207	33,596	13	192	374	10,899	994	18,159
Colorado	315	7,923			227	5,693	215	2,718
Connecticut	174	4,162			143	2,016	159	2,295
Delaware	49	615			24	198	41	358
District of Columbia	15	218			13	225	11	115
Florida	581	10,998	144	1,469			469	5,574
Georgia	374	9,171			232	4,929	329	3,869
Hawaii	64	1,585	52	507	49	574	66	889
Idaho	145	3,628			75	1,125	99	972
Illinois	662	17,871	200	3,010	59	911	473	7,539
Indiana	383	10,316					371	4,484
Iowa	397	8,934	70	668	57	2,535	308	3,632
Kansas	360	7,975	27	162			237	2,432
Kentucky	268	6,113	30	331	254	4,827	217	2,123
Louisiana	397	9,925	53	530			280	1,530
Maine	141	3,509	3	39	87	1,876	101	1,004
Maryland	184	4,678	20	135			171	2,142
Massachusetts	340	10,396					274	4,341
Michigan	720	20,541	194	1,942	187	4,628	580	7,063
Minnesota	454	13,229					325	4,573
Mississippi	257	6,307	50	521			130	1,460
Missouri	535	12,432			160	2,400	295	4,100
Montana	182	3,433					80	783
Nebraska	314	7,172					183	1,738
Nevada	92	2,439	28	289			64	608
New Hampshire	87	2,228			67	1,914	69	870
New Jersey	405	10,150	208	1,899			376	4,416
New Mexico	142	3,468			111	2,640	99	1,260
New York	688	17,850	207	3,024			539	6,348
North Carolina	352	8,032			339	13,731	310	4,066
North Dakota	179	2,777					61	373
Ohio	800	18,338	108	1,043			556	7,243
Oklahoma	471	7,600			178	1,870	173	1,275
Oregon	286	6,580			66	851	187	2,139
Pennsylvania	692	20,760	89	890			523	5,270
Rhode Island	48	1,170					42	616
South Carolina	196	5,049	8	46	86	2,456	129	1,540
South Dakota	171	3,072			17	173	122	669
Tennessee	362	6,621	131	1,263			247	2,616
Texas	1,222	70,232					1,181	28,101
Utah	118	2,807					107	1,347
Vermont	68	1,692			30	469	48	482
Virginia	294	7,896			298	10,258	275	3,731
Washington	325	8,663	34	693			247	3,064
West Virginia	135	2,122			133	2,201	77	603
Wisconsin	477	12,943					378	5,250
Wyoming	68	1,611					36	309

State	Field Hockey		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					153	457		
Alaska			7	10			9	111
Arizona			22	33	119	769		
Arkansas			3	4	100	440	14	119
California	87	2,952	107	253	699	5,972	43	896
Colorado	18	601		50	130	1,573	46	684
Connecticut	76	3,349		8	34	471	59	434
Delaware	42	864			7	37		
District of Columbia					5	15		
Florida				16	362	2,245		
Georgia			24	88	272	1,267	34	384
Hawaii			15	15	55	196		
Idaho			7	7	81	508		
Illinois					356	2,878	89	1,656
Indiana					259	3,030	86	1,018
Iowa				61	329	3,896		
Kansas			4	4	93	991	17	226
Kentucky	20	763	5	14	184	1,136	8	111
Louisiana					126	504	23	253
Maine	77	2,862	9	12	43	68	1	12
Maryland	120	4,097		8	106	223	6	82
Massachusetts	199	8,567		32	26	451	86	1,241
Michigan	15	631			312	3,677	84	860
Minnesota				5	381	5,023	186	3,103
Mississippi					15	236		
Missouri	26	1,261			151	1,653	3	16
Montana			3	4	91	534		
Nebraska				21	132	1,520		
Nevada					62	506		
New Hampshire	56	2,029		27	34	43	29	174
New Jersey	226	9,358		62	204	784	68	969
New Mexico					69	430		
New York	232	8,619			109	1,211	115	1,556
North Carolina	12	273			115	782		
North Dakota			2	12	103	567	18	90
Ohio	32	1,162		18	224	2,313	92	1,058
Oklahoma			6	5	215	900		
Oregon					165	1,067		
Pennsylvania	277	9,695			187	1,870	25	250
Rhode Island	21	605		4	1	49	23	159
South Carolina					55	394		
South Dakota			3	3	110	756	29	298
Tennessee					250	883		
Texas				503	1,145	7,688		
Utah					46	89		
Vermont	31	1,175	5	80	30	125	11	121
Virginia	117	4,117	17	20	103	207	71	789
Washington			9	92	223	1,925	61	1,237
West Virginia			2	2	2	3		
Wisconsin					140	1,690	86	1,128
Wyoming					36	193	8	80

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Skiing Alpine		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	18	120					33	434
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California			74	2,286	36	432		
Colorado		11	35	1,371	20	150	20	150
Connecticut		14	61	2,812				
Delaware			21	493				
District of Columbia			2	45	7	125		
Florida			43	1,418				
Georgia			25	1,005				
Hawaii								
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	1	17	14	294			3	66
Louisiana								
Maine	29	226	40	1,340	43	290	41	316
Maryland			116	3,432				
Massachusetts	59	1,576	101	5,230	68	842	19	322
Michigan	16	294	43	1,435	88	790	4	50
Minnesota	232	4,161	15	636	83	767	110	2,207
Mississippi								
Missouri			40	600				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					12	113		
New Hampshire		72	33	1,234	55	405	55	309
New Jersey	16	55	139	6,113			13	159
New Mexico								
New York			211	9,899				
North Carolina			26	599				
North Dakota	19	182						
Ohio		5	37	1,638	4	55		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania			94	3,008				
Rhode Island	10	167	15	453				
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	23	371	26	778	29	231	26	269
Virginia			56	1,862				
Washington								
West Virginia			3	105				
Wisconsin	8	127						
Wyoming					6	45	7	94

State	Soccer		Softball Slow Pitch		Softball Fast Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	117	2,999			382	6,112	41	351
Alaska	28	888			26	584	28	486
Arizona	158	4,602			207	6,369	103	2,674
Arkansas	46	882			206	3,381	23	169
California	1,070	37,424	25	524	1,077	29,531	760	24,508
Colorado	178	6,260			158	3,998	111	3,765
Connecticut	145	5,263			173	4,653	94	3,024
Delaware	37	853			39	720	28	535
District of Columbia	6	113			12	198	3	47
Florida	455	12,927	42	776	523	10,352	338	7,711
Georgia	289	7,776	23	516	357	7,848	173	3,161
Hawaii	52	1,639			28	1,063	57	651
Idaho	60	1,592			96	2,250		
Illinois	345	13,932			639	17,130	264	6,825
Indiana	224	6,687			357	10,070	227	4,730
Iowa	78	3,571			386	8,479	58	1,688
Kansas	67	2,394			205	4,898	61	1,465
Kentucky	173	4,675	20	436	248	5,802	124	1,881
Louisiana	129	1,935			364	5,460	100	800
Maine	132	3,886			126	3,050	53	1,005
Maryland	169	5,151			180	4,885	81	1,834
Massachusetts	295	12,047			330	10,916	130	4,138
Michigan	409	13,675			613	16,658	258	6,879
Minnesota	195	7,933			415	12,789	195	7,012
Mississippi	99	1,986	114	5,280	172	4,430	45	1,793
Missouri	183	6,486			460	9,984	105	2,655
Montana	26	791			60	1,147	19	326
Nebraska	71	2,204			107	2,161	54	996
Nevada	62	1,940			81	2,010	48	1,165
New Hampshire	76	2,742			85	2,284	37	666
New Jersey	371	12,533			408	11,044	231	6,054
New Mexico	62	2,222			80	2,358	40	430
New York	637	22,806			679	18,793	317	7,480
North Carolina	268	7,612			332	7,529	202	3,936
North Dakota	17	671					16	335
Ohio	451	13,213	13	271	774	18,803	297	6,427
Oklahoma	112	1,700	339	5,050	415	7,000	41	550
Oregon	147	4,738			215	5,160	125	2,255
Pennsylvania	479	16,765			643	22,505	304	5,472
Rhode Island	45	1,417	8	157	39	936	35	561
South Carolina	109	3,147			188	4,537	66	1,095
South Dakota								
Tennessee	223	5,230			347	6,324		
Texas	470	18,506			976	27,619	392	6,356
Utah	76	2,438			91	2,091	71	1,317
Vermont	70	2,232	7	89	55	1,309		
Virginia	246	7,194			293	7,765	160	4,005
Washington	226	7,808			281	7,609	125	3,602
West Virginia	63	1,457			126	2,603	39	618
Wisconsin	232	8,524			439	11,562	135	4,118
Wyoming	17	638					24	603

State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	152	1,549	41	419	283	4,274	330	5,114
Alaska	12	195			40	861	100	1,719
Arizona	138	2,373			190	5,444	223	6,770
Arkansas	88	764	39	375	184	2,561	83	1,695
California	890	19,847			1,014	36,113	1,158	34,015
Colorado	110	4,085			261	6,516	310	9,228
Connecticut	137	3,097	124	3,900	160	5,842	144	3,908
Delaware	31	387	29	499	38	610	41	738
District of Columbia	11	44	13	264	13	296	12	128
Florida	450	4,533			487	11,510	560	11,790
Georgia					359	8,102	231	5,127
Hawaii	64	943			64	1,374	66	1,718
Idaho	57	1,171			139	2,859	144	3,875
Illinois	311	7,762			572	16,197	684	21,591
Indiana	398	4,799			369	9,839	386	10,718
Iowa	118	3,275			376	9,205	395	12,796
Kansas	126	2,390			351	6,934	357	9,425
Kentucky	212	2,706			240	4,404	240	5,325
Louisiana	165	1,155	90	900	369	4,059	199	4,378
Maine	71	1,215	62	1,142	98	2,237	23	450
Maryland	162	2,480	162	3,579	175	4,618	166	3,962
Massachusetts	240	4,313	200	7,216	272	11,115	221	6,128
Michigan	340	9,439	23	531	633	18,188	698	21,564
Minnesota	228	5,866			431	14,045	447	15,529
Mississippi	186	1,620	50	486	231	4,583	60	1,726
Missouri	171	3,353			447	11,057	419	10,653
Montana	56	960			181	2,589	176	3,907
Nebraska	62	1,305			312	7,307	314	8,091
Nevada	47	666			78	2,319	93	2,551
New Hampshire	51	897	49	1,124	71	2,217	56	1,346
New Jersey	356	6,471	287	7,984	369	11,916	225	5,706
New Mexico	51	538			144	5,760	139	3,480
New York	429	8,512	353	9,450	593	18,734	596	15,153
North Carolina	300	3,788	120	1,934	319	8,670	348	7,839
North Dakota	20	455			164	1,927	166	3,487
Ohio	405	6,999	149	2,916	747	20,999	796	19,454
Oklahoma	115	880	25	320	395	3,950	82	1,200
Oregon	124	2,237			264	5,267	281	7,070
Pennsylvania	417	5,004	150	2,250	564	18,048	539	9,702
Rhode Island	43	874	33	1,134	40	1,407	41	897
South Carolina	129	1,692			184	5,206	182	4,004
South Dakota	22	285			172	2,632	159	3,793
Tennessee	258	2,883			241	5,287	292	5,306
Texas	1,120	16,011			1,228	65,856	969	33,992
Utah	81	1,287			112	3,321	117	2,772
Vermont	25	449	14	210	46	1,060	1	5
Virginia	160	4,005	195	4,955	293	8,081	287	7,015
Washington	204	6,538			303	8,259	319	9,099
West Virginia	84	947			109	2,248	111	2,095
Wisconsin	203	5,958			420	10,978	472	16,199
Wyoming	16	290	12	290	68	1,317	68	1,789

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama		
Alaska	32	72
Arizona	57	139
Arkansas		
California	322	1,230
Colorado		61
Connecticut		62
Delaware		
District of Columbia		
Florida	16	216
Georgia	43	147
Hawaii	60	406
Idaho	10	15
Illinois		
Indiana		
Iowa		29
Kansas	26	42
Kentucky	14	33
Louisiana		
Maine	24	54
Maryland	9	70
Massachusetts		74
Michigan		
Minnesota		11
Mississippi		
Missouri		
Montana	8	20
Nebraska		31
Nevada		
New Hampshire		19
New Jersey	1	84
New Mexico		
New York		
North Carolina		
North Dakota	8	17
Ohio		62
Oklahoma	7	12
Oregon		
Pennsylvania		
Rhode Island		15
South Carolina		
South Dakota	3	7
Tennessee		
Texas	161	1,153
Utah	4	4
Vermont	5	13
Virginia	43	76
Washington	80	152
West Virginia	3	3
Wisconsin		
Wyoming	5	5

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	28	83	Football – 8-player	Arizona	1	1
	Vermont	1	15		California	1	1
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	67	128		Iowa		11
	Minnesota	56	161		Kansas	1	1
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	55	133		Nebraska		6
	Vermont	1	15		Oklahoma	1	1
Adapted Softball	Alaska	1	2		Vermont	2	2
	Arizona	44	907		Washington	2	2
Badminton	California	177	4,500	Heptathlon	Alabama	21	52
	Florida	14	167		Arkansas	7	10
	Illinois	80	3,040		California	2	2
	Kentucky	3	37		Connecticut	48	100
	Maryland	34	519		Vermont	1	3
	Minnesota	17	593	Judo	Hawaii	36	279
	New York	38	918		Kentucky	2	15
Baseball	Alaska	3	6	Riflery	Alaska	12	73
	Arizona	10	20		Georgia	88	255
	Arkansas	4	59		Hawaii	44	445
	California	32	417		Kentucky	17	87
	Colorado		104		Maine	3	7
	Connecticut		5		Michigan	2	14
	Florida		11		New York	8	39
	Georgia	14	43		Ohio	1	4
	Hawaii	54	58		Pennsylvania	35	350
	Kentucky	3	32		Vermont	1	11
	Maine	5	30	Rodeo	Arkansas	4	6
	Maryland		10		Iowa	10	29
	Massachusetts		5	Snowboarding	California	36	432
	Minnesota		19		Maine	4	43
	Nebraska		6		Vermont	10	104
	North Dakota	7	16	Synchronized Swimming	Minnesota	19	441
	Ohio		95	Team Tennis	Georgia	341	4,243
	Oklahoma		15		Hawaii	64	943
	Utah	3	12		Maine	25	435
	Vermont	1	3		Minnesota	228	5,866
	Washington	4	49		Missouri	171	3,353
Canoeing	California	1	9		Texas	434	8,792
	Hawaii	58	1,221		Vermont	1	17
Crew	Ohio	1	9	Water Polo	California	465	13,099
	California	7	251		Florida	68	1,071
	Delaware	2	48		Hawaii	27	488
	District of Columbia	1	35		Illinois	60	1,594
	Florida	9	208		Michigan	25	596
	Kentucky	5	79		Ohio	9	183
	Maine	3	28		Pennsylvania	14	210
	Michigan	18	552	Weight Lifting	Arkansas	2	26
	Ohio	11	180		California	8	177
	Virginia	31	973		Florida	151	3,399
	West Virginia	2	44		Georgia	22	586
Dance Team-Jazz/Funk	Minnesota	147	3,681		Kentucky	15	346
	California	7	82		Maine	6	80
Decathlon	Maine	1	17		Michigan	14	221
	Ohio	1	4		Mississippi	26	220
	Vermont	2	4		Ohio	11	375
Equestrian	Maine	1	4				
	Michigan	81	735				
	Ohio	4	34				
Football – 6-player	California	3	30				
	Texas		29				

2005-06 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By
THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS
Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2005-06 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS					
Basketball	14	157	11	89	246
Bowling	55	232	55	149	381
Floor Hockey	121	512	120	332	844
Soccer	113	471	113	341	812
Softball	107	469	107	361	830
Track	16	181	14	129	310
ARCHERY	18	366	15	251	617
BADMINTON	211	4,042	410	10,804	14,846
BASEBALL	15,290	470,671	94	1,382	472,053
BASKETBALL	17,535	546,335	17,275	452,929	999,264
BOWLING	1,954	21,963	1,871	20,138	42,101
CANOEING	60	1,244	62	1,337	2,581
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUAD	488	2,366	3,914	98,570	100,936
CREW	99	2,367	99	2,535	4,902
CROSS COUNTRY	13,110	208,303	12,989	175,954	384,257
DANCE/DRILL	7	83	62	894	977
EQUESTRIAN	37	105	115	904	1,009
FENCING	92	1,879	88	1,644	3,523
FIELD HOCKEY	27	716	1,668	62,299	63,015
FLAG FOOTBALL	3	69	147	4,396	4,465
FOOTBALL — 11-player	13,727	1,071,775	257	1,173	1,072,948
6-player	199	4,587	8	79	4,666
8-player	649	15,182	7	10	15,192
9-player	257	5,971	2	2	5,973
GOLF	13,267	161,284	8,816	64,195	225,479
GYMNASTICS	131	2,287	1,484	17,435	19,722
ICE HOCKEY	1,503	36,263	445	7,152	43,415
JUDO	43	647	43	326	973
LACROSSE	1,395	65,044	1,349	51,977	117,021
RIFLERY	213	2,049	182	985	3,034
SKIING — ALPINE	484	5,490	471	4,261	9,751
SKIING — CROSS COUNTRY	332	3,548	319	3,779	7,327
SKIING (XC & ALPINE)	98	1,190	93	996	2,186
SNOWBOARDING	66	1,099	65	711	1,810
SOCCER	10,580	358,935	9,970	321,555	680,490
SOFTBALL — FAST PITCH	37	696	14,710	369,094	369,790
SOFTBALL — SLOW PITCH	7	86	524	11,897	11,983
SWIMMING & DIVING	6,224	107,468	6,559	147,413	254,881
TEAM TENNIS	1,138	20,615	1,178	22,529	43,144
TENNIS	9,706	153,006	9,816	173,753	326,759
TRACK AND FIELD — INDOOR	2,394	59,677	2,308	58,143	117,820
TRACK AND FIELD — OUTDOOR	15,497	533,985	15,417	439,200	973,185
VOLLEYBALL	1,726	42,878	14,578	390,034	432,912
WATER POLO	658	17,061	678	17,442	34,503
WEIGHT LIFTING	587	18,751	296	6,095	24,846
WRESTLING	9,744	251,534	1,081	4,975	256,509
OTHER	530	5,820	264	2,706	8,526

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS 2005-06 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,535	1.	Football – 11-Player	1,071,775
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,497	2.	Basketball	546,335
3.	Baseball	15,290	3.	Track and Field – Outdoor	533,985
4.	Football – 11-Player	13,727	4.	Baseball	470,671
5.	Golf	13,267	5.	Soccer	358,935
6.	Cross Country	13,110	6.	Wrestling	251,534
7.	Soccer	10,580	7.	Cross Country	208,303
8.	Wrestling	9,744	8.	Golf	161,284
9.	Tennis	9,706	9.	Tennis	153,006
10.	Swimming & Diving	6,224	10.	Swimming & Diving	107,468

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,275	1.	Basketball	452,929
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,417	2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	439,200
3.	Softball – Fast Pitch	14,710	3.	Volleyball	390,034
4.	Volleyball	14,578	4.	Softball – Fast Pitch	369,094
5.	Cross Country	12,989	5.	Soccer	321,555
6.	Soccer	9,970	6.	Cross Country	175,954
7.	Tennis	9,816	7.	Tennis	173,753
8.	Golf	8,816	8.	Swimming & Diving	147,413
9.	Swimming & Diving	6,559	9.	Competitive Spirit Squad	98,570
10.	Competitive Spirit Squad	3,914	10.	Golf	64,195

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total	Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total
1971-72	3,666,917	294,015	3,960,932	1990-91	3,406,355	1,892,316	5,298,671
1972-73	3,770,621	817,073	4,587,694	1991-92	3,429,853	1,940,801	5,370,654
1973-74	4,070,125	1,300,169	5,370,294	1992-93	3,416,389	1,997,489	5,413,878
1975-76	4,109,021	1,645,039	5,754,060	1993-94	3,472,967	2,130,315	5,603,282
1977-78	4,367,442	2,083,040	6,450,482	1994-95	3,536,359	2,240,461	5,776,820
1978-79	3,709,512	1,854,400	5,563,912	1995-96	3,634,052	2,367,936	6,001,988
1979-80	3,517,829	1,750,264	5,268,093	1996-97	3,706,225	2,474,043	6,180,268
1980-81	3,503,124	1,853,789	5,356,913	1997-98	3,763,120	2,570,333	6,333,453
1981-82	3,409,081	1,810,671	5,219,752	1998-99	3,832,352	2,652,726	6,485,078
1982-83	3,355,558	1,779,972	5,135,530	1999-00	3,861,749	2,675,874	6,537,623
1983-84	3,303,599	1,747,346	5,050,945	2000-01	3,921,069	2,784,154	6,705,223
1984-85	3,354,284	1,757,884	5,112,168	2001-02	3,960,517	2,806,998	6,767,515
1985-86	3,344,275	1,807,121	5,151,396	2002-03	3,988,738	2,856,358	6,845,096
1986-87	3,364,082	1,836,356	5,200,438	2003-04	4,038,253	2,865,299	6,903,552
1987-88	3,425,777	1,849,684	5,275,461	2004-05	4,110,319	2,908,390	7,018,709
1988-89	3,416,844	1,839,352	5,256,196	2005-06	4,206,549	2,953,355	7,159,904
1989-90	3,398,192	1,858,659	5,256,851				

2005-06 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹	Rank	State	Total Number of Participants ¹
1.	Texas	742,341	27.	Oregon	95,334
2.	California	678,019	28.	Louisiana	90,157
3.	New York	350,349	29.	Alabama	86,887
4.	Illinois	323,703	30.	Mississippi	86,251
5.	Michigan	321,250	31.	South Carolina	83,715
6.	Ohio	316,529	32.	Nebraska	80,668
7.	Pennsylvania	267,147	33.	Oklahoma	74,290
8.	New Jersey	243,260	34.	Maine	56,688
9.	Florida	214,023	35.	Arkansas	52,250
10.	Minnesota	213,476	36.	New Mexico	48,504
11.	Massachusetts	210,516	37.	Utah	47,711
12.	Wisconsin	195,935	38.	Idaho	45,004
13.	North Carolina	175,582	39.	New Hampshire	44,179
14.	Missouri	169,749	40.	Nevada	39,059
15.	Virginia	169,009	41.	West Virginia	34,957
16.	Georgia	163,137	42.	Hawaii	33,956
17.	Washington	160,289	43.	Montana	33,714
18.	Indiana	159,798	44.	South Dakota	28,592
19.	Iowa	146,105	45.	North Dakota	26,464
20.	Colorado	122,795	46.	Rhode Island	25,757
21.	Arizona	105,797	47.	Delaware	23,682
22.	Maryland	104,348	48.	Vermont	22,712
23.	Tennessee	103,687	49.	Alaska	22,653
24.	Connecticut	103,145	50.	Wyoming	17,685
25.	Kansas	98,722	51.	District of Columbia	3,867
26.	Kentucky	96,457	TOTAL		7,159,904

¹Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	385	8,874	407	11,727				
Alaska	31	663	153	2,528	10	118	15	117
Arizona	217	7,543	233	7,648			43	115
Arkansas	219	4,419	254	5,651	35	396	25	96
California	1,162	40,676	1,267	42,061	12	369	103	811
Colorado	276	8,483	323	8,558				255
Connecticut	172	6,044	176	5,141			13	41
Delaware	44	1,372	45	1,218			2	2
District of Columbia	13	195	15	295				
Florida	512	12,992	543	12,686	118	1,041		
Georgia	376	12,043	385	11,359			22	149
Hawaii	52	1,616	69	1,699	51	557	15	54
Idaho	95	2,502	146	4,029			19	82
Illinois	672	23,419	719	23,224	152	2,166		
Indiana	386	11,402	397	13,916				
Iowa	385	11,562	392	12,021	89	1,002		
Kansas	218	6,057	359	9,756				
Kentucky	269	7,609	275	7,704	30	348	52	200
Louisiana	365	9,125	407	12,210	64	640		
Maine	134	3,850	143	4,167	8	104	24	34
Maryland	184	5,542	186	5,156	18	143		
Massachusetts	331	13,178	341	12,143				
Michigan	648	19,430	741	24,424	249	2,889		
Minnesota	429	13,778	464	14,091				
Mississippi	245	6,490	260	8,480	55	330		
Missouri	486	13,138	561	14,585				25
Montana			181	3,924				
Nebraska	51	1,841	310	8,350				
Nevada	84	2,237	99	2,795	30	350		
New Hampshire	86	2,682	87	2,609			6	24
New Jersey	403	14,789	409	13,416	232	2,948		
New Mexico	98	3,006	145	3,792				
New York	667	21,768	697	20,942	349	4,363		
North Carolina	355	9,904	361	11,129				
North Dakota	99	1,461	166	3,382				
Ohio	794	23,645	807	24,268	205	1,595		
Oklahoma	429	7,380	471	8,750			12	40
Oregon	228	6,407	286	7,681				
Pennsylvania	651	20,832	696	20,880	105	1,050		
Rhode Island	48	1,601	47	1,430				
South Carolina	195	5,996	199	6,793	7	52		
South Dakota			177	3,709			2	9
Tennessee	348	8,676	360	9,080	134	1,488		
Texas	1,071	40,687	1,232	71,681				
Utah	107	2,872	120	3,175				
Vermont	54	1,487	56	1,710	1	14	13	33
Virginia	300	9,130	301	9,500			84	236
Washington	339	10,699	381	11,713				
West Virginia	128	2,909	134	2,492			1	1
Wisconsin	449	18,660	484	14,866				
Wyoming			68	1,791			37	42

State	Cross Country		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	140	1,010	374	21,590	254	1,205		
Alaska	106	1,113	30	2,033			1	1
Arizona	173	2,629	180	18,012	171	1,834		
Arkansas	92	1,045	179	10,394	172	1,259	1	8
California	994	22,782	984	99,079	752	11,459	2	3
Colorado	217	3,239	217	16,601	124	2,506		
Connecticut	163	3,297	134	9,814	160	1,983		
Delaware	38	703	40	2,818	40	415		
District of Columbia	12	135	11	585	5	35		
Florida	468	5,915	466	37,733	469	4,097		
Georgia	343	5,689	360	29,799	345	3,144		
Hawaii	68	983	47	4,729	60	513	2	20
Idaho	96	1,273	100	7,147	86	1,017		
Illinois	492	9,153	554	48,294	536	8,165	59	1,494
Indiana	375	4,893	316	22,576	379	4,445		
Iowa	309	4,283	317	20,479	365	6,543		
Kansas	226	2,922	240	13,940	250	3,562		
Kentucky	225	2,637	224	12,887	253	2,582	4	8
Louisiana	280	3,080	302	16,428	229	1,603	12	96
Maine	102	1,270	72	3,969	117	1,483	2	5
Maryland	181	3,075	180	14,579	150	1,523	6	46
Massachusetts	275	5,525	287	22,037	284	4,213	7	171
Michigan	576	7,880	635	46,489	566	7,954		
Minnesota	329	5,408	361	25,570	387	6,224		
Mississippi	130	2,801	237	18,220	175	1,788		
Missouri	313	4,960	325	21,911	328	4,504		
Montana	81	886	87	4,889	92	1,109		
Nebraska	190	2,294	179	11,347	230	3,102		
Nevada	69	788	70	6,745	70	805		
New Hampshire	70	992	51	3,528	70	994		12
New Jersey	376	6,562	354	26,764	315	4,081		11
New Mexico	99	1,300	94	7,050	73	470		
New York	539	7,870	522	34,738	573	7,745	20	240
North Carolina	325	5,042	348	28,074	340	3,335		
North Dakota	56	464	86	3,179	127	1,318		
Ohio	710	8,697	717	47,037	744	8,931	5	51
Oklahoma	173	1,350	305	11,250	231	1,250		
Oregon	203	2,943	195	13,370	193	2,067		
Pennsylvania	527	5,270	573	25,785	545	5,450	4	40
Rhode Island	42	901	41	2,986	40	475		
South Carolina	140	2,295	195	17,928	152	1,712		
South Dakota	130	856	68	3,764	126	1,301		
Tennessee	256	3,490	326	21,772	318	2,807		
Texas	1,187	29,074	1,003	159,250	1,151	12,514		
Utah	110	1,938	93	7,672	110	1,396		
Vermont	44	496	29	1,813	47	576	1	13
Virginia	277	4,765	298	24,855	276	2,956	5	68
Washington	288	5,356	304	21,529	277	3,689		
West Virginia	77	747	125	5,413	102	997		
Wisconsin	381	5,764	434	30,568	371	7,546		
Wyoming	37	463	58	2,756	37	602		

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Alpine	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	28	673			17	192		
Arizona								
Arkansas					2	13		
California	1	24	95	3,608			37	617
Colorado	20	684	43	2,561			30	165
Connecticut	65	1,672	73	3,652				
Delaware	7	153	36	1,327				
District of Columbia							7	85
Florida	2	37	36	1,388				
Georgia			37	1,549	102	741		
Hawaii					3	36		
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	8	119	18	466	20	220		
Louisiana								
Maine	58	1,380	43	1,880	3	25	53	430
Maryland			137	5,419				
Massachusetts	212	7,431	148	7,505			70	1,060
Michigan	233	4,083	81	3,328	4	51	91	919
Minnesota	268	5,438					91	1,007
Mississippi								
Missouri	50	1,250	40	600				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada							13	175
New Hampshire	38	968	38	1,768			56	586
New Jersey	115	3,194	121	6,696				
New Mexico								
New York	139	2,895	244	14,200	18	289		
North Carolina			46	1,842				
North Dakota	26	568						
Ohio	87	1,993	45	2,346	3	72	3	71
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					41	410		
Rhode Island	35	845	14	496				
South Carolina			9	309				
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	25	530	24	1,058			27	305
Virginia			67	3,046				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	86	2,326						
Wyoming							6	70

State	Skiing Cross Country		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			145	3,626	41	311	150	1,563
Alaska	37	505	31	989	29	344	16	230
Arizona			170	5,639	106	2,021	136	2,062
Arkansas			61	1,466	22	161	95	840
California			1,093	39,453	737	17,579	858	17,238
Colorado	15	98	163	5,889	110	1,835	136	2,651
Connecticut			172	6,707	93	1,787	142	2,422
Delaware			41	1,485	26	421	29	428
District of Columbia			8	125	3	35	10	60
Florida			475	12,389	372	5,067	421	4,062
Georgia			290	8,331	178	2,603		
Hawaii			53	1,469	52	408	63	683
Idaho			64	1,788			60	1,056
Illinois			392	17,193	242	6,010	316	7,231
Indiana			267	8,217	229	4,092	308	4,741
Iowa			137	5,034	45	1,143	109	2,200
Kansas			91	3,354	52	1,131	122	2,300
Kentucky	4	12	171	4,996	138	1,427	215	2,390
Louisiana			141	2,115	103	1,226	176	1,232
Maine	37	327	130	4,268	49	569	93	1,312
Maryland			177	5,963	84	1,442	173	2,168
Massachusetts	19	288	322	13,180	125	2,242	230	3,666
Michigan	3	30	472	14,937	257	5,103	356	8,893
Minnesota	113	1,436	207	7,890	146	2,951	194	4,471
Mississippi			110	3,554	48	1,301	186	1,847
Missouri			202	7,221	92	2,028	170	3,210
Montana			26	717	19	221	36	671
Nebraska			66	2,382	54	688	57	906
Nevada			63	1,932	50	649	50	699
New Hampshire	56	333	86	3,228	39	353	49	794
New Jersey	16	191	390	16,016	220	4,206	336	5,839
New Mexico			64	2,332	40	420	51	528
New York			641	23,274	276	4,813	491	9,321
North Carolina			317	9,576	224	2,802	304	3,614
North Dakota			15	528	15	272	19	250
Ohio			562	16,171	410	4,133	438	6,225
Oklahoma			120	1,800	42	450	171	1,395
Oregon			178	5,554	120	1,721	123	2,121
Pennsylvania			559	19,565	304	5,472	400	4,800
Rhode Island			44	1,493	24	278	40	725
South Carolina			145	4,369	75	872	111	1,338
South Dakota							20	360
Tennessee			231	5,943			253	2,368
Texas			491	22,321	393	6,411	1,109	16,690
Utah			83	2,663	67	1,282	81	1,429
Vermont	25	238	57	2,072	1	4	23	284
Virginia			257	8,611	168	2,930	247	3,047
Washington			265	9,449	134	3,205	251	4,839
West Virginia			69	1,700	41	449	79	799
Wisconsin			247	9,247	107	2,205	188	4,689
Wyoming	7	90	19	714	22	395	15	319

State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weight Lifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	44	565	299	6,381				
Alaska			47	1,232	13	181		
Arizona			195	7,705	52	1,311		
Arkansas	50	724	212	4,537			22	936
California			1,009	45,038	392	13,133	21	851
Colorado			293	8,605				
Connecticut	135	4,276	168	6,673	41	796		
Delaware	32	690	37	1,156	7	138		
District of Columbia	13	255	13	295				
Florida			467	13,642	111	1,930	194	4,572
Georgia			368	10,455			90	4,703
Hawaii			60	1,969	59	1,042		
Idaho			137	3,990				
Illinois			595	23,904	178	6,374		
Indiana			374	11,978				
Iowa			381	11,545				
Kansas			344	9,447	3	62		
Kentucky			246	5,460			50	1,967
Louisiana	115	1,265	404	8,484				
Maine	59	1,191	105	2,717	10	127	5	149
Maryland	169	4,474	179	5,843	33	551		
Massachusetts	212	8,098	279	12,087	80	1,893		
Michigan	45	642	650	24,334			31	1,093
Minnesota			435	13,726				
Mississippi	55	1,121	231	6,537			139	2,588
Missouri			450	12,762	38	1,037		
Montana			179	3,526				
Nebraska			309	9,238				
Nevada			87	3,160	29	808		
New Hampshire	49	1,150	69	2,427	8	182		
New Jersey	291	9,132	366	15,836	76	1,798		
New Mexico			146	5,840				
New York	358	9,145	591	18,624	171	3,627		
North Carolina	167	2,997	344	12,152				
North Dakota			147	2,160				
Ohio	157	3,283	777	24,219	81	1,353	35	1,892
Oklahoma	31	400	392	4,450				
Oregon			262	8,353				
Pennsylvania	148	2,220	566	18,112	197	3,546		
Rhode Island	34	1,241	39	1,547	25	537		
South Carolina			192	7,132				
South Dakota			171	3,316				
Tennessee			249	6,995				
Texas			1,239	80,723				
Utah			113	4,506				
Vermont	14	224	37	899				
Virginia	200	6,279	293	10,001	76	1,240		
Washington			353	12,344				
West Virginia			104	2,659				
Wisconsin			426	13,675	46	1,205		
Wyoming	16	305	68	1,589				

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	80	1,940
Alaska	68	1,388
Arizona	176	5,485
Arkansas		
California	728	23,318
Colorado	230	5,134
Connecticut	117	2,770
Delaware	39	1,015
District of Columbia		
Florida	321	7,610
Georgia	283	7,275
Hawaii	56	1,101
Idaho	98	2,374
Illinois	407	15,315
Indiana	308	8,161
Iowa	302	7,189
Kansas	195	5,264
Kentucky	75	1,595
Louisiana	68	1,224
Maine	64	1,101
Maryland	173	4,371
Massachusetts	151	4,435
Michigan	467	11,976
Minnesota	351	7,677
Mississippi	1	35
Missouri	210	6,883
Montana	86	1,640
Nebraska	242	4,795
Nevada	78	2,333
New Hampshire	37	769
New Jersey	326	8,579
New Mexico	52	960
New York	462	12,879
North Carolina	296	8,465
North Dakota	71	946
Ohio	605	13,184
Oklahoma	125	2,450
Oregon	197	5,023
Pennsylvania	485	8,730
Rhode Island	34	963
South Carolina	121	3,964
South Dakota	98	1,402
Tennessee	141	4,005
Texas	209	6,576
Utah	96	2,912
Vermont	22	248
Virginia	249	7,544
Washington	273	8,342
West Virginia	80	1,654
Wisconsin	344	7,529
Wyoming	47	1,006

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Basketball	Georgia	14	157		Oklahoma	72	1,500
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	51	187		Oregon	48	896
	Vermont	4	45		Washington	35	744
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	113	471	Football – 9-player	California	5	166
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	105	445		Minnesota	79	2,391
	Vermont	2	24		Mississippi	1	60
Adapted Track	Georgia	16	181		North Dakota	71	1,305
Badminton	California	153	3,521		South Dakota	101	2,049
	Florida	12	132	Heptathlon	Ohio	2	13
	Kentucky	4	52		Vermont	3	7
	Maryland	35	222	Judo	Hawaii	41	625
	New York	7	115		Kentucky	2	22
Canoeing	California	1	4	Kayaking	Hawaii	5	109
	Hawaii	58	1,228	Rodeo	Arkansas	4	10
	Maine	1	12		Iowa	16	47
Crew	California	7	280	Sailing	Maine	1	11
	Delaware	3	72	Snowboarding	California	37	617
	Dist. of Columbia	1	20		Maine	6	137
	Florida	12	291		Michigan	8	163
	Kentucky	3	21		Ohio	3	43
	Maine	2	16		Vermont	12	139
	Michigan	23	541	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	13	139
	Ohio	20	299	Softball – Fast Pitch	California	15	388
	Virginia	28	827		Missouri	20	275
Decathlon	Alabama	28	67		Nebraska		1
	Arkansas	9	22		Vermont	2	32
	California	4	19	Softball – Slow Pitch	California	5	68
	Ohio	1	4		Ohio	2	18
	Vermont	5	18	Team Tennis	Georgia	337	3,821
Equestrian	Maine	1	2		Minnesota	194	4,471
	Michigan	34	94		Missouri	170	3,210
	Ohio	2	9		Texas	434	9,074
Fencing	California	15	186		Vermont	3	39
	Kentucky	4	42	Water Polo	California	447	12,570
	New Jersey		1,065		Florida	65	1,013
	New York	24	498		Hawaii	11	125
	Ohio	12	75		Illinois	66	1,815
	Vermont	2	13		Michigan	22	551
Field Hockey	California	2	52		Missouri	21	562
	Maryland		1		Ohio	8	155
	Massachusetts		116	Weight Lifting	Pennsylvania	18	270
	North Carolina	24	517		Arkansas	22	936
	Vermont	1	30		California	21	851
Football – 6-player	Arkansas	3	312		Florida	194	4,572
	California	4	47		Georgia	90	4,703
	Colorado	20	75		Kentucky	50	1,967
	Montana	29	368		Maine	5	149
	New Mexico	22	220		Michigan	31	1,093
	Texas	113	3,565		Mississippi	139	2,588
Football – 8-player	Arizona	28	805		Ohio	35	1,892
	California	46	1,623				
	Colorado	36	401				
	Idaho	30	642				
	Iowa	47	1,274				
	Kansas	91	1,991				
	Missouri	21	420				
	Montana	58	1,169				
	Nebraska	117	3,282				
	Nevada	20	435				

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	403	5,411					140	962
Alaska	153	2,101	10	98	32	712	106	863
Arizona	224	6,366			114	3,490	173	2,190
Arkansas	245	4,528	27	256	94	1,807	92	823
California	1,207	33,596	13	192	374	10,899	994	18,159
Colorado	323	7,675			321	6,023	217	3,039
Connecticut	177	4,091			95	1,948	163	2,468
Delaware	46	966			14	269	38	448
District of Columbia	15	225			13	215	12	125
Florida	529	9,874	138	1,283			468	5,766
Georgia	383	9,322			225	5,050	343	4,343
Hawaii	64	1,432	53	536	35	662	68	874
Idaho	145	3,380			88	1,392	96	985
Illinois	673	17,718	212	3,290	228	5,635	492	8,511
Indiana	394	10,089					375	4,265
Iowa	392	9,216	89	763	57	2,535	309	3,922
Kansas	353	7,883					226	2,317
Kentucky	275	6,273	30	331	267	5,074	225	2,275
Louisiana	397	9,925	53	530			280	1,530
Maine	143	3,516	7	62	99	1,947	102	1,030
Maryland	186	4,540	18	265			181	2,236
Massachusetts	344	10,562					275	4,873
Michigan	717	20,604	234	2,308	250	6,000	576	6,976
Minnesota	457	11,707					329	4,444
Mississippi	258	6,318	55	531			130	1,475
Missouri	538	12,283			213	2,760	313	4,167
Montana	179	3,384					81	827
Nebraska	311	7,004					190	1,717
Nevada	96	2,590	30	300			69	660
New Hampshire	86	2,202			70	1,814	70	905
New Jersey	405	9,886	208	1,819			376	4,507
New Mexico	142	3,468			111	2,640	99	1,260
New York	688	17,850	207	3,024			539	6,348
North Carolina	361	7,971			357	18,452	325	4,083
North Dakota	165	2,740					56	345
Ohio	808	18,273	196	1,199			710	7,322
Oklahoma	471	7,650			180	1,900	173	1,275
Oregon	285	6,409			72	935	203	2,336
Pennsylvania	694	20,820	104	1,040			527	5,270
Rhode Island	48	1,107					42	647
South Carolina	198	4,948	7	44	91	2,630	140	1,783
South Dakota	176	3,111			17	208	130	649
Tennessee	363	6,692	130	1,233			256	2,718
Texas	1,228	69,122					1,187	28,233
Utah	119	2,839					110	1,447
Vermont	55	1,455	1	6	30	450	44	466
Virginia	295	7,888			299	10,470	277	3,895
Washington	379	9,864	49	1,028			288	3,618
West Virginia	134	2,193			131	2,149	77	679
Wisconsin	479	12,289					381	5,520
Wyoming	69	1,573			37	504	37	378

State	Field Hockey		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					155	463		
Alaska			8	11			13	155
Arizona			18	45	127	820		
Arkansas			2	2	126	511	18	160
California	87	2,952	107	253	699	5,972	43	896
Colorado	14	401			120	1,487	42	564
Connecticut	78	3,302		9	37	500	59	457
Delaware	44	1,478	2	2	14	41		
District of Columbia					5	20		
Florida				15	359	2,274		
Georgia			15	67	294	1,325	40	407
Hawaii			9	16	58	185	6	41
Idaho					76	491		
Illinois					345	2,806	66	458
Indiana					279	2,640	82	974
Iowa			13	20	330	3,742		
Kansas			5	70	90	905	13	138
Kentucky	20	763	5	14	221	1,364	8	111
Louisiana					126	504	23	253
Maine	84	3,033	6	9	46	87	1	10
Maryland	120	3,942		8	106	200	13	204
Massachusetts	200	8,308		15	24	510	84	1,247
Michigan	15	622			314	3,713	92	872
Minnesota					379	3,883	189	2,536
Mississippi					15	241		
Missouri	27	1,243			156	1,669	3	16
Montana			3	7	92	580		
Nebraska				15	133	1,406		
Nevada					64	501		
New Hampshire	56	2,098		14	30	33	36	165
New Jersey	226	9,312		1	204	1,006	68	930
New Mexico					69	430		
New York	232	8,619			109	1,211	115	1,556
North Carolina					182	1,053		
North Dakota			3	9	106	602	17	86
Ohio	35	1,118		17	482	2,311	150	991
Oklahoma			3	3	215	910		
Oregon					169	1,099		
Pennsylvania	285	9,975			252	2,520	20	200
Rhode Island				6	1	49		168
South Carolina					60	415		
South Dakota			3	3	112	698	29	270
Tennessee					273	922		
Texas				388	1,128	7,513		
Utah			2	2	36	65		
Vermont	26	1,021	5	10	38	159	9	129
Virginia	119	4,112	25	52	118	254	72	717
Washington			25	92	262	2,198	81	1,569
West Virginia			1	1	2	2		
Wisconsin					142	1,702	85	1,098
Wyoming					36	203	7	57

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Skiing Alpine		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	24	150					31	464
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California			74	2,286	36	432		
Colorado		5	37	1,387	30	139	15	81
Connecticut		7	65	2,903				
Delaware			21	619				
District of Columbia			2	42	7	125		
Florida			41	1,339				
Georgia			35	1,263				
Hawaii								
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	1	17	14	294			3	61
Louisiana								
Maine	29	308	40	1,493	45	299	34	261
Maryland			125	4,212				
Massachusetts	65	1,669	120	5,367	66	940	19	312
Michigan	16	238	51	1,515	88	703	3	17
Minnesota	234	3,634	24	1,026	94	737	113	1,805
Mississippi								
Missouri			40	600				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					13	140		
New Hampshire		46	36	1,353	56	441	56	320
New Jersey	16	97	139	7,048			13	138
New Mexico								
New York			211	9,899				
North Carolina			21	703				
North Dakota	19	193						
Ohio		4	40	1,776	3	73		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania			106	3,392				
Rhode Island	9	168	15	504				
South Carolina								
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	24	389	25	798	27	190	25	222
Virginia			59	1,967				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	8	227						
Wyoming					6	42	7	98

State	Soccer		Softball Slow Pitch		Softball Fast Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	116	2,973			383	6,128	42	360
Alaska	32	948			26	581	29	494
Arizona	164	4,795			209	6,277	104	2,705
Arkansas	57	1,123			221	3,796	24	235
California	1,070	37,424	25	524	1,077	29,531	760	24,508
Colorado	160	6,160			148	3,996	110	4,026
Connecticut	148	5,400			174	4,637	93	2,968
Delaware	43	1,341			39	992	28	621
District of Columbia	6	95			12	158	3	40
Florida	443	11,894	5	93	493	9,784	378	7,289
Georgia	292	7,927	24	487	363	7,744	180	3,250
Hawaii	52	1,673			50	1,175	52	636
Idaho	63	1,650			95	2,212		
Illinois	356	14,164			650	17,376	268	7,326
Indiana	238	6,736			372	9,306	231	4,850
Iowa	115	4,266			386	9,532	63	1,500
Kansas	75	2,787			212	5,141	63	1,584
Kentucky	173	4,675	19	414	256	5,989	138	2,093
Louisiana	129	1,935			364	5,460	100	800
Maine	132	4,036			134	3,337	52	919
Maryland	173	5,349			183	4,886	85	2,029
Massachusetts	298	12,165			332	10,810	142	4,213
Michigan	426	13,972			637	17,132	273	6,910
Minnesota	200	7,900			417	11,578	204	5,467
Mississippi	99	2,016	114	5,398	172	4,518	48	1,806
Missouri	193	6,808			472	10,267	109	2,787
Montana	26	701			62	1,015	20	325
Nebraska	71	2,182			111	2,208	54	927
Nevada	68	1,945			82	2,001	50	1,206
New Hampshire	77	2,750			84	2,190	41	670
New Jersey	371	12,830			408	12,542	231	5,958
New Mexico	62	2,222			80	2,358	40	430
New York	637	22,806			679	18,793	317	7,480
North Carolina	300	8,321			354	7,890	219	4,281
North Dakota	17	641					17	305
Ohio	483	13,308	15	299	788	18,610	421	6,261
Oklahoma	112	1,700	320	4,500	415	7,100	41	500
Oregon	148	4,772			221	5,046	123	2,267
Pennsylvania	495	17,325			643	22,505	314	5,652
Rhode Island	46	1,415		152	39	991	35	552
South Carolina	122	3,515			192	4,875	72	1,135
South Dakota								
Tennessee	229	5,257			348	6,250		
Texas	479	18,397			992	27,972	391	5,261
Utah	81	2,438			90	2,078	66	1,292
Vermont	57	2,025	2	30	51	1,205	1	9
Virginia	255	7,462			297	7,930	168	3,878
Washington	261	8,880			331	8,884	159	4,538
West Virginia	65	1,523			127	2,543	40	672
Wisconsin	241	8,254			439	11,765	136	3,853
Wyoming	19	674					24	545

State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	155	1,579	44	450	293	4,425	338	5,238
Alaska	16	241			45	989	70	1,639
Arizona	138	2,468			195	5,685	229	7,134
Arkansas	94	863	43	527	202	3,161	92	1,971
California	890	19,847			1,014	36,113	1,158	34,016
Colorado	140	4,265			293	6,536	260	8,942
Connecticut	140	3,014	132	4,041	165	6,291	147	3,955
Delaware	30	684	30	684	37	884	41	1,163
District of Columbia	10	50	13	225	13	264	12	125
Florida	440	4,597			474	11,414	546	12,358
Georgia					366	8,521	243	5,341
Hawaii	63	1,009			62	1,290	68	1,660
Idaho	60	1,143			137	2,995	140	3,879
Illinois	319	8,425			586	17,686	692	21,659
Indiana	313	5,582			375	9,903	390	11,032
Iowa	111	3,375			376	9,376	395	13,448
Kansas	123	2,405			338	6,995	328	8,654
Kentucky	218	2,783			246	4,544	243	5,392
Louisiana	165	1,155	90	900	369	4,059	199	4,378
Maine	95	1,584	62	1,093	106	2,391	24	453
Maryland	171	2,258	166	3,776	178	4,966	177	4,277
Massachusetts	238	4,379	208	7,659	274	11,655	230	6,464
Michigan	351	9,671	41	545	646	18,655	713	21,919
Minnesota	229	5,539			437	13,036	448	14,213
Mississippi	186	1,636	50	476	231	4,674	60	1,760
Missouri	168	3,310			455	11,067	423	10,881
Montana	57	1,078			179	2,678	169	3,941
Nebraska	64	1,313			310	7,574	311	7,969
Nevada	49	598			84	2,505	98	2,702
New Hampshire	52	1,004	48	1,127	69	2,227	56	1,408
New Jersey	356	6,651	287	8,402	369	14,079	225	5,840
New Mexico	51	538			144	5,760	139	3,480
New York	429	8,512	358	9,450	593	18,734	596	15,153
North Carolina	314	4,037	151	2,329	343	8,985	357	8,028
North Dakota	21	406			147	1,815	161	3,445
Ohio	424	6,958	146	6,958	777	20,812	802	19,265
Oklahoma	116	875	25	325	396	3,975	80	1,100
Oregon	127	2,809			264	6,378	277	7,067
Pennsylvania	417	5,004	154	2,310	567	18,144	551	9,918
Rhode Island	43	900	35	1,167	38	1,475	41	923
South Carolina	127	1,753			188	5,586	187	4,080
South Dakota	21	318			166	2,601	168	3,932
Tennessee	256	2,837			250	5,700	291	5,454
Texas	1,107	16,096			1,234	65,913	976	34,225
Utah	80	1,359			110	3,595	116	2,746
Vermont	26	415	14	210	38	960		
Virginia	262	3,733	200	5,230	293	8,241	285	7,101
Washington	248	7,304			348	9,456	373	10,608
West Virginia	83	1,005			106	2,333	112	2,036
Wisconsin	207	6,052			423	10,860	473	16,035
Wyoming	16	336	16	259	68	1,239	68	1,628

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama		
Alaska	40	120
Arizona	52	119
Arkansas		
California	322	1,230
Colorado		208
Connecticut		79
Delaware	2	2
District of Columbia		
Florida	14	204
Georgia	53	155
Hawaii	59	348
Idaho		
Illinois		
Indiana		
Iowa	27	62
Kansas	20	56
Kentucky	13	31
Louisiana		
Maine	29	66
Maryland	9	178
Massachusetts		93
Michigan		
Minnesota		
Mississippi		
Missouri		
Montana	10	35
Nebraska		40
Nevada		
New Hampshire		13
New Jersey	1	32
New Mexico		
New York		
North Carolina		
North Dakota	7	13
Ohio		92
Oklahoma	1	1
Oregon	52	80
Pennsylvania		
Rhode Island		15
South Carolina		
South Dakota	3	38
Tennessee		
Texas	171	1,314
Utah	3	4
Vermont	8	12
Virginia	57	119
Washington	80	208
West Virginia	1	1
Wisconsin		
Wyoming	47	7

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	51	123	Heptathlon	Oklahoma	1	1
	Vermont	4	26		Washington	2	2
Adapted Floor Hockey	Maine	1	9		Alabama	17	39
	Minnesota	119	323		Arkansas	11	22
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	113	341	Judo	California	2	2
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	105	337		Vermont	3	10
	Vermont	2	24		Hawaii	41	311
Badminton	Arizona	44	860		Kentucky	2	15
	California	177	4,500	Kayaking	Hawaii	7	102
	Florida	12	139		Alaska	17	99
	Illinois	84	3,237	Riflery	Arkansas	3	9
	Kentucky	3	37		Georgia	89	313
	Maryland	35	495		Hawaii	5	42
	Minnesota	17	618		Kentucky	17	87
	New York	38	918		Maine	2	8
Baseball	Alaska	3	37		Michigan	3	14
	Arizona	11	32		New York	8	39
	Arkansas	7	126		Ohio	1	4
	California	32	417	Rodeo	Pennsylvania	37	370
	Colorado		121		Arkansas	6	14
	Florida		12	Sailing	Iowa	13	25
	Georgia	12	50		Maine	1	11
	Hawaii	7	12	Snowboarding	California	36	432
	Maine	5	9		Maine	6	61
	Maryland		9		Michigan	9	111
	Massachusetts		7		Ohio	3	32
	Nebraska		78	Soft Tennis	Vermont	11	75
	New Jersey		39		Hawaii	13	199
	North Dakota	5	30	Synch. Swimming	Michigan	7	143
	Ohio		92		Minnesota	19	573
	Oklahoma		10	Team Tennis	Ohio	2	22
	Texas		166		Georgia	344	4,481
	Utah	1	1		Minnesota	229	5,539
	Vermont	2	3		Missouri	168	3,310
	Washington	9	131	Water Polo	Texas	434	9,149
Canoeing	California	1	9		Vermont	3	50
	Hawaii	60	1,326		California	465	13,099
	Maine	1	2		Florida	67	1,025
	California	7	251		Hawaii	28	499
Crew	Delaware	3	75		Illinois	60	1,655
	District of Columbia	1	38		Michigan	30	679
	Florida	13	284		Ohio	10	215
	Kentucky	5	79	Weight Lifting	Pennsylvania	18	270
	Maine	2	15		Arkansas	1	27
	Michigan	22	663		California	8	177
	Ohio	16	205		Florida	168	3,589
	Virginia	30	925		Georgia	28	874
Decathlon	California	7	82		Kentucky	15	346
	Vermont	1	4		Maine	5	54
Equestrian	Maine	2	7		Michigan	20	331
	Michigan	109	861		Mississippi	35	250
	Ohio	4	36		Ohio	16	447
	California	3	30				
Football – 6-player	Montana	5	23				
	Texas		26				
	Arizona	1	2				
	California	1	1				
	Iowa	1	1				
	Kansas	1	1				
Football – 8-player	Nebraska		2				

2006-07 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2006-07 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS					
Basketball	14	157	11	89	246
Bowling	48	407	41	428	835
Floor Hockey	30	292	26	138	430
Soccer	33	233	31	160	393
Softball	40	290	29	160	450
Track	16	181	14	129	310
ARCHERY	27	534	23	338	872
BADMINTON	218	4,073	424	10,888	14,961
BASEBALL	15,458	477,430	136	1,412	478,842
BASKETBALL	17,762	556,269	17,458	456,967	1,013,236
BOWLING	2,089	23,298	2,012	20,931	44,229
CANOEING	58	1,234	61	1,356	2,590
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUAD	500	2,147	3,743	95,177	97,324
CREW	110	2,626	113	2,685	5,311
CROSS COUNTRY	13,354	216,085	13,146	183,376	399,461
DANCE/DRILL	3	5	373	7,946	7,951
EQUESTRIAN	62	226	166	1,341	1,567
FENCING	102	1,966	103	1,827	3,793
FIELD HOCKEY	7	405	1,493	63,881	64,286
FLAG FOOTBALL	4	69	161	4,826	4,895
FOOTBALL – 11-Player	13,922	1,104,548	268	1,035	1,105,583
6-player	184	4,458		1	4,459
8-player	725	16,069	14	34	16,103
9-player	255	5,336	3	3	5,339
GOLF	13,541	159,747	9,046	66,283	226,030
GYMNASTICS	134	2,246	1,516	18,929	21,175
ICE HOCKEY	1,576	35,955	504	7,350	43,305
JUDO	48	632	49	322	954
LACROSSE	1,588	71,524	1,480	54,771	126,295
RIFLERY	248	2,550	216	1,344	3,894
SKIING – ALPINE	457	5,233	450	4,190	9,423
SKIING – CROSS COUNTRY	305	3,670	301	3,839	7,509
SKIING (XC & ALPINE)	98	1,190	93	996	2,186
SNOWBOARDING	52	740	48	452	1,192
SOCCER	11,066	377,999	10,503	337,632	715,631
SOFT TENNIS	13	171	15	230	401
SOFTBALL – FAST PITCH	67	1,625	14,968	373,448	375,073
SOFTBALL – SLOW PITCH	3	21	615	12,511	12,532
SWIMMING & DIVING	6,358	106,738	6,708	143,639	250,377
TEAM TENNIS	1,543	23,642	1,588	25,926	49,568
TENNIS	9,438	156,944	9,678	176,696	333,640
TRACK AND FIELD – INDOOR	2,725	62,522	2,367	56,072	118,594
TRACK AND FIELD – OUTDOOR	15,709	544,180	15,578	444,181	988,361
VOLLEYBALL	2,006	46,224	14,881	405,832	452,056
WATER POLO	725	18,502	716	17,791	36,293
WEIGHT LIFTING	620	21,191	318	7,110	28,301
WRESTLING	9,445	257,246	1,227	5,048	262,294
OTHER	206	2,273	211	2,087	4,360

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS 2006-07 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,762	1.	Football – 11-Player	1,104,548
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,709	2.	Basketball	556,269
3.	Baseball	15,458	3.	Track and Field – Outdoor	544,180
4.	Football – 11-Player	13,922	4.	Baseball	477,430
5.	Golf	13,541	5.	Soccer	377,999
6.	Cross Country	13,354	6.	Wrestling	257,246
7.	Soccer	11,066	7.	Cross Country	216,085
8.	Wrestling	9,445	8.	Golf	159,747
9.	Tennis	9,438	9.	Tennis	156,944
10.	Swimming & Diving	6,358	10.	Swimming & Diving	106,738

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,458	1.	Basketball	456,967
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,578	2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	444,181
3.	Softball – Fast Pitch	14,968	3.	Volleyball	405,832
4.	Volleyball	14,881	4.	Softball – Fast Pitch	373,448
5.	Cross Country	13,146	5.	Soccer	337,632
6.	Soccer	10,503	6.	Cross Country	183,376
7.	Tennis	9,678	7.	Tennis	176,696
8.	Golf	9,046	8.	Swimming & Diving	143,639
9.	Swimming & Diving	6,708	9.	Competitive Spirit Squads	95,177
10.	Competitive Spirit Squads	3,743	10.	Golf	66,283

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total	Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total
1971-72	3,666,917	294,015	3,960,932	1990-91	3,406,355	1,892,316	5,298,671
1972-73	3,770,621	817,073	4,587,694	1991-92	3,429,853	1,940,801	5,370,654
1973-74	4,070,125	1,300,169	5,370,294	1992-93	3,416,389	1,997,489	5,413,878
1975-76	4,109,021	1,645,039	5,754,060	1993-94	3,472,967	2,130,315	5,603,282
1977-78	4,367,442	2,083,040	6,450,482	1994-95	3,536,359	2,240,461	5,776,820
1978-79	3,709,512	1,854,400	5,563,912	1995-96	3,634,052	2,367,936	6,001,988
1979-80	3,517,829	1,750,264	5,268,093	1996-97	3,706,225	2,474,043	6,180,268
1980-81	3,503,124	1,853,789	5,356,913	1997-98	3,763,120	2,570,333	6,333,453
1981-82	3,409,081	1,810,671	5,219,752	1998-99	3,832,352	2,652,726	6,485,078
1982-83	3,355,558	1,779,972	5,135,530	1999-00	3,861,749	2,675,874	6,537,623
1983-84	3,303,599	1,747,346	5,050,945	2000-01	3,921,069	2,784,154	6,705,223
1984-85	3,354,284	1,757,884	5,112,168	2001-02	3,960,517	2,806,998	6,767,515
1985-86	3,344,275	1,807,121	5,151,396	2002-03	3,988,738	2,856,358	6,845,096
1986-87	3,364,082	1,836,356	5,200,438	2003-04	4,038,253	2,865,299	6,903,552
1987-88	3,425,777	1,849,684	5,275,461	2004-05	4,110,319	2,908,390	7,018,709
1988-89	3,416,844	1,839,352	5,256,196	2005-06	4,206,549	2,953,355	7,159,904
1989-90	3,398,192	1,858,659	5,256,851	2006-07	4,321,103	3,021,807	7,342,910

2006-07 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank State	Girls	Boys	Total¹	Rank State	Girls	Boys	Total¹
1. Texas	296,027	467,940	763,967	27. Kentucky	43,586	53,144	96,730
2. California	297,905	437,592	735,497	28. Oregon	39,240	56,867	96,107
3. New York	151,813	198,536	350,349	29. Louisiana	31,429	58,728	90,157
4. Illinois	133,620	200,738	334,358	30. Alabama	28,028	58,859	86,887
5. Michigan	135,183	186,217	321,400	31. South Carolina	31,937	53,639	85,576
6. Ohio	124,684	190,789	315,473	32. Nebraska	32,372	47,783	80,155
7. Pennsylvania	129,975	146,936	276,911	33. Oklahoma	32,018	42,410	74,428
8. New Jersey	102,453	144,879	247,332	34. Maine	26,163	30,830	56,993
9. Florida	94,470	135,842	230,312	35. Arkansas	19,226	30,111	49,337
10. Minnesota	100,550	119,691	220,241	36. Utah	18,310	30,258	48,568
11. Massachusetts	92,317	120,756	213,073	37. New Hampshire	21,289	23,887	45,176
12. Wisconsin	79,661	121,455	201,116	38. Idaho	18,960	26,068	45,028
13. North Carolina	79,313	106,321	185,634	39. New Mexico	17,305	24,597	41,902
14. Missouri	69,470	102,937	172,407	40. Nevada	14,976	24,341	39,317
15. Virginia	75,079	97,016	172,095	41. Hawaii	15,563	21,200	36,763
16. Indiana	68,495	96,053	164,548	42. West Virginia	13,997	22,117	36,114
17. Georgia	61,138	101,999	163,137	43. Montana	14,500	18,635	33,135
18. Washington	63,641	89,858	153,499	44. South Dakota	12,082	17,232	29,314
19. Iowa	60,959	85,777	146,736	45. Rhode Island	11,492	16,412	27,904
20. Colorado	55,367	69,237	124,604	46. North Dakota	10,673	15,898	26,571
21. Maryland	46,397	63,587	109,984	47. Delaware	10,841	14,097	24,938
22. Arizona	44,402	64,625	109,027	48. Vermont	9,751	12,103	21,854
23. Mississippi	43,695	63,552	107,247	49. Alaska	8,971	11,023	19,994
24. Tennessee	37,267	67,930	105,197	50. Wyoming	7,506	10,002	17,508
25. Connecticut	46,585	58,225	104,810	51. District of Columbia	1,262	2,178	3,440
26. Kansas	39,864	60,196	100,060				

¹Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	385	8,874	407	11,727				
Alaska	26	573	140	2,221	6	76	7	34
Arizona	223	7,819	240	7,781			28	78
Arkansas	216	4,154	248	5,334	43	493	22	88
California	1,236	42,835	1,334	44,722	12	258	109	566
Colorado	278	7,675	324	8,880			40	281
Connecticut	167	5,795	176	5,095				267
Delaware	46	1,347	48	1,372			2	4
District of Columbia	13	227	15	356				
Florida	564	13,721	628	14,456	147	1,086		
Georgia	376	12,043	385	11,359			22	149
Hawaii	53	1,648	70	1,717	51	553	16	44
Idaho	86	2,361	144	3,927			15	50
Illinois	674	24,186	729	23,377	158	2,381		
Indiana	382	11,758	397	14,240				
Iowa	385	11,762	392	12,228	89	1,019		
Kansas	221	5,959	353	9,537	37	526		
Kentucky	269	7,609	273	7,648	30	348	52	200
Louisiana	365	9,125	407	12,210	64	640		
Maine	130	3,638	141	4,137	7	77	19	33
Maryland	187	5,578	188	5,387				
Massachusetts	351	13,327	358	12,176				
Michigan	640	19,325	729	24,100	276	3,441		
Minnesota	431	14,078	466	13,471				
Mississippi	244	7,111	263	9,726	55	190	15	50
Missouri	486	14,644	564	14,801				
Montana			179	3,880				
Nebraska	49	1,808	310	8,107				
Nevada	84	2,348	98	2,983	28	283		
New Hampshire	85	2,783	88	2,578				20
New Jersey	411	14,950	418	13,359	234	2,912		
New Mexico	101	2,738	146	4,076				
New York	667	21,768	697	20,942	349	4,363		
North Carolina	362	9,378	368	10,050				
North Dakota	90	1,300	172	3,384				
Ohio	793	24,055	811	24,330	239	1,912		
Oklahoma	430	7,400	471	8,800			12	35
Oregon	228	6,549	286	7,419				
Pennsylvania	674	21,568	721	21,630	121	1,210		
Rhode Island	48	1,721	47	1,483				
South Carolina	192	5,959	199	6,526	9	73		
South Dakota			179	3,843				
Tennessee	354	8,643	362	9,260	134	1,457		
Texas	1,089	40,747	1,250	74,457				
Utah	107	2,848	119	3,193				
Vermont	56	1,507	58	1,777			10	21
Virginia	302	9,175	304	9,516			95	191
Washington	328	10,138	380	11,904				
West Virginia	123	2,908	130	3,363				
Wisconsin	451	19,967	481	15,699				
Wyoming			69	1,725			36	36

State	Cross Country		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	140	1,010	374	21,590	254	1,205		
Alaska	106	1,017	27	1,883			1	8
Arizona	181	2,652	184	18,664	173	1,799		
Arkansas	92	925	174	9,808	166	1,112	3	12
California	1,085	25,790	1,053	108,162	984	11,897	9	37
Colorado	205	3,372	177	16,261	142	2,270	2	28
Connecticut	165	3,477	136	10,251	151	1,900		
Delaware	40	755	43	3,102	39	379		
District of Columbia	11	94	12	727	6	60		
Florida	495	6,298	502	38,744	464	3,951		
Georgia	343	5,689	360	29,799	345	3,144		
Hawaii	65	1,043	48	4,853	63	496	1	20
Idaho	107	1,363	112	7,693	81	956		
Illinois	501	9,629	557	48,844	538	7,892	57	1,443
Indiana	374	4,910	317	22,918	372	4,387		
Iowa	309	4,357	317	20,833	365	6,656		
Kansas	237	2,936	254	14,289	243	3,394		
Kentucky	226	2,649	223	12,829	249	2,541	4	8
Louisiana	280	3,080	302	16,428	229	1,603	12	96
Maine	97	1,380	73	4,072	108	1,318	1	1
Maryland	181	3,351	181	15,272	162	1,483	6	41
Massachusetts	287	5,595	325	22,169	288	4,231	9	198
Michigan	576	8,196	623	46,308	568	7,818		
Minnesota	333	5,609	353	25,863	388	6,067		
Mississippi	147	2,555	242	22,302	161	1,883		
Missouri	323	5,153	329	23,011	344	4,690		
Montana	86	870	91	4,795	97	1,117		
Nebraska	191	2,283	177	11,246	234	3,126		
Nevada	68	829	72	6,810	69	841		
New Hampshire	70	1,075	51	3,622	70	930		10
New Jersey	387	7,015	356	27,081	324	3,996		11
New Mexico	98	1,432	92	6,732	77	759		
New York	539	7,870	522	34,738	573	7,745	20	240
North Carolina	337	5,082	354	33,753	345	3,448		
North Dakota	62	468	89	3,335	126	1,252		
Ohio	704	8,624	721	47,586	738	8,911	6	62
Oklahoma	175	1,375	305	11,150	230	1,290		
Oregon	203	3,088	195	13,878	193	2,169		
Pennsylvania	548	5,480	588	26,460	560	5,600		
Rhode Island	42	855	42	3,017	40	489		10
South Carolina	145	2,521	195	18,742	153	1,637		
South Dakota	127	887	67	3,779	131	1,225		
Tennessee	262	3,700	331	22,304	316	2,786		
Texas	1,189	29,591	1,045	161,192	1,154	12,752		
Utah	113	2,026	93	7,818	107	1,330		
Vermont	45	603	33	1,924	47	478		
Virginia	284	4,993	300	25,722	285	2,970	3	21
Washington	280	5,512	292	22,198	268	3,583		
West Virginia	74	755	121	6,630	104	1,010		
Wisconsin	382	5,832	434	30,634	376	6,585		
Wyoming	37	434	58	2,727	41	586		

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	23	634			11	150	33	429
Arizona								
Arkansas					7	67		
California	4	57	138	5,323	1	4	5	46
Colorado	28	636	60	2,877			9	112
Connecticut	66	1,734	72	3,884				
Delaware			39	1,435				
District of Columbia								
Florida			64	2,333				
Georgia			37	1,549	102	741		
Hawaii					40	563		
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	8	119	18	466	20	220	4	12
Louisiana								
Maine	61	1,346	42	1,856	2	19	38	353
Maryland			137	5,633				
Massachusetts	282	7,452	165	7,786			23	268
Michigan	226	4,075	86	3,762	3	20	4	46
Minnesota	266	5,514	41	1,284			109	1,527
Mississippi								
Missouri	50	1,250	40	600				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada								
New Hampshire	40	1,067	42	1,915			35	310
New Jersey	120	3,216	137	7,034			14	230
New Mexico								
New York	139	2,895	244	14,200	18	289		
North Carolina			53	2,292				
North Dakota	29	571						
Ohio	84	1,960	47	2,320	2	57		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania					42	420		
Rhode Island	36	881	20	724				
South Carolina			11	347				
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	26	514	26	514			24	245
Virginia			69	3,390				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	88	2,034						
Wyoming							7	92

State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming & Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			145	3,626	41	311	150	1,563
Alaska			31	919	28	352	13	170
Arizona			180	6,109	110	2,015	144	2,086
Arkansas			70	1,579	26	202	92	730
California	29	274	1,196	44,730	798	18,852	942	19,139
Colorado	13	185	292	6,530	89	1,899	114	2,625
Connecticut			173	6,990	90	1,860	137	2,432
Delaware			45	1,576	29	512	32	464
District of Columbia	7	158	7	143	3	19	7	33
Florida			529	14,173	388	5,060	452	4,261
Georgia			290	8,331	178	2,603		
Hawaii			52	1,532	55	435	63	741
Idaho			68	1,925			53	1,038
Illinois			404	18,619	245	6,259	316	7,810
Indiana			277	8,478	229	4,014	303	4,754
Iowa			138	5,121	45	1,162	109	2,238
Kansas			97	3,617	52	1,179	118	2,334
Kentucky			175	5,113	139	1,437	214	2,379
Louisiana			141	2,115	103	1,226	176	1,232
Maine	48	433	132	4,539	49	641		
Maryland			174	6,081	102	1,715	179	2,295
Massachusetts	78	1,077	350	12,978	154	2,436		3,650
Michigan	89	950	464	15,071	254	5,196	337	8,683
Minnesota	93	967	216	8,489	144	3,207	195	4,501
Mississippi			115	3,618	43	1,418	156	1,923
Missouri			204	7,273	90	1,998	177	3,340
Montana			27	847	18	192	36	731
Nebraska			66	2,558	55	652	58	929
Nevada	13	240	65	2,066	49	656	48	642
New Hampshire	51	579	86	3,347	43	365	49	738
New Jersey			402	16,798	230	4,374	338	6,052
New Mexico			63	2,076	39	452	53	693
New York			641	23,274	276	4,813	491	9,321
North Carolina			327	10,025	235	3,286	314	3,970
North Dakota			15	574	15	284	19	276
Ohio	3	65	564	16,183	407	4,104	438	6,222
Oklahoma			125	1,850	45	460	175	1,398
Oregon			178	5,955	120	1,622	123	2,163
Pennsylvania			580	20,300	414	4,968	414	4,968
Rhode Island			44	1,586	27	323	40	764
South Carolina			149	4,466	75	862	111	1,397
South Dakota							21	399
Tennessee			240	6,424			258	2,462
Texas			523	24,384	416	5,946	1,111	17,428
Utah			83	2,678	69	1,396	78	1,406
Vermont	27	238	59	2,110			24	283
Virginia			262	8,892	169	3,071	243	3,017
Washington			261	9,999			230	5,231
West Virginia			72	1,844	40	391	81	792
Wisconsin			249	9,731	110	2,133	191	4,921
Wyoming	6	67	20	757	22	380	15	320

State	Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Weightlifting	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	44	565	299	6,381				
Alaska			45	993	4	11		
Arizona			211	8,058	52	1,310		
Arkansas	320	497	200	3,990			20	964
California			1,088	49,911	619	14,532	22	1,617
Colorado			291	8,743	15	383		
Connecticut	141	4,370	159	6,515	38	753		
Delaware	29	693	35	1,153	4	83		
District of Columbia	12	139	12	181				
Florida			510	14,861	121	1,804	218	5,313
Georgia			368	10,455			90	4,703
Hawaii			65	2,235	59	1,136		
Idaho			128	3,761				
Illinois			597	24,202	187	7,151		
Indiana			376	12,690				
Iowa			381	11,744				
Kansas			357	9,199				
Kentucky			244	5,416			50	1,967
Louisiana	115	1,265	404	8,484				
Maine	65	1,334	106	2,736	10	142	3	95
Maryland	165	4,890	186	6,291	36	547		
Massachusetts	235	8,259	311	12,416	89	2,097		
Michigan	51	1,237	636	23,733			27	710
Minnesota			434	13,741				
Mississippi	19	1,168	209	7,609			156	3,931
Missouri			463	13,443	39	1,068		
Montana			178	3,426				
Nebraska			309	9,080		12		
Nevada			87	3,055	29	862		
New Hampshire	50	1,139	70	2,414	8	248		
New Jersey	304	9,476	379	15,963	84	2,315		
New Mexico			145	3,981				
New York	358	9,145	591	18,624	171	3,627		
North Carolina	180	3,484	354	12,809				
North Dakota			156	2,265				
Ohio	152	3,250	780	23,855	85	1,360	34	1,891
Oklahoma	35	420	400	4,482				
Oregon			262	8,435				
Pennsylvania	169	2,535	591	18,912	203	3,654		
Rhode Island	39	1,358	36	1,693	25	553		
South Carolina			190	6,995				
South Dakota			179	3,491				
Tennessee			252	7,155				
Texas			1,241	81,242				
Utah			113	4,568				
Vermont	16	241	41	943				
Virginia	210	6,725	295	10,234	78	1,342		
Washington			339	12,394				
West Virginia			105	2,851				
Wisconsin			433	14,904	50	1,234		
Wyoming	16	332	68	1,468				

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	80	1,940
Alaska	74	1,216
Arizona	183	5,474
Arkansas		
California	807	25,896
Colorado	227	4,828
Connecticut	122	2,902
Delaware	43	1,148
District of Columbia		
Florida	364	8,269
Georgia	283	7,275
Hawaii	54	1,135
Idaho	102	2,325
Illinois	412	17,072
Indiana	309	7,904
Iowa	302	7,313
Kansas	199	5,020
Kentucky	79	1,680
Louisiana	68	1,224
Maine	64	1,136
Maryland	178	4,633
Massachusetts	174	4,615
Michigan	457	12,085
Minnesota	350	7,957
Mississippi	1	19
Missouri	214	7,082
Montana	86	1,529
Nebraska	244	4,655
Nevada	80	2,240
New Hampshire	35	747
New Jersey	323	8,933
New Mexico	52	1,488
New York	462	12,879
North Carolina	308	8,744
North Dakota	72	933
Ohio	67	13,098
Oklahoma	126	2,500
Oregon	197	4,659
Pennsylvania	497	8,946
Rhode Island	35	955
South Carolina	123	4,114
South Dakota	98	1,423
Tennessee	152	3,739
Texas	235	6,674
Utah	95	2,995
Vermont	21	290
Virginia	254	6,867
Washington	267	8,258
West Virginia	78	1,573
Wisconsin	344	7,781
Wyoming	48	1,078

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Basketball	Georgia	14	157		Oregon	48	930
Adapted Bowling	Maryland	18	147		Washington	38	641
	Minnesota	30	260	Football – 9-player	Minnesota	78	1,895
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	33	233		North Dakota	74	1,256
Adapted Softball	Maryland	10	55		South Dakota	103	2,185
	Minnesota	30	235	Judo	Hawaii	46	610
Adapted Track	Georgia	16	181		Kentucky	2	22
Badminton	Alaska	1	2	Kayaking	Hawaii	8	111
	California	154	3,512	Rodeo	Arkansas	6	14
	Florida	17	206		Iowa	16	48
	Kentucky	4	52	Sailing	Hawaii	7	46
	Maryland	35	186		Maine	4	41
	New York	7	115	Snowboarding	California	29	441
Canoeing	Hawaii	58	1,234		Maine	5	60
Crew	California	15	393		Michigan	5	87
	Delaware	3	74		Ohio	3	34
	Dist. of Columbia	1	41		Vermont	10	118
	Florida	12	309	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	13	171
	Kentucky	3	21	Softball – Fast Pitch	California	34	743
	Maine	5	39		Colorado	5	104
	Michigan	22	553		Missouri	19	260
	Ohio	21	306		Nebraska	0	4
	Virginia	28	890		Ohio	2	350
Decathlon	Alabama	28	67		Vermont	6	164
	Arkansas	10	18	Softball – Slow Pitch	Arkansas	1	3
	California	6	37		Ohio	2	18
	Maine	2	28	Team Tennis	Georgia	337	3,821
Equestrian	California	8	73		Hawaii	63	741
	Michigan	53	146		Maine	93	1,340
	Ohio	1	7		Minnesota	195	4,501
Fencing	California	24	207		Missouri	177	3,340
	Kentucky	4	42		Texas	441	9,899
	Maine	1	6	Water Polo	California	503	14,064
	New Jersey	39	1,164		Florida	73	997
	New York	24	498		Hawaii	11	136
	Ohio	10	49		Illinois	68	1,873
Field Hockey	California	2	193		Michigan	25	489
	Colorado	2	51		Missouri	21	530
	Maryland		2		Ohio	5	128
	Massachusetts		26		Pennsylvania	19	285
	Vermont	3	133				
Football – 6-player	Arkansas	2	121				
	Colorado	22	431				
	Montana	25	233				
	New Mexico	7	45				
	Texas	117	3,628				
Football – 8-player	Arizona	30	780				
	California	77	1,784				
	Colorado	49	1,066				
	Idaho	29	664				
	Iowa	47	1,296				
	Kansas	103	2,206				
	Mississippi	1	49				
	Missouri	22	454				
	Montana	57	1,015				
	Nebraska	119	3,323				
	Nevada	19	486				
	New Mexico	14	125				
	Oklahoma	72	1,250				

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	403	5,411					140	962
Alaska	139	1,849	6	70	21	314	106	807
Arizona	236	6,634			113	3,626	181	2,242
Arkansas	234	4,320	43	431	99	1,622	92	681
California	1,275	34,991	9	177	355	10,617	1,085	20,873
Colorado	323	7,606			193	5,706	205	3,207
Connecticut	178	4,157			153	2,089	165	2,669
Delaware	49	1,041			17	335	40	623
District of Columbia	15	205			14	133	11	65
Florida	605	10,793	173	1,391			495	6,104
Georgia	383	9,322			225	5,050	343	4,343
Hawaii	65	1,390	53	527	49	673	65	895
Idaho	142	3,341			86	1,391	107	1,082
Illinois	680	17,428	211	3,164	293	6,622	501	8,891
Indiana	387	10,080					374	4,551
Iowa	392	9,375	89	776			309	3,989
Kansas	352	7,803	34	427			237	2,432
Kentucky	272	6,205	30	331	269	5,112	226	2,305
Louisiana	397	9,925	53	530			280	1,530
Maine	139	3,476	7	53	96	1,926	97	1,052
Maryland	189	4,722					181	2,403
Massachusetts	360	10,427					287	5,038
Michigan	667	19,140	258	2,562	321	7,786	576	7,073
Minnesota	456	11,253					333	4,451
Mississippi	263	6,841	55	311	260	3,900	147	1,320
Missouri	545	12,634					323	4,297
Montana	178	3,461					86	791
Nebraska	311	6,986					191	1,727
Nevada	95	2,479	29	259			68	712
New Hampshire	87	2,403			66	1,781	70	1,037
New Jersey	423	9,722	219	1,889			387	4,964
New Mexico	146	3,528					98	1,238
New York	688	17,850	207	3,024			539	6,348
North Carolina	368	8,116			365	18,718	337	4,316
North Dakota	169	2,682					62	402
Ohio	811	18,653	228	1,368			704	7,114
Oklahoma	471	7,660			180	1,950	175	1,255
Oregon	285	6,374			72	1,006	203	2,424
Pennsylvania	716	21,480	117	1,170			548	5,470
Rhode Island	49	1,135					42	693
South Carolina	199	5,002	9	69	93	2,881	145	1,906
South Dakota	180	3,032			41	205	127	702
Tennessee	363	6,618	130	1,246			262	2,715
Texas	1,244	70,753					1,189	29,091
Utah	119	2,766					113	1,553
Vermont	55	1,496			26	391	45	562
Virginia	300	7,821			300	10,897	284	4,017
Washington	368	9,429	52	1,156			280	3,717
West Virginia	130	2,543					74	642
Wisconsin	486	13,068					382	5,767
Wyoming	71	1,541			36	446	37	328

State	Field Hockey		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					155	463		
Alaska							8	123
Arizona			24	53	130	774		
Arkansas			3	82	129	540	7	73
California	91	3,654	104	149	746	6,652	40	732
Colorado	17	536	17	59	125	1,543	45	537
Connecticut	78	3,340		7	33	447	61	442
Delaware	45	1,415		3	18	58		
District of Columbia					4	21		
Florida				10	384	2,644		
Georgia			15	67	294	1,325	40	407
Hawaii			12	21	50	175	1	39
Idaho			11	31	74	469		
Illinois					354	2,903	85	1,935
Indiana					277	2,858	81	954
Iowa			13	20	330	3,806		
Kansas			6	4	113	1,062	17	226
Kentucky	20	763	5	14	217	1,339	8	111
Louisiana					126	504	23	253
Maine	82	2,918	6	7	41	89	1	13
Maryland	123	4,049		8	127	235	14	198
Massachusetts	205	8,391		12	25	499	92	1,238
Michigan	14	591			313	3,676	72	781
Minnesota					379	3,654	188	2,542
Mississippi					68	314		
Missouri					161	1,683	3	16
Montana			4	8	97	589		
Nebraska				10	132	1,253		
Nevada					63	448		
New Hampshire	56	2,060		10	26	54	35	192
New Jersey		9,490		2	211	1,009	69	907
New Mexico					77	365		
New York	232	8,619			109	1,211	115	1,556
North Carolina	18	382			194	1,239	19	122
North Dakota			4	15	105	605	14	80
Ohio	35	1,152	0	148	486	2,323	151	987
Oklahoma			1	1	215	925		
Oregon					169	1,156		
Pennsylvania	298	10,430			258	2,580	20	200
Rhode Island	22	695			1	61	16	186
South Carolina					77	518		
South Dakota					119	727	30	300
Tennessee					258	914		
Texas				235	1,132	7,963		
Utah			4	5	44	95		
Vermont	28	1,037	4	5	31	132	9	123
Virginia	129	4,359	25	37	132	298	81	851
Washington			10	12	250	2,310	81	1,683
West Virginia					2	2		
Wisconsin					146	1,594	83	1,067
Wyoming					39	179	7	55

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Skiing Alpine		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	22	141					32	469
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California			110	3,154	27	206	7	59
Colorado	8	28	48	1,433	15	190	9	106
Connecticut		7	68	2,992				
Delaware			24	643				
District of Columbia			1	17	7	97		
Florida			61	1,835				
Georgia			35	1,263				
Hawaii								
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	1	17	14	294			3	66
Louisiana								
Maine	31	380	40	1,378	49	321	38	292
Maryland			125	4,320				
Massachusetts	87	1,728	137	5,706	74	944	23	276
Michigan	20	317	52	1,760	86	766	4	43
Minnesota	239	3,430	48	1,278	95	747	109	1,660
Mississippi								
Missouri								
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					13	183		
New Hampshire		59	37	1,414	51	419	33	401
New Jersey	15	84	151	7,309			12	135
New Mexico								
New York			211	9,899				
North Carolina			43	1,032				
North Dakota	19	195						
Ohio		2	40	1,749	3	69		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania			121	3,872				
Rhode Island	16	212	20	631				
South Carolina			9	249				
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	23	378	23	378	24	184	24	240
Virginia			62	2,165				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	23	372						
Wyoming					6	64	7	92

State	Soccer		Softball Slow Pitch		Softball Fast Pitch		Swimming & Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	116	2,973			383	6,128	42	360
Alaska	30	879			22	536	28	489
Arizona	172	5,228			218	6,646	111	2,659
Arkansas	65	1,203			215	3,473	26	228
California	1,182	40,895			1,154	31,306	823	25,115
Colorado	298	6,659			173	3,777	124	3,830
Connecticut	151	5,710			169	4,486	93	2,822
Delaware	47	1,405			40	1,019	31	768
District of Columbia	5	120			13	158	3	22
Florida	502	13,562	41	765	529	10,086	400	7,352
Georgia	292	7,927	24	487	363	7,744	180	3,250
Hawaii	54	1,662			52	1,240	56	668
Idaho	67	1,767			89	2,035		
Illinois	369	15,588			659	17,262	274	7,157
Indiana	243	6,905			363	9,763	236	4,886
Iowa	116	5,031			386	9,696	63	1,526
Kansas	90	2,884			222	4,974	61	1,542
Kentucky	180	4,864	17	370	263	6,153	139	2,108
Louisiana	129	1,935			364	5,460	100	800
Maine	132	4,229			127	3,029	54	968
Maryland	178	5,665			188	5,426	96	2,166
Massachusetts	306	12,491			350	10,850	165	4,104
Michigan	428	14,171			618	16,429	266	6,736
Minnesota	209	7,872			423	11,132	201	5,416
Mississippi	112	2,276	198	6,109	184	5,610	43	1,721
Missouri	198	6,898			517	12,001	108	2,643
Montana	26	790			63	1,200	19	316
Nebraska	72	2,261			116	2,254	55	926
Nevada	65	1,975			81	2,009	49	1,087
New Hampshire	77	2,834			85	2,272	40	623
New Jersey	365	13,188			412	12,512	236	5,701
New Mexico	63	1,917			83	2,022	39	637
New York	637	22,806			679	18,793	317	7,480
North Carolina	308	8,592			362	7,996	236	4,444
North Dakota	16	595					18	297
Ohio	486	13,284	15	280	786	18,583	423	6,397
Oklahoma	115	1,650	320	4,500	420	7,250	42	500
Oregon	148	5,217			221	4,904	123	2,173
Pennsylvania	541	18,935			662	23,170	429	5,148
Rhode Island	46	1,413			47	1,174	33	596
South Carolina	139	3,672			187	4,728	73	1,155
South Dakota								
Tennessee	228	5,389			353	6,140		
Texas	515	19,823			1,029	28,823	414	6,674
Utah	80	2,568			86	1,957	70	1,389
Vermont	59	2,091			48	1,088		
Virginia	257	7,597			300	7,858	169	3,910
Washington	259	9,266			304	7,914		
West Virginia	67	1,603			124	2,476	39	632
Wisconsin	243	8,647			436	11,906	137	3,656
Wyoming	20	720					24	562

State	Tennis		Track & Field Indoor		Track & Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	155	1,579	44	450	293	4,425	338	5,238
Alaska	13	193			45	808	70	1,578
Arizona	145	2,492			198	5,966	230	7,022
Arkansas	97	855	26	310	195	2,936	107	2,220
California	973	21,818			1,097	38,817	1,231	36,499
Colorado	138	4,602			289	6,337	308	8,775
Connecticut	137	2,872	137	4,152	160	6,201	148	4,118
Delaware	32	590	31	700	38	951	42	1,204
District of Columbia	7	51	11	73	10	103	12	148
Florida	571	4,904			504	12,273	574	12,604
Georgia					366	8,521	243	5,341
Hawaii	63	958			64	1,371	67	1,726
Idaho	52	1,052			127	2,842	151	4,153
Illinois	319	8,245			591	18,063	696	21,290
Indiana	304	5,294			380	10,422	390	12,782
Iowa	111	3,433			376	9,538	395	13,680
Kansas	126	2,390			325	6,644	357	9,425
Kentucky	218	2,783			246	4,514	244	5,414
Louisiana	165	1,155	90	900	369	4,059	199	4,378
Maine			67	1,241	103	2,362	26	571
Maryland	179	2,461	165	4,095	185	5,097	180	4,701
Massachusetts		4,438	232	7,927	307	11,664	255	6,578
Michigan	336	9,816	49	944	627	18,109	703	21,545
Minnesota	230	5,672			431	13,028	446	14,069
Mississippi	156	1,602	19	513	209	4,362	71	8,078
Missouri	172	3,441			467	11,595	422	10,821
Montana	56	1,062			178	2,504	172	3,758
Nebraska	63	1,328			310	7,561	311	7,983
Nevada	51	753			84	2,410	100	2,661
New Hampshire	51	863	49	1,202	71	2,224	56	1,433
New Jersey	358	6,670	301	8,037	382	13,577	228	6,075
New Mexico	53	852			145	3,113	143	3,633
New York	429	8,512	353	9,450	593	18,734	596	15,153
North Carolina	320	4,150	169	2,795	352	9,160	365	8,251
North Dakota	21	453			153	1,933	162	3,398
Ohio	423	6,964	146	3,228	779	21,967	804	19,163
Oklahoma	119	888	28	345	394	3,980	81	1,110
Oregon	127	2,677			264	6,293	277	6,961
Pennsylvania	429	5,148	174	2,610	588	18,816	572	10,296
Rhode Island	43	890	36	1,188	39	1,609	41	994
South Carolina	131	1,935			189	5,359	188	4,463
South Dakota	22	310			178	2,703	174	4,078
Tennessee	262	2,959			252	5,729	292	5,557
Texas	1,108	17,304			1,236	67,350	997	36,512
Utah	79	1,400			113	3,788	116	2,779
Vermont	24	367	15	246	43	969		
Virginia	260	3,553	209	5,341	296	8,330	283	6,995
Washington	245	7,473			335	9,769	362	10,537
West Virginia	83	1,033			105	2,686	113	2,379
Wisconsin	206	6,117			429	11,470	474	15,997
Wyoming	16	339	16	325	68	1,139	69	1,708

State	Wrestling Schools	Particip.
Alabama		
Alaska	42	109
Arizona	66	173
Arkansas		
California	366	1,142
Colorado	49	271
Connecticut		73
Delaware		5
District of Columbia		
Florida	16	272
Georgia	53	155
Hawaii	55	362
Idaho		
Illinois		
Indiana		
Iowa	27	63
Kansas	18	50
Kentucky	13	31
Louisiana		
Maine	42	100
Maryland	9	89
Massachusetts		
Michigan		
Minnesota		
Mississippi		
Missouri		
Montana	10	21
Nebraska		47
Nevada		
New Hampshire		8
New Jersey	1	19
New Mexico		
New York		
North Carolina		
North Dakota	10	13
Ohio		87
Oklahoma	1	1
Oregon	46	55
Pennsylvania		
Rhode Island		15
South Carolina		
South Dakota	5	24
Tennessee		
Texas	191	1,460
Utah	4	5
Vermont	7	10
Virginia	62	98
Washington	85	281
West Virginia	1	1
Wisconsin		
Wyoming	48	8

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Maryland	18	265	Heptathlon	Alabama	17	39
	Minnesota	23	163		Arkansas	8	15
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	26	138	Judo	Hawaii	47	307
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	31	160		Kentucky	2	15
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	29	160	Kayaking	Hawaii	10	125
	Alaska	1	2		Alaska	10	70
Badminton	Arizona	44	845	Riflery	Arkansas	7	17
	California	185	4,491		Georgia	89	313
	Florida	17	236		Hawaii	41	409
	Illinois	87	3,337		Kentucky	17	87
	Maryland	35	488		Maine	2	4
	Minnesota	17	571		Michigan	3	20
	New York	38	918		New York	8	39
Baseball	Alaska	1	2		Ohio	1	5
	Arizona	9	40	Rodeo	Pennsylvania	38	380
	Arkansas	7	103		Arkansas	6	12
	California	33	385	Sailing	Iowa	13	25
	Colorado	41	165		Hawaii	9	55
	Connecticut	1	1	Snowboarding	Maine	4	32
	Florida	0	11		California	27	279
	Georgia	12	50		Maine	4	24
	Hawaii	6	10		Michigan	6	72
	Maine	4	6		Ohio	3	25
	Maryland	0	9		Vermont	8	52
	Massachusetts	0	6	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	14	218
	Nebraska	0	24		Ohio	1	12
	New Jersey	4	105	Synch. Swimming	Michigan	8	145
	North Dakota	2	3		Minnesota	19	333
	Ohio	0	124	Team Tennis	Ohio	3	64
	Oklahoma	2	2		Georgia	344	4,481
	Texas	0	267		Hawaii	63	958
	Utah	5	5		Maine	94	1,603
	Vermont	3	2		Minnesota	230	5,672
	Washington	6	92		Missouri	172	3,441
Canoeing	California	2	92	Water Polo	Texas	441	9,771
	Hawaii	59	1,264		California	501	13,482
Crew	California	18	380		Florida	74	1,127
	Delaware	3	81		Hawaii	30	510
	District of Columbia	1	49		Illinois	62	1,735
	Florida	15	286		Michigan	24	564
	Kentucky	5	79		Ohio	7	103
	Maine	5	35	Weight Lifting	Pennsylvania	18	270
	Michigan	21	611		Arkansas	2	105
	Ohio	17	212		California	14	481
	Virginia	28	952		Florida	183	3,862
Decathlon	California	6	82		Georgia	28	874
	Maine	1	12		Kentucky	15	346
Equestrian	California	37	407		Maine	3	22
	Maine	1	1		Michigan	16	235
	Michigan	126	914		Mississippi	41	738
	Ohio	2	19		Ohio	16	447
Football – 6-player	Texas	0	1				
Football – 8-player	Arizona	2	2				
	California	5	15				
	Iowa	1	1				
	Kansas	3	1				
	Nebraska	0	12				
	Oklahoma	1	1				
	Washington	2	2				

2007-08 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

Conducted By

THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2007-08 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED Number of Participants
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	
ADAPTED SPORTS					
Basketball	18	113	12	60	173
Bowling	37	299	37	223	522
Floor Hockey	63	604	63	282	886
Soccer	68	632	70	456	1,088
Softball	62	444	65	347	791
Track	18	113	13	83	196
ARCHERY	45	990	43	544	1,534
BADMINTON	213	4,093	431	11,361	15,454
BASEBALL	15,720	478,029	154	1,010	479,039
BASKETBALL	17,861	552,935	17,564	449,450	1,002,385
BOWLING	2,261	26,353	2,321	25,391	51,744
CANOEING	58	1,181	61	1,304	2,485
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS	560	2,673	4,510	111,307	113,980
CREW	97	2,555	94	2,400	4,955
CROSS COUNTRY	13,485	221,109	13,294	190,349	411,458
DANCE/DRILL	3	6	57	975	981
EQUESTRIAN	51	214	165	1,314	1,528
FENCING	96	1,884	102	1,852	3,736
FIELD HOCKEY	18	408	1,760	62,557	62,965
FLAG FOOTBALL	7	251	168	5,148	5,399
FOOTBALL – 11-player	13,987	1,108,286	255	1,225	1,109,511
6-player	196	4,534	3	9	4,543
8-player	723	16,311	21	88	16,399
9-player	275	6,230	5	7	6,237
GOLF	13,647	159,958	9,447	69,243	229,201
GYMNASTICS	115	2,140	1,454	18,058	20,198
ICE HOCKEY	1,564	36,667	534	8,621	45,288
JUDO	45	705	45	361	1,066
LACROSSE	1,815	82,860	1,624	61,086	143,946
RIFLERY	218	2,232	176	1,062	3,294
SKIING – ALPINE	573	5,824	543	4,711	10,535
SKIING – CROSS COUNTRY	416	4,438	396	4,461	8,899
SNOWBOARDING	49	824	45	432	1,256
SOCCER	11,122	383,561	10,543	346,545	730,106
SOFT TENNIS	20	390	22	455	845
SOFTBALL – FAST PITCH	63	1,335	14,846	371,293	372,628
SOFTBALL – SLOW PITCH	2	67	719	14,709	14,776
SWIMMING AND DIVING	6,428	111,896	6,766	147,197	259,093
TEAM TENNIS	1,342	27,061	1,383	28,776	55,837
TENNIS	9,576	156,285	9,694	172,455	328,740
TRACK AND FIELD – INDOOR	3,095	67,213	2,659	59,832	127,045
TRACK AND FIELD – OUTDOOR	15,835	548,821	15,772	447,520	996,341
VOLLEYBALL	2,006	46,780	15,009	397,968	444,748
WATER POLO	698	18,032	712	17,773	35,805
WEIGHTLIFTING	691	21,887	366	7,630	29,517
WRESTLING	10,090	259,688	1,287	5,527	265,215
OTHER	260	3,204	316	2,919	6,123

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS 2007-08 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,861	1.	Football – 11-player	1,108,286
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,835	2.	Basketball	552,935
3.	Baseball	15,720	3.	Track and Field – Outdoor	548,821
4.	Football – 11-player	13,987	4.	Baseball	478,029
5.	Golf	13,647	5.	Soccer	383,561
6.	Cross Country	13,485	6.	Wrestling	259,688
7.	Soccer	11,122	7.	Cross Country	221,109
8.	Wrestling	10,090	8.	Golf	159,958
9.	Tennis	9,576	9.	Tennis	156,285
10.	Swimming and Diving	6,428	10.	Swimming and Diving	111,896

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,564	1.	Basketball	449,450
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,772	2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	447,520
3.	Volleyball	15,009	3.	Volleyball	397,968
4.	Softball – Fast Pitch	14,846	4.	Softball – Fast Pitch	371,293
5.	Cross Country	13,294	5.	Soccer	346,545
6.	Soccer	10,543	6.	Cross Country	190,349
7.	Tennis	9,694	7.	Tennis	172,455
8.	Golf	9,447	8.	Swimming and Diving	147,197
9.	Swimming and Diving	6,766	9.	Competitive Spirit Squads	111,307
10.	Competitive Spirit Squads	4,510	10.	Golf	69,243

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total	Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total
1971-72	3,666,917	294,015	3,960,932	1991-92	3,429,853	1,940,801	5,370,654
1972-73	3,770,621	817,073	4,587,694	1992-93	3,416,389	1,997,489	5,413,878
1973-74	4,070,125	1,300,169	5,370,294	1993-94	3,472,967	2,130,315	5,603,282
1975-76	4,109,021	1,645,039	5,754,060	1994-95	3,536,359	2,240,461	5,776,820
1977-78	4,367,442	2,083,040	6,450,482	1995-96	3,634,052	2,367,936	6,001,988
1978-79	3,709,512	1,854,400	5,563,912	1996-97	3,706,225	2,474,043	6,180,268
1979-80	3,517,829	1,750,264	5,268,093	1997-98	3,763,120	2,570,333	6,333,453
1980-81	3,503,124	1,853,789	5,356,913	1998-99	3,832,352	2,652,726	6,485,078
1981-82	3,409,081	1,810,671	5,219,752	1999-00	3,861,749	2,675,874	6,537,623
1982-83	3,355,558	1,779,972	5,135,530	2000-01	3,921,069	2,784,154	6,705,223
1983-84	3,303,599	1,747,346	5,050,945	2001-02	3,960,517	2,806,998	6,767,515
1984-85	3,354,284	1,757,884	5,112,168	2002-03	3,988,738	2,856,358	6,845,096
1985-86	3,344,275	1,807,121	5,151,396	2003-04	4,038,253	2,865,299	6,903,552
1986-87	3,364,082	1,836,356	5,200,438	2004-05	4,110,319	2,908,390	7,018,709
1987-88	3,425,777	1,849,684	5,275,461	2005-06	4,206,549	2,953,355	7,159,904
1988-89	3,416,844	1,839,352	5,256,196	2006-07	4,321,103	3,021,807	7,342,910
1989-90	3,398,192	1,858,659	5,256,851	2007-08	4,372,115	3,057,266	7,429,381
1990-91	3,406,355	1,892,316	5,298,671				

2007-08 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank	State	Boys	Girls	Total ¹	Rank	State	Boys	Girls	Total ¹
1.	Texas	474,899	304,150	779,049	27.	Kentucky	54,667	43,803	98,470
2.	California	437,592	297,905	735,497	28.	Oregon	57,753	39,070	96,823
3.	New York	217,566	163,304	380,870	29.	Alabama	58,696	27,869	86,565
4.	Ohio	206,452	140,119	346,571	30.	South Carolina	54,268	31,964	86,232
5.	Illinois	202,792	133,854	336,646	31.	Nebraska	47,448	32,238	79,686
6.	Michigan	183,839	131,895	315,734	32.	Oklahoma	43,068	32,356	75,424
7.	Pennsylvania	153,443	133,549	286,992	33.	Arkansas	38,958	25,193	64,151
8.	New Jersey	149,845	106,992	256,837	34.	Maine	30,182	26,287	56,469
9.	Minnesota	129,895	100,173	230,068	35.	Louisiana	29,795	22,004	51,799
10.	Florida	130,880	96,277	227,157	36.	Utah	30,244	19,282	49,526
11.	Massachusetts	120,410	92,416	212,826	37.	Idaho	25,981	19,324	45,305
12.	Wisconsin	118,811	80,847	199,658	38.	New Hampshire	23,274	19,444	42,718
13.	North Carolina	108,637	83,565	192,202	39.	New Mexico	24,324	17,233	41,557
14.	Virginia	98,629	76,422	175,051	40.	Nevada	24,976	15,193	40,169
15.	Missouri	101,894	69,817	171,711	41.	West Virginia	21,809	15,970	37,779
16.	Georgia	107,390	63,192	170,582	42.	Hawaii	21,534	15,967	37,501
17.	Indiana	93,896	64,897	158,793	43.	Montana	18,844	14,465	33,309
18.	Iowa	91,774	65,198	156,972	44.	South Dakota	17,311	12,259	29,570
19.	Washington	82,492	60,128	142,620	45.	Rhode Island	16,645	12,025	28,670
20.	Colorado	72,021	54,958	126,979	46.	North Dakota	15,750	10,754	26,504
21.	Maryland	64,674	46,342	111,016	47.	Delaware	14,055	10,445	24,500
22.	Connecticut	59,778	47,724	107,502	48.	Alaska	12,127	10,375	22,502
23.	Arizona	65,763	40,146	105,909	49.	Vermont	9,808	8,659	18,467
24.	Tennessee	69,152	34,961	104,113	50.	Wyoming	10,109	7,566	17,675
25.	Kansas	61,714	40,010	101,724	51.	District of Columbia	2,178	1,262	3,440
26.	Mississippi	64,073	37,418	101,491					

¹Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	386	8,897	405	11,669				
Alaska	27	653	158	2,418	8	108	11	32
Arizona	231	7,966	251	7,917			28	78
Arkansas	270	5,272	299	6,373	56	624	26	89
California	1,236	42,835	1,334	44,722	12	258	109	566
Colorado	278	8,157	324	8,763			47	233
Connecticut	168	6,034	178	5,182		171		
Delaware	47	1,410	50	1,395				
District of Columbia	13	227	15	356				
Florida	558	13,341	629	14,028	129	1,027		201
Georgia	387	12,060	396	11,770			28	76
Hawaii	53	1,770	69	1,786	54	582	19	42
Idaho	90	2,516	143	3,904			26	62
Illinois	679	24,663	730	23,846	169	2,351		
Indiana	400	11,659	401	12,788				
Iowa	376	12,585	389	13,083	89	1,090		
Kansas	227	6,212	344	9,150	53	843		
Kentucky	260	7,404	264	6,836	55	806	46	299
Louisiana	480	7,200	377	4,147	47	235		
Maine	134	3,776	143	3,995	6	86	30	48
Maryland	186	5,628	187	5,428	24	161		
Massachusetts	351	13,336	355	12,034				
Michigan	643	19,141	736	23,159	297	3,386		
Minnesota	438	15,206	472	15,460				
Mississippi	248	7,211	267	9,826	59	251		
Missouri	485	15,347	566	15,003				
Montana			180	3,798				
Nebraska	53	1,880	309	7,959				
Nevada	85	2,460	99	3,130	29	300		
New Hampshire	86	2,660	89	2,473				11
New Jersey	385	15,537	399	13,567	231	3,034		
New Mexico	103	2,813	151	4,012				
New York	723	22,171	743	21,957	388	4,630		
North Carolina	371	10,377	377	11,248				
North Dakota	89	1,287	170	3,379				
Ohio	801	23,454	815	26,784	275	3,505	62	703
Oklahoma	439	7,415	481	9,001			12	35
Oregon	239	6,824	287	7,447				
Pennsylvania	678	21,696	725	21,750	137	1,370		
Rhode Island	48	1,762	48	1,454				2
South Carolina	190	5,940	198	6,480	5	34		
South Dakota			179	3,776			5	12
Tennessee	353	8,761	363	9,261	137	1,492		
Texas	1,094	41,656	1,256	75,302				
Utah	110	2,907	118	3,214				
Vermont	46	1,200	47	1,337	1	9		
Virginia	305	9,219	309	9,558			78	133
Washington	300	8,998	350	10,384				
West Virginia	125	2,863	130	3,086				
Wisconsin	446	15,643	486	15,763				
Wyoming			70	1,777			33	51

State	Cross Country		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	157	1,133	382	22,052	259	1,229		
Alaska	116	1,106	30	2,018				
Arizona	187	2,677	188	18,920	180	1,831		
Arkansas	117	1,329	218	13,100	196	1,349	4	25
California	1,085	25,790	1,053	108,162	984	11,897	9	37
Colorado	204	3,545	161	17,764	195	2,342	2	10
Connecticut	167	3,676	142	10,228	152	1,871		
Delaware	39	732	43	3,224	44	387		
District of Columbia	11	94	12	727	6	60		
Florida	505	6,255	509	36,101	475	3,508		
Georgia	351	6,103	377	32,209	355	3,077		
Hawaii	67	1,110	48	5,009	58	458		
Idaho	102	1,335	104	7,059	90	1,042		
Illinois	513	9,766	562	51,334	537	8,219	54	1,546
Indiana	374	4,799	316	23,106	377	4,398		
Iowa	312	4,661	308	22,291	356	7,121		
Kansas	239	3,247	250	14,883	250	3,355		
Kentucky	222	2,613	219	13,842	236	2,360	5	33
Louisiana	261	2,088	284	4,260	222	1,110	10	25
Maine	100	1,277	74	3,974	114	1,304	1	2
Maryland	182	3,472	180	15,559	157	1,441	6	42
Massachusetts	286	5,689	326	21,758	285	4,233	9	236
Michigan	581	8,377	630	46,395	534	7,571		
Minnesota	329	6,450	354	27,626	389	6,574		
Mississippi	151	2,595	242	22,302	164	1,906		
Missouri	326	5,161	333	23,638	346	4,622		
Montana	89	880	91	4,796	96	1,205		
Nebraska	194	2,427	177	11,311	238	3,038		
Nevada	70	830	71	6,890	70	866		
New Hampshire	74	1,081	56	3,537	71	916		27
New Jersey	374	7,082	350	27,028	314	4,187		21
New Mexico	103	1,358	95	6,571	80	814		
New York	554	9,293	566	38,354	599	8,151	12	95
North Carolina	344	5,885	362	29,569	353	3,478		
North Dakota	67	509	80	3,167	124	1,239		
Ohio	710	9,606	727	52,098	742	8,368	3	40
Oklahoma	178	1,361	310	11,415	237	1,287		
Oregon	211	3,192	196	13,946	195	2,187		
Pennsylvania	553	5,530	558	26,865	558	5,580		
Rhode Island	44	941	43	3,171	40	443		1
South Carolina	145	2,590	195	18,359	148	1,738		
South Dakota	133	900	72	3,831	134	1,238		
Tennessee	264	3,713	334	22,899	315	2,815		
Texas	1,196	29,185	1,050	161,503	1,156	12,693		
Utah	114	1,935	94	7,797	108	1,390		
Vermont	38	469	23	1,346	38	381		
Virginia	282	5,051	304	26,002	293	3,038		
Washington	262	4,974	275	19,645	253	3,227		
West Virginia	78	747	121	6,530	110	1,092		
Wisconsin	386	6,094	433	31,293	375	6,790		
Wyoming	38	396	59	2,822	39	532		

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	28	762			14	172	31	473
Arizona								
Arkansas					12	128		
California	4	57	138	5,323	1	4	5	46
Colorado	25	711	50	3,045			15	121
Connecticut	65	1,743	77	4,123				
Delaware			34	1,349				
District of Columbia								
Florida			66	2,349				
Georgia			45	2,082	103	714		
Hawaii								
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	10	280	22	921	18	432	3	3
Louisiana								
Maine	61	1,344	42	1,851	2	17	41	417
Maryland			141	6,091				
Massachusetts	285	7,294	179	8,121			22	269
Michigan	224	3,988	95	4,126	4	50	4	33
Minnesota	274	6,245	52	2,433			108	1,608
Mississippi								
Missouri								
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada								
New Hampshire	41	1,081	45	1,974			33	304
New Jersey	122	3,300	138	8,036			13	175
New Mexico								
New York	150	3,320	301	15,706	20	293	112	689
North Carolina			58	2,151				
North Dakota	29	530						
Ohio	96	2,071	70	3,311	2	2		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania			132	4,224	42	420		
Rhode Island	37	875	22	732				
South Carolina			16	496				
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	21	385	23	921			22	212
Virginia			69	3,495				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	92	2,681						
Wyoming							7	88

State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming and Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			140	3,501	71	539	149	1,553
Alaska			35	1,015	31	342	16	236
Arizona			187	6,205	113	2,033	151	2,144
Arkansas			84	1,895	35	278	118	921
California	29	274	1,196	44,730	798	18,852	942	19,139
Colorado	15	137	176	6,989	92	1,898	144	2,752
Connecticut			175	7,056	94	1,909	138	2,449
Delaware			45	1,677	28	504	28	408
District of Columbia	7	158	7	143	3	19	7	33
Florida			476	13,392	402	5,399	445	4,118
Georgia			308	9,288	195	2,626		
Hawaii			53	1,533	51	458	63	769
Idaho			66	1,839			57	1,202
Illinois			406	17,426	253	5,987	315	7,497
Indiana			278	8,385	234	3,855	308	4,790
Iowa			140	5,479	46	1,243	109	2,394
Kansas			180	3,990	117	1,311	121	2,375
Kentucky			174	5,219	115	1,272	202	2,336
Louisiana			145	1,740			162	1,296
Maine	46	435	131	4,221	48	642		
Maryland			175	6,371	103	1,841	174	2,341
Massachusetts	77	937	348	13,103	155	2,461	261	3,676
Michigan	94	846	475	14,943	235	4,882	344	7,560
Minnesota	98	1,162	224	9,912	146	3,558		
Mississippi			119	3,664	45	1,458	160	1,983
Missouri			212	7,675	91	1,940	175	3,478
Montana			30	891	20	196	37	761
Nebraska			67	2,543	56	675	58	948
Nevada	13	269	66	2,185	50	675	48	681
New Hampshire	53	536	87	3,118	40	324	52	783
New Jersey			384	16,890	223	4,454	327	6,458
New Mexico			67	2,083	39	509	52	724
New York	112	689	680	24,651	293	5,728	517	9,980
North Carolina			334	10,299	245	3,188	322	7,360
North Dakota			16	610	16	262	18	297
Ohio	2	135	588	15,290	409	4,892	443	6,024
Oklahoma			121	1,801	42	450	173	1,403
Oregon			180	6,005	122	1,642	125	2,191
Pennsylvania			581	20,335	321	5,778	415	4,980
Rhode Island			46	1,662	23	355	40	743
South Carolina			152	4,882	75	920	115	1,455
South Dakota							21	389
Tennessee			246	6,577			259	2,457
Texas			528	27,043	420	6,359	1,122	17,925
Utah			91	2,844	69	1,394	79	1,444
Vermont	21	177	47	1,708	1	2	20	254
Virginia			270	9,295	173	3,247	251	3,076
Washington			241	8,844	116	2,777	204	4,561
West Virginia			71	1,815	42	397	81	746
Wisconsin			253	10,035	110	1,991	193	4,907
Wyoming	6	69	21	764	22	374	15	288

State	Track and Field Indoor		Track and Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			287	6,125			80	1,940
Alaska			48	1,029	4	28	94	1,476
Arizona			220	8,228	55	1,358	187	5,562
Arkansas	450	871	247	5,194				
California			1,088	49,911	619	14,532	807	25,896
Colorado			301	8,419	16	361	235	5,175
Connecticut	149	4,883	162	6,811	37	724	125	2,918
Delaware	30	728	38	1,032	5	101	41	1,045
District of Columbia	12	139	12	181				
Florida			514	14,954	118	1,709	357	8,011
Georgia			382	11,609			299	7,719
Hawaii			65	2,079	57	1,091	54	1,199
Idaho			142	4,119			98	2,244
Illinois			608	24,517	192	7,048	418	16,535
Indiana			384	12,418			309	7,698
Iowa			373	12,566			289	7,824
Kansas			341	9,395	1	1	191	4,792
Kentucky			234	5,276			74	1,633
Louisiana	355	3,550	355	3,550			74	594
Maine	61	1,263	108	2,655	12	156	68	970
Maryland	164	4,657	183	6,190	34	589	172	4,652
Massachusetts	238	8,543	309	11,970	92	1,982	178	4,674
Michigan	29	416	656	23,550			464	11,533
Minnesota			433	15,543			352	8,437
Mississippi	19	1,168	214	7,612			1	19
Missouri			463	13,763			215	7,333
Montana			180	3,508			89	1,536
Nebraska			307	8,869		42	241	4,610
Nevada			88	3,066	30	864	80	2,255
New Hampshire	51	1,175	74	2,399	9	179	35	696
New Jersey	299	10,086	367	16,521	90	2,447	321	9,839
New Mexico			152	3,629			53	1,461
New York	390	11,290	633	21,588	180	4,349	492	13,932
North Carolina	198	3,785	360	12,496			317	8,801
North Dakota			155	2,210			74	944
Ohio	164	2,781	783	27,261	103	2,437	618	14,008
Oklahoma	31	400	406	4,550			125	2,450
Oregon			269	8,652			196	4,647
Pennsylvania	181	2,715	602	19,264	202	3,636	500	9,000
Rhode Island	35	1,417	38	1,603	26	562	34	922
South Carolina			192	7,167			124	4,207
South Dakota			176	3,559			103	1,491
Tennessee			254	7,302			158	3,875
Texas			1,247	80,463			240	7,489
Utah			112	4,353			96	2,966
Vermont	15	232	37	732	1	6	19	229
Virginia	207	6,741	303	10,774	72	1,217	258	6,791
Washington			320	11,180			257	7,278
West Virginia			108	2,920			85	1,613
Wisconsin			434	14,504	51	1,361	344	7,749
Wyoming	17	373	71	1,555			49	1,020

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Basketball	Georgia	18	113		Oklahoma	72	1,500
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	33	232		Oregon	53	1,020
	Ohio	3	43		Washington	35	624
	Vermont	1	24	Football – 9-player	Maine	1	40
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	62	495		Michigan	4	168
	Ohio	6	137		Minnesota	86	2,477
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	62	444		North Dakota	83	1,316
Adapted Track	Georgia	18	113		Ohio	2	114
Badminton	California	154	3,512		South Dakota	99	2,115
	Florida	13	52	Judo	Hawaii	43	699
	Kentucky	2	42		Kentucky	2	6
	Maryland	37	210	Kayaking	Hawaii	9	111
	New York	7	277	Rodeo	Arkansas	5	15
Canoeing	Hawaii	57	1,161		Iowa	16	51
	Maine	1	20		Ohio	2	2
Crew	California	15	393	Sailing	Maine	2	25
	Delaware	2	63	Snowboarding	California	29	441
	Dist. of Columbia	1	41		Maine	4	121
	Florida	11	206		Michigan	9	190
	Kentucky	1	10		Vermont	7	72
	Maine	1	15	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	13	164
	Michigan	23	516		Maine	2	31
	Ohio	10	319		Ohio	5	195
	Virginia	33	992	Softball – Fast Pitch	California	34	743
Decathlon	Alabama	27	58		Maryland		1
	Arkansas	9	16		Nebraska		5
	California	6	37		Ohio	27	560
	Maine	3	9		Vermont	2	26
Equestrian	California	8	73	Softball – Slow Pitch	Ohio	2	67
	Maine	1	2	Team Tennis	Georgia	355	4,189
	Michigan	39	128		Hawaii	63	769
	Ohio	3	11		Maine	88	1,334
Fencing	California	24	207		Minnesota	193	5,429
	Kentucky	2	18		Missouri	175	3,478
	Maine	2	17		Texas	467	11,851
	New Jersey	42	1,183		Vermont	1	11
	New York	22	423	Water Polo	California	503	14,064
	Ohio	3	27		Florida	69	914
	Vermont	1	9		Hawaii	12	172
Field Hockey	California	2	193		Illinois	71	2,057
	Colorado	14	102		Michigan	20	465
	Kentucky	2	19		Ohio	3	60
	Massachusetts		94		Pennsylvania	20	300
Football – 6-player	Colorado	23	464	Weightlifting	Arkansas	32	967
	Montana	24	290		California	22	1,617
	New Mexico	21	350		Florida	217	5,315
	Texas	117	3,430		Georgia	90	3,642
Football – 8-player	Arizona	34	844		Kentucky	43	2,172
	California	77	1,784		Maine	5	144
	Colorado	49	1,033		Michigan	67	2,188
	Idaho	30	653		Mississippi	164	4,029
	Iowa	55	1,386		Ohio	51	1,813
	Kansas	98	2,160				
	Mississippi	1	49				
	Missouri	22	456				
	Montana	57	983				
	Nebraska	119	3,141				
	Nevada	20	505				
	Ohio	2	173				

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	401	5,384					157	1,057
Alaska	145	2,053	8	80	27	704	116	896
Arizona	246	6,758			113	3,626	187	2,269
Arkansas	289	5,221	56	546	116	1,966	117	969
California	1,275	34,991	9	177	355	10,617	1,085	20,873
Colorado	322	7,359			330	5,637	204	3,317
Connecticut	178	4,059	116	2,201			167	2,630
Delaware	49	968			15	323	39	630
District of Columbia	15	205			14	133	11	65
Florida	604	10,447	154	1,377	192	4,310	505	5,960
Georgia	394	9,177			231	5,195	351	4,615
Hawaii	66	1,288	54	552	48	744	67	1,064
Idaho	142	3,342			84	1,404	102	1,072
Illinois	681	17,804	220	3,171	310	7,528	513	8,753
Indiana	391	9,378					374	4,288
Iowa	383	10,031	61	830			312	4,268
Kansas	342	7,257	50	747			239	2,597
Kentucky	264	5,852	53	791	248	4,828	222	2,175
Louisiana	376	3,384	37	185			261	3,120
Maine	144	3,402	5	50	86	1,816	100	1,138
Maryland	188	4,758	24	70			182	2,579
Massachusetts	358	10,217					286	5,050
Michigan	704	18,221	278	2,539	322	7,381	581	7,835
Minnesota	459	12,180					329	5,264
Mississippi	267	6,941	59	352	273	4,095	151	1,375
Missouri	545	12,530					326	4,395
Montana	177	3,260					89	842
Nebraska	310	6,752					194	1,866
Nevada	96	2,497	28	275			70	710
New Hampshire	88	2,045			66	1,526	74	930
New Jersey	404	10,194	216	1,892			374	4,757
New Mexico	151	3,510					103	1,190
New York	741	17,750	322	3,450			554	7,460
North Carolina	376	8,380			373	19,116	344	4,505
North Dakota	169	2,660					67	470
Ohio	815	19,539	255	2,582	536	11,224	710	8,667
Oklahoma	481	8,125			175	1,863	178	1,291
Oregon	288	6,443					211	2,494
Pennsylvania	719	21,570	132	1,320			553	5,570
Rhode Island	49	1,110			23	509	44	754
South Carolina	197	4,854	5	29	88	2,976	145	1,961
South Dakota	177	3,073			20	310	133	714
Tennessee	364	6,537	130	1,167			264	2,799
Texas	1,244	71,235					1,196	29,102
Utah	116	2,768					114	1,503
Vermont	46	1,187	1	4			38	424
Virginia	306	7,927			306	10,855	282	4,112
Washington	342	8,366	48	1,004			262	3,301
West Virginia	130	2,368			126	2,212	78	615
Wisconsin	479	12,545					386	5,768
Wyoming	71	1,548			33	409	38	290

State	Field Hockey		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					166	496		
Alaska			8	22			13	148
Arizona			24	53	137	806		
Arkansas			4	51	144	585	12	145
California	91	3,654	104	149	746	6,652	40	732
Colorado	14	402	10	15	195	1,404	46	562
Connecticut	78	3,290		13	37	518	58	443
Delaware	44	1,511			17	32		
District of Columbia					4	21		
Florida				3	385	2,194		
Georgia			12	58	311	1,554	41	411
Hawaii			8	20	58	202	1	5
Idaho			6	6	84	515		
Illinois					377	2,984	82	1,743
Indiana					277	2,617	83	869
Iowa			3	3	371	4,072		
Kansas			3	5	95	994	13	154
Kentucky	21	658	6	10	196	1,287	6	84
Louisiana					140	420	8	24
Maine	81	2,821	7	8	52	85	2	24
Maryland	126	4,022		2	115	258	13	182
Massachusetts	207	8,122		20	26	558	92	1,148
Michigan	13	518			365	3,854	60	619
Minnesota					379	4,383	185	2,568
Mississippi					75	391		
Missouri					161	1,702		
Montana			1	1	96	622		
Nebraska				19	132	1,351		
Nevada					64	444		
New Hampshire	57	1,833		9	27	177	30	173
New Jersey	222	9,218		48	206	1,152	70	953
New Mexico					80	389		
New York	240	8,348			143	1,449	122	1,670
North Carolina	29	569			210	1,488		
North Dakota			3	12	111	762	12	81
Ohio	53	812	14	367	506	2,621	149	966
Oklahoma			3	3	218	915		
Oregon					174	1,181		
Pennsylvania	303	10,605			310	3,100	22	220
Rhode Island	21	632			1	49	16	167
South Carolina					69	541		
South Dakota			1	3	119	747	29	261
Tennessee					266	966		
Texas				166	1,136	7,543		
Utah			5	5	82	795		
Vermont	26	988	5	108	25	111	9	98
Virginia	134	4,554	20	28	142	336	80	878
Washington			8	18	230	2,053	71	1,459
West Virginia								
Wisconsin					149	1,662	83	1,215
Wyoming					38	205	6	56

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Skiing Alpine		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	25	151			29	509		
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California			110	3,154	7	59	27	206
Colorado	6	9	38	1,421	15	122	15	137
Connecticut		6	71	3,024				
Delaware			24	678				
District of Columbia			1	17			7	97
Florida			66	1,872				
Georgia			49	1,716				
Hawaii								
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	7	142	12	518	2	5		
Louisiana								
Maine	39	467	40	1,468	41	288	45	277
Maryland			129	4,535				
Massachusetts	92	1,743	152	6,118	22	237	73	821
Michigan	12	216	68	2,016	4	30	89	690
Minnesota	236	4,156	58	2,335	108	1,884	97	955
Mississippi								
Missouri								
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada							13	191
New Hampshire	10	158	40	1,301	31	316	53	424
New Jersey	11	67	154	8,125	12	153		
New Mexico								
New York	10	250	258	10,871	97	559	97	559
North Carolina			32	1,176				
North Dakota	19	203						
Ohio	10	37	62	2,286			2	143
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania			136	4,352				
Rhode Island	13	182	23	888				
South Carolina			15	336				
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	19	320	23	726	21	210	19	139
Virginia			63	2,153				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	25	514						
Wyoming					7	89	6	72

State	Soccer		Softball Slow Pitch		Softball Fast Pitch		Swimming and Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	116	2,973			385	6,160	72	617
Alaska	33	970			24	550	31	514
Arizona	178	5,298			225	6,740	114	2,677
Arkansas	81	1,618	3	33	258	4,329	38	334
California	1,182	40,895			1,154	31,306	823	25,115
Colorado	189	6,923			88	3,833	126	3,814
Connecticut	154	5,877			176	4,616	96	2,737
Delaware	48	1,295			42	911	30	741
District of Columbia	5	120			13	158	3	22
Florida	491	13,418	37	659	526	9,826	415	6,639
Georgia	310	8,492	18	312	371	7,738	192	3,176
Hawaii	53	1,666			52	1,287	57	696
Idaho	63	1,756			95	2,166		
Illinois	381	15,919			658	17,130	278	6,974
Indiana	240	6,538			371	9,252	235	4,719
Iowa	126	5,383			367	10,374	55	1,632
Kansas	92	2,975			203	5,028	63	1,570
Kentucky	188	4,997	10	292	250	6,120	131	1,870
Louisiana	137	1,507			334	4,676		
Maine	135	4,117			125	3,039	55	1,007
Maryland	172	5,797			182	5,214	102	2,316
Massachusetts	308	12,530			348	10,512	168	4,153
Michigan	441	13,879			623	15,835	276	6,589
Minnesota	210	8,878			434	12,513	197	5,869
Mississippi	114	2,301	196	6,130	186	4,580	45	1,743
Missouri	204	7,147			477	11,287	111	2,858
Montana	29	841			64	1,190	19	318
Nebraska	72	2,230			120	2,313	56	970
Nevada	64	2,001			82	2,090	50	1,054
New Hampshire	80	2,700			86	2,014	42	564
New Jersey	352	13,504			396	12,563	230	5,903
New Mexico	67	1,977			84	1,943	39	633
New York	682	23,753			733	19,103	333	7,991
North Carolina	318	10,259			369	9,067	245	4,377
North Dakota	17	566					18	254
Ohio	524	13,735	8	284	783	17,183	417	5,708
Oklahoma	114	1,723	320	4,506	444	7,123	41	500
Oregon	156	5,349			225	4,980	125	2,197
Pennsylvania	546	19,110			670	23,450	330	5,940
Rhode Island	47	1,436			47	1,121	30	593
South Carolina	128	3,856			189	4,846	76	1,140
South Dakota								
Tennessee	236	5,542			353	6,335		
Texas	520	21,954			1,034	30,974	418	6,751
Utah	87	2,661			93	2,083	71	1,390
Vermont	47	1,704	2	32	42	1,018	1	18
Virginia	236	7,896			301	7,918	172	3,961
Washington	240	8,148			288	7,129	137	3,611
West Virginia	69	1,676	125	2,461			41	625
Wisconsin	240	9,934			476	11,670	137	3,791
Wyoming	21	721					25	526

State	Tennis		Track and Field Indoor		Track and Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	152	1,548			281	4,244	345	5,346
Alaska	16	242			43	868	75	1,722
Arizona	152	2,550			206	6,136	239	2,156
Arkansas	118	964	35	521	238	3,767	123	2,676
California	973	21,818			1,097	38,817	1,231	36,499
Colorado	144	4,601			301	6,287	322	8,918
Connecticut	137	3,117	144	4,723	158	6,045	154	4,340
Delaware	28	512	31	747	40	821	43	1,206
District of Columbia	7	51	11	73	10	103	12	148
Florida	461	4,677			514	12,175	579	12,724
Georgia					375	8,951	259	5,875
Hawaii	63	913			62	1,408	68	1,964
Idaho	56	1,200			142	3,148	142	3,725
Illinois	328	7,958			601	17,262	699	21,618
Indiana	307	5,724			386	10,189	395	11,323
Iowa	116	3,673			372	10,205	383	14,637
Kansas	137	2,558			331	6,901	351	9,156
Kentucky	207	2,763			235	4,571	236	5,452
Louisiana	164	984	355	2,840	359	2,840	184	2,024
Maine			68	1,237	109	2,603	28	551
Maryland	164	2,637	165	3,860	181	5,082	166	4,343
Massachusetts	270	4,344	234	8,290	307	11,438	262	7,037
Michigan	351	9,472	26	242	652	17,844	713	20,881
Minnesota					431	15,136	446	15,552
Mississippi	160	1,651	19	513	214	4,461	80	2,050
Missouri	172	3,503			465	11,873	425	11,019
Montana	56	1,076			180	2,579	172	3,720
Nebraska	64	1,302			308	7,457	310	7,879
Nevada	51	777			85	2,419	101	2,735
New Hampshire	53	872	51	987	74	2,033	57	1,371
New Jersey	344	6,958	297	9,160	370	14,603	230	6,644
New Mexico	52	802			152	3,090	152	3,699
New York	458	9,704	396	11,463	635	21,357	629	15,875
North Carolina	327	4,377	185	3,080	364	8,911	373	8,260
North Dakota	18	501			155	1,841	161	3,368
Ohio	436	6,647	162	1,960	786	24,082	811	19,415
Oklahoma	123	906	25	325	400	3,975	80	1,100
Oregon	131	2,745			269	6,413	285	7,169
Pennsylvania	427	5,124	183	2,745	604	19,328	580	10,440
Rhode Island	44	906	33	1,179	38	1,587	40	903
South Carolina	129	1,853			188	5,337	187	4,235
South Dakota	22	309			176	2,816	168	4,019
Tennessee	263	2,915			256	2,915	301	5,785
Texas	1,119	17,633			1,242	66,182	1,006	39,106
Utah	82	1,523			116	3,824	119	2,722
Vermont	22	356	15	234	36	802	2	21
Virginia	267	3,631	207	5,297	301	8,366	296	7,388
Washington	217	6,762			318	8,698	330	9,168
West Virginia	83	1,003			107	2,747	116	2,263
Wisconsin	207	5,989			432	11,744	474	16,015
Wyoming	16	324	17	356	70	1,239	69	1,726

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama		
Alaska	50	118
Arizona	67	174
Arkansas		
California	366	1,142
Colorado	43	73
Connecticut		84
Delaware		5
District of Columbia		
Florida	28	383
Georgia	44	99
Hawaii	55	415
Idaho	11	15
Illinois		
Indiana		
Iowa	27	63
Kansas	14	43
Kentucky	20	160
Louisiana		
Maine	46	114
Maryland	9	69
Massachusetts		64
Michigan		
Minnesota		
Mississippi		
Missouri		
Montana	9	16
Nebraska		47
Nevada		
New Hampshire		9
New Jersey		23
New Mexico		
New York		
North Carolina		
North Dakota	6	18
Ohio	56	181
Oklahoma	1	1
Oregon	52	99
Pennsylvania		
Rhode Island		9
South Carolina		
South Dakota	4	6
Tennessee		
Texas	195	1,602
Utah	5	6
Vermont	4	7
Virginia	57	91
Washington	114	386
West Virginia		
Wisconsin		
Wyoming	4	5

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	Minnesota	33	223	Football – 8-player	Arizona	2	2
	Ohio	3	27		California	5	15
	Vermont	1	16		Colorado	10	21
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	63	282		Iowa	1	1
Adapted Soccer	Minnesota	62	321		Kansas	2	4
	Ohio	3	59		Nebraska		35
Adapted Softball	Minnesota	62	288	Heptathlon	Washington	1	10
	Ohio	3	59		Alabama	18	44
Badminton	Arizona	45	861		Arkansas	10	20
	California	185	4,491		Ohio	2	29
	Florida	13	72		Vermont	2	4
	Illinois	88	3,235	Judo	Hawaii	44	358
	Kentucky	2	12		Kentucky	1	3
	Maryland	37	614	Kayaking	Hawaii	8	78
	Minnesota	16	792		Alaska	13	95
	New York	43	1,236	Riflery	Arkansas	9	21
	Ohio	2	48		Georgia	87	302
Baseball	Alaska	2	2		Kentucky	16	177
	Arizona	9	40		Maine	2	6
	Arkansas	7	104		Michigan	3	10
	California	33	385		New York	7	61
	Colorado	41	95		Ohio	1	5
	Connecticut		1		Pennsylvania	39	390
	Florida		8	Rodeo	Arkansas	6	12
	Georgia	12	51		Iowa	13	26
	Hawaii	4	8	Rythmic Gymnastics	Ohio	2	19
	Kansas	20	21		Maine	2	16
	Kentucky	1	2	Sailing	California	27	279
	Maine	1	2		Maine	3	44
	Maryland		4	Snowboarding	Michigan	8	81
	Massachusetts		14		Vermont	7	28
	Nebraska		17	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	15	235
	New Hampshire		2		Maine	2	25
	North Dakota	7	15	Synch. Swimming	Ohio	5	195
	Ohio	5	81		Michigan	4	81
	Oklahoma	2	2		Minnesota	19	483
	Texas		134		Ohio	3	43
	Utah	1	2	Team Tennis	Georgia	360	4,826
	Vermont	1	2		Hawaii	63	913
	Virginia	4	5		Maine	92	1,599
	Washington	4	15		Minnesota	228	6,154
Canoeing	California	2	92		Missouri	172	3,503
	Hawaii	59	1,212		Texas	467	11,767
Crew	California	18	380	Water Polo	Vermont	1	14
	Delaware	2	65		California	501	13,482
	District of Columbia	1	49		Florida	70	1,058
	Florida	10	151		Hawaii	27	481
	Kentucky	3	72		Illinois	66	1,775
	Maine	1	25		Michigan	24	600
	Michigan	23	503		Ohio	5	92
	Ohio	5	129	Weightlifting	Pennsylvania	19	285
	Virginia	31	1,026		California	14	481
Decathlon	California	6	82		Florida	183	3,827
	Vermont	1	3		Georgia	23	501
Equestrian	California	37	407		Kentucky	13	423
	Maine	1	8		Maine	3	38
	Michigan	122	880		Michigan	44	809
	Ohio	5	19		Mississippi	49	835
Football – 6-player	Colorado	3	8		Ohio	37	716
	Texas		1				

2008-09 HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY

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THE NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS

Based on Competition at the High School Level in the 2008-09 School Year

Sport (Number of states reporting for boys/girls)	BOYS		GIRLS		COMBINED
	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Schools	Number of Participants	Number of Participants
ADAPTED SPORTS					
Basketball	18	113	12	60	173
Bowling	42	325	43	214	539
Floor Hockey	63	270	64	156	426
Soccer	70	409	71	340	749
Softball	66	329	77	481	810
Track	18	113	13	83	196
ARCHERY	63	1,120	59	681	1,801
BADMINTON	198	4,586	440	11,911	16,497
BASEBALL	15,699	473,184	76	1,090	474,274
BASKETBALL	17,869	545,145	17,582	444,809	989,954
BOWLING	2,427	26,986	2,345	23,847	50,833
CANOEING	58	1,223	61	1,260	2,483
COMPETITIVE SPIRIT SQUADS	456	2,251	4,748	117,793	120,044
CREW	93	2,393	97	2,455	4,848
CROSS COUNTRY	13,647	231,452	13,457	198,199	429,651
DANCE/DRILL	2	16	510	10,619	10,635
EQUESTRIAN	40	159	121	1,039	1,198
FENCING	94	1,922	89	1,762	3,684
FIELD HOCKEY	98	174	1,818	64,563	64,737
FLAG FOOTBALL	6	244	168	5,408	5,652
FOOTBALL – 11-player	14,105	1,112,303	170	759	1,113,062
6-player	203	4,331			4,331
8-player	759	17,261	12	62	17,323
9-player	264	5,307	1	1	5,308
GOLF	13,543	157,062	9,344	69,223	226,285
GYMNASTICS	116	2,336	1,495	18,842	21,178
ICE HOCKEY	1,601	37,255	558	8,261	45,516
JUDO	43	769	43	368	1,137
LACROSSE	1,984	88,596	1,780	64,929	153,525
MIXED 6-COED VOLLEYBALL	45	224	60	341	565
RIFLERY	218	2,329	178	1,116	3,445
RODEO	28	166	26	147	313
RUGBY	15	679	14	100	779
SKIING – ALPINE	570	5,528	534	4,394	9,922
SKIING – CROSS COUNTRY	415	4,318	411	4,233	8,551
SNOWBOARDING	52	779	50	425	1,204
SOCCER	11,139	383,824	10,548	344,534	728,358
SOFTBALL – FAST PITCH	170	1,546	15,172	368,921	370,467
SOFTBALL – SLOW PITCH	1	26	586	12,141	12,167
SURFING	50	1,242	38	390	1,632
SWIMMING AND DIVING	6,556	130,182	6,902	158,878	289,060
TEAM TENNIS	1,832	33,387	1,881	36,644	70,031
TENNIS	9,499	157,165	9,693	177,593	334,758
TRACK AND FIELD – INDOOR	3,172	67,424	2,677	59,900	127,324
TRACK AND FIELD – OUTDOOR	15,936	558,007	15,864	457,732	1,015,739
VOLLEYBALL	2,192	49,346	15,069	404,243	453,589
WATER POLO	746	20,650	740	18,418	39,068
WEIGHTLIFTING	675	19,723	364	7,129	26,852
WRESTLING	10,254	267,378	1,034	6,025	273,403
OTHER	152	1,155	112	1,522	2,677

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF STATE HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS 2008-09 ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SUMMARY

TEN MOST POPULAR BOYS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,869	1.	Football – 11-player	1,112,303
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,936	2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	558,007
3.	Baseball	15,699	3.	Basketball	545,145
4.	Football – 11-player	14,105	4.	Baseball	473,184
5.	Cross Country	13,647	5.	Soccer	383,824
6.	Golf	13,543	6.	Wrestling	267,378
7.	Soccer	11,139	7.	Cross Country	231,452
8.	Wrestling	10,254	8.	Tennis	157,165
9.	Tennis	9,499	9.	Golf	157,062
10.	Swimming and Diving	6,556	10.	Swimming and Diving	130,182

TEN MOST POPULAR GIRLS PROGRAMS

Schools			Participants		
1.	Basketball	17,582	1.	Track and Field – Outdoor	457,732
2.	Track and Field – Outdoor	15,864	2.	Basketball	444,809
3.	Softball – Fast Pitch	15,172	3.	Volleyball	404,243
4.	Volleyball	15,069	4.	Softball – Fast Pitch	368,921
5.	Cross Country	13,457	5.	Soccer	344,534
6.	Soccer	10,548	6.	Cross Country	198,199
7.	Tennis	9,693	7.	Tennis	177,593
8.	Golf	9,344	8.	Swimming and Diving	158,878
9.	Swimming and Diving	6,902	9.	Competitive Spirit Squads	117,793
10.	Competitive Spirit Squads	4,748	10.	Golf	69,223

ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION SURVEY TOTALS

Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total	Year	Boys Participants	Girls Participants	Total
1971-72	3,666,917	294,015	3,960,932	1991-92	3,429,853	1,940,801	5,370,654
1972-73	3,770,621	817,073	4,587,694	1992-93	3,416,389	1,997,489	5,413,878
1973-74	4,070,125	1,300,169	5,370,294	1993-94	3,472,967	2,130,315	5,603,282
1975-76	4,109,021	1,645,039	5,754,060	1994-95	3,536,359	2,240,461	5,776,820
1977-78	4,367,442	2,083,040	6,450,482	1995-96	3,634,052	2,367,936	6,001,988
1978-79	3,709,512	1,854,400	5,563,912	1996-97	3,706,225	2,474,043	6,180,268
1979-80	3,517,829	1,750,264	5,268,093	1997-98	3,763,120	2,570,333	6,333,453
1980-81	3,503,124	1,853,789	5,356,913	1998-99	3,832,352	2,652,726	6,485,078
1981-82	3,409,081	1,810,671	5,219,752	1999-00	3,861,749	2,675,874	6,537,623
1982-83	3,355,558	1,779,972	5,135,530	2000-01	3,921,069	2,784,154	6,705,223
1983-84	3,303,599	1,747,346	5,050,945	2001-02	3,960,517	2,806,998	6,767,515
1984-85	3,354,284	1,757,884	5,112,168	2002-03	3,988,738	2,856,358	6,845,096
1985-86	3,344,275	1,807,121	5,151,396	2003-04	4,038,253	2,865,299	6,903,552
1986-87	3,364,082	1,836,356	5,200,438	2004-05	4,110,319	2,908,390	7,018,709
1987-88	3,425,777	1,849,684	5,275,461	2005-06	4,206,549	2,953,355	7,159,904
1988-89	3,416,844	1,839,352	5,256,196	2006-07	4,321,103	3,021,807	7,342,910
1989-90	3,398,192	1,858,659	5,256,851	2007-08	4,372,115	3,057,266	7,429,381
1990-91	3,406,355	1,892,316	5,298,671	2008-09	4,422,662	3,114,091	7,536,753

2008-09 SUMMARY OF ATHLETICS PARTICIPATION TOTALS BY STATE

Rank State	Boys	Girls	Total¹	Rank State	Boys	Girls	Total¹
1. Texas	475,770	305,230	781,000	27. Kentucky	54,667	43,803	98,470
2. California	443,154	328,311	771,465	28. Oregon	57,963	39,193	97,156
3. New York	217,566	163,304	380,870	29. South Carolina	56,419	33,532	89,951
4. Illinois	205,396	136,367	341,763	30. Alabama	59,398	28,410	87,808
5. Ohio	203,631	126,425	330,056	31. Louisiana	46,721	34,392	81,113
6. Pennsylvania	173,059	148,265	321,324	32. Nebraska	47,046	31,911	78,957
7. Michigan	181,642	129,635	311,277	33. Oklahoma	43,068	32,356	75,424
8. New Jersey	150,283	107,515	257,798	34. Arkansas	38,173	24,790	62,963
9. Florida	141,031	101,325	242,356	35. Maine	30,683	26,558	57,241
10. Minnesota	120,689	103,531	224,220	36. Utah	31,446	19,926	51,372
11. Massachusetts	120,341	92,433	212,774	37. New Mexico	28,192	20,312	48,504
12. Wisconsin	118,741	79,710	198,451	38. Idaho	27,327	19,736	47,063
13. Missouri	107,707	76,211	183,918	39. New Hampshire	24,451	21,980	46,431
14. North Carolina	103,820	78,384	182,204	40. Nevada	25,563	15,847	41,410
15. Virginia	100,206	71,549	171,755	41. Hawaii	21,795	15,770	37,565
16. Georgia	107,390	63,192	170,582	42. West Virginia	21,991	15,338	37,329
17. Indiana	93,557	63,417	156,974	43. Montana	18,700	14,256	32,956
18. Iowa	85,681	64,537	150,218	44. South Dakota	17,218	11,987	29,205
19. Washington	82,882	58,604	141,486	45. Rhode Island	16,621	12,205	28,826
20. Colorado	70,825	55,536	126,361	46. Delaware	14,732	11,114	25,846
21. Maryland	64,704	46,398	111,102	47. North Dakota	14,899	10,669	25,568
22. Connecticut	61,652	48,299	109,951	48. Alaska	11,367	9,742	21,109
23. Tennessee	69,067	37,728	106,795	49. Vermont	10,113	8,482	18,595
24. Arizona	65,763	40,146	105,909	50. Wyoming	10,104	7,923	18,027
25. Kansas	62,488	39,889	102,377	51. District of Columbia	2,178	1,262	3,440
26. Mississippi	64,832	36,656	101,488				

¹Reflects participation rate, i.e., individual who participated in two sports is counted twice, three sports — three times, etc.

BOYS PARTICIPATION

State	Baseball		Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	392	9,035	408	11,755				
Alaska	28	614	154	2,239	9	86	2	2
Arizona	231	7,966	251	7,917			28	78
Arkansas	251	5,022	283	6,187	60	634	21	65
California	1,221	42,064	1,300	42,521	13	230	108	728
Colorado	271	8,110	327	8,710				
Connecticut	173	6,161	177	5,185				288
Delaware	48	1,429	52	1,379				7
District of Columbia	13	227	15	356				
Florida	575	14,331	625	13,796	124	972		115
Georgia	387	12,060	396	11,770			28	76
Hawaii	54	1,745	68	1,833	57	557	15	43
Idaho	96	2,557	149	4,035			25	72
Illinois	685	24,517	736	24,217	185	2,690		
Indiana	395	11,509	402	12,052				
Iowa	370	11,424	385	11,632	89	1,027		
Kansas	234	6,038	354	9,306	66	972		
Kentucky	260	7,404	264	6,836	55	806	46	299
Louisiana	348	8,264	379	5,848	48	290		
Maine	137	3,702	147	4,030	9	124	26	44
Maryland	186	5,633	186	5,455	28	146		
Massachusetts	349	13,036	358	12,072				
Michigan	643	18,663	745	23,233	318	3,690		
Minnesota	434	14,120	467	13,405				
Mississippi	248	7,211	267	9,826	48	273	27	135
Missouri	582	16,290	568	15,590				
Montana			180	3,669				
Nebraska	55	1,889	309	7,887				
Nevada	92	2,455	104	3,128	33	291		
New Hampshire	86	2,734	89	2,571				11
New Jersey	387	14,932	409	12,928	256	2,771		
New Mexico	106	3,191	156	4,464	35	234		
New York	723	22,171	743	21,957	388	4,630		
North Carolina	374	10,346	380	10,167				
North Dakota	84	1,197	169	3,085				
Ohio	792	22,376	811	24,072	325	3,641	17	117
Oklahoma	439	7,415	481	9,001			12	35
Oregon	237	6,766	288	7,473				
Pennsylvania	678	21,696	733	21,990	138	1,380		
Rhode Island	49	1,663	47	1,439				3
South Carolina	196	6,135	200	6,584	6	50		
South Dakota			172	3,707				
Tennessee	353	8,761	363	9,200	137	1,492		
Texas	1,109	41,726	1,270	75,248				
Utah	112	2,977	122	3,304				
Vermont	49	1,191	48	1,271				7
Virginia	308	9,345	309	9,568			62	105
Washington	292	8,861	340	10,432				
West Virginia	124	2,780	129	3,258				
Wisconsin	443	13,445	484	15,798				
Wyoming			70	1,759			33	21

State	Cross Country		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	162	1,169	386	22,283	176	835		
Alaska	95	966	30	1,958				
Arizona	187	2,677	188	18,920	180	1,831		
Arkansas	120	1,383	205	12,000	193	1,419	2	19
California	1,034	26,766	1,029	104,224	901	11,925	6	79
Colorado	221	3,773	216	16,000	203	2,457	1	24
Connecticut	167	3,707	144	10,629	161	1,887		
Delaware	42	768	44	3,193	46	454		
District of Columbia	11	94	12	727	6	60		
Florida	507	6,487	520	40,456	476	3,885		
Georgia	351	6,103	377	32,209	355	3,077		
Hawaii	69	1,132	49	4,955	60	459		
Idaho	104	1,470	112	7,610	92	1,118		
Illinois	522	10,129	569	50,956	541	8,195	54	1,566
Indiana	384	4,863	319	23,241	370	4,292		
Iowa	314	4,715	308	20,316	359	6,185		
Kansas	287	3,338	247	14,518	268	3,482		
Kentucky	222	2,613	219	13,842	236	2,360	5	33
Louisiana	262	2,896	284	12,520	223	1,116	11	79
Maine	103	1,232	78	4,148	115	1,302	1	2
Maryland	181	3,531	181	15,418	160	1,413	5	23
Massachusetts	294	6,162	325	20,789	284	4,329	9	266
Michigan	596	8,356	636	45,257	547	7,743		
Minnesota	332	5,587	356	26,018	383	6,069		
Mississippi	151	2,595	242	22,302	170	1,942		
Missouri	337	5,794	337	24,433	349	4,434		
Montana	90	844	91	4,875	100	1,095		
Nebraska	194	2,457	170	10,892	237	2,883		
Nevada	78	882	75	6,594	77	806		
New Hampshire	74	1,170	56	3,753	71	1,015		10
New Jersey	380	7,565	350	27,623	314	3,930		43
New Mexico	111	1,623	97	7,430	85	837		
New York	554	9,293	566	38,354	599	8,151	12	95
North Carolina	350	5,392	363	29,179	358	3,423		
North Dakota	62	514	81	3,007	129	1,159		
Ohio	716	9,654	759	55,392	738	8,067	9	87
Oklahoma	178	1,361	310	11,415	237	1,287		
Oregon	210	3,181	196	13,992	191	2,162		
Pennsylvania	566	11,320	598	26,910	560	5,600		
Rhode Island	44	981	43	2,950	41	439		6
South Carolina	148	2,761	197	18,617	151	1,686		
South Dakota	131	906	68	3,857	135	1,223		
Tennessee	264	3,713	334	22,875	314	2,815		
Texas	1,229	29,112	1,028	160,893	1,178	12,386		
Utah	118	1,954	97	7,876	109	1,289		
Vermont	38	511	28	1,502	41	415	3	4
Virginia	290	5,378	305	25,864	292	2,920		
Washington	257	5,130	267	19,396	250	3,167		
West Virginia	86	759	122	6,534	108	1,112		
Wisconsin	386	6,249	432	30,823	335	6,380		
Wyoming	38	436	59	2,778	39	546		

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Riflery		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	27	700			12	169	24	445
Arizona								
Arkansas					10	154		
California	5	64	179	7,365			4	28
Colorado	27	721	61	3,525			13	77
Connecticut	62	1,646	80	4,305				
Delaware	12	191	40	1,522				
District of Columbia								
Florida			87	3,146				
Georgia			45	2,082	103	714		
Hawaii								
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	10	280	22	921	18	432	3	3
Louisiana								
Maine	62	1,317	43	1,931	4	42	40	362
Maryland			145	6,303				
Massachusetts	294	7,392	186	8,149			24	300
Michigan	231	3,954	103	4,250	4	47	5	28
Minnesota	273	5,657	57	1,926			110	1,542
Mississippi								
Missouri								
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada								
New Hampshire	41	1,042	45	2,018			33	364
New Jersey	127	3,487	146	8,081			16	184
New Mexico								
New York	150	3,320	301	15,706	20	293	112	689
North Carolina			83	3,213				
North Dakota	29	565						
Ohio	96	2,108	71	3,364	2	31		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania			156	4,992	44	440		
Rhode Island	37	868	22	782				
South Carolina			18	631				
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	27	481	25	889	1	7	21	216
Virginia			69	3,495				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	91	3,462						
Wyoming							7	80

State	Skiing Alpine		Soccer		Swimming and Diving		Tennis	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			144	3,601	45	303	164	1,709
Alaska			33	912	35	420	16	253
Arizona			187	6,205	113	2,033	151	2,144
Arkansas			80	1,948	39	356	112	960
California	22	241	1,183	44,705	779	21,518	895	19,266
Colorado	13	145	191	6,684	97	2,121	142	2,923
Connecticut			173	6,964	95	2,007	142	2,620
Delaware			47	1,684	31	583	31	496
District of Columbia	7	158	7	143	3	19	7	33
Florida			500	13,918	405	6,469	462	4,446
Georgia			308	9,288	195	2,626		
Hawaii			53	1,538	60	436	66	707
Idaho			79	1,937			59	1,189
Illinois			417	18,214	271	7,122	318	7,834
Indiana			283	8,465	240	3,911	305	4,785
Iowa			143	5,792	48	1,386	109	2,629
Kansas			101	4,118	62	1,466	129	2,452
Kentucky			174	5,219	115	1,272	202	2,336
Louisiana			147	3,648	106	1,272	163	1,506
Maine	47	428	136	4,306	50	685		
Maryland			179	5,813	106	2,048	179	2,327
Massachusetts	75	874	352	13,211	165	2,623		
Michigan	95	847	458	14,603	218	4,755	333	7,568
Minnesota	102	1,007	228	8,718	141	3,261	191	4,447
Mississippi			119	3,664	47	1,473	161	1,991
Missouri			221	8,515	91	2,031	183	3,580
Montana			30	805	19	201	37	664
Nebraska			69	2,638	56	789	59	966
Nevada	18	310	64	1,860	56	822	59	636
New Hampshire	53	585	87	3,204	40	412		
New Jersey			383	17,553	231	4,978	324	6,088
New Mexico			72	2,348	47	613	69	846
New York	112	689	680	24,651	293	5,728	517	9,980
North Carolina			326	6,274	254	3,647	323	4,342
North Dakota			15	565	15	254	19	316
Ohio	1	2	580	15,610	420	5,111	444	6,113
Oklahoma			121	1,801	42	450	173	1,403
Oregon			185	6,137	124	1,660	124	2,187
Pennsylvania			585	20,475	319	12,760	415	4,980
Rhode Island			46	1,613	27	402	40	833
South Carolina			154	4,957	80	1,084	116	1,583
South Dakota							21	439
Tennessee			246	6,577			259	2,457
Texas			544	27,439	432	6,805	1,146	19,217
Utah			95	3,106	72	1,661	84	1,522
Vermont	19	183	50	1,678			17	194
Virginia			277	9,614	174	3,513	250	3,129
Washington			238	8,745	122	3,026	200	4,854
West Virginia			72	1,797	45	427	78	766
Wisconsin			256	9,836	111	3,183	190	5,223
Wyoming	6	59	21	728	22	460	15	226

State	Track and Field Indoor		Track and Field Outdoor		Volleyball		Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama			309	6,595			85	2,061
Alaska			50	1,122			83	1,254
Arizona			220	8,228	55	1,358	187	5,562
Arkansas	510	911	223	4,575			86	1,976
California			1,045	51,689	625	15,638	798	27,469
Colorado			326	8,854			239	5,431
Connecticut	150	5,218	169	7,195	40	852	124	2,988
Delaware	33	769	38	1,032	5	113	44	1,042
District of Columbia	12	139	12	181				
Florida			533	15,879	130	2,071	370	8,332
Georgia			382	11,609			299	7,719
Hawaii			62	2,152	60	1,196	55	1,317
Idaho			148	4,349			103	2,309
Illinois			612	24,492	202	7,235	426	16,213
Indiana			391	12,699			311	7,740
Iowa			372	12,085			287	7,032
Kansas			353	9,475			210	5,068
Kentucky			234	5,276			74	1,633
Louisiana	337	2,096	357	3,496			74	2,184
Maine	63	1,288	110	2,941	9	105	67	960
Maryland	167	4,786	184	6,317	33	623	176	4,792
Massachusetts	239	8,551	308	12,288	88	2,109	212	4,476
Michigan	24	298	662	23,942			470	11,564
Minnesota			430	13,823			346	7,711
Mississippi	19	1,168	236	8,008			1	19
Missouri			470	14,132	38	1,124	219	6,957
Montana			179	3,640			89	1,632
Nebraska			307	8,795		20	247	4,621
Nevada			97	3,662	31	920	79	2,786
New Hampshire	51	1,327	74	2,530	9	205	35	668
New Jersey	296	10,113	366	17,102	245	2,331	315	9,375
New Mexico			158	4,486			53	1,461
New York	390	11,290	633	21,588	180	4,349	492	13,932
North Carolina	215	4,261	360	13,338			316	10,238
North Dakota			153	2,039			75	910
Ohio	173	2,971	784	25,140	93	2,218	618	13,804
Oklahoma	31	400	406	4,550			125	2,450
Oregon			270	8,701			199	4,687
Pennsylvania	183	2,745	598	23,920	202	3,636	495	9,900
Rhode Island	38	1,432	39	1,684	25	558	33	968
South Carolina			194	7,659			131	4,672
South Dakota			170	3,544			101	1,473
Tennessee			254	7,302			158	3,875
Texas			1,270	78,645			250	7,783
Utah			119	4,756			98	3,001
Vermont	14	202	36	823	1	8	17	234
Virginia	210	7,054	303	11,156	69	1,206	261	6,962
Washington			315	11,437			245	7,179
West Virginia			110	2,945			85	1,613
Wisconsin			434	14,534	52	1,471	342	8,337
Wyoming	17	405	71	1,597			49	1,009

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Basketball	Georgia	18	113		Montana	54	911
Adapted Bowling	California	1	19		Nebraska	122	3,205
	Minnesota	36	247		Nevada	19	411
	Ohio	2	21		New Mexico	16	375
	Vermont	3	38		Oklahoma	72	1,500
Adapted Soccer	California	3	50		Oregon	55	1,017
	Minnesota	61	210	Football – 9-player	Washington	35	655
	Ohio	5	144		Minnesota	86	1,950
	Vermont	1	5		North Dakota	83	1,288
Adapted Softball	California	3	55		South Dakota	95	2,069
	Minnesota	63	274	Judo	Hawaii	41	763
Adapted Track	Georgia	18	113		Kentucky	2	6
Badminton	California	158	4,036	Kayaking	Hawaii	12	86
	Florida	14	161	Rodeo	Arkansas	3	20
	Kentucky	2	42		California	10	50
	Maryland	17	70		New Mexico	15	96
	New York	7	277	Sailing	Maine	4	48
Canoeing	California	1	1	Snowboarding	California	25	402
	Hawaii	57	1,222		Maine	4	89
Crew	California	9	220		Michigan	10	183
	Delaware	3	70		Ohio	2	14
	District of Columbia	1	41		Vermont	11	91
	Florida	16	336	Soft Tennis	Hawaii	13	166
	Kentucky	1	10		Ohio	1	31
	Maine	2	35	Softball – Fast Pitch	Alaska	3	3
	Michigan	21	464		California	10	311
	Ohio	11	308		Missouri	19	239
	Vermont	1	12		Nebraska		4
	Virginia	28	897		Ohio	43	932
Decathlon	Alabama	25	52		Vermont	3	57
	Arkansas	9	20	Softball – Slow Pitch	Ohio	1	26
	California	8	72	Team Tennis	Georgia	355	4,189
	Vermont	3	9		Hawaii	66	707
Equestrian	California	8	32		Louisiana	163	1,506
	Michigan	31	124		Maine	91	1,374
	Ohio	1	3		Massachusetts	244	3,688
Fencing	California	21	225		Minnesota	191	4,447
	Kentucky	2	18		Missouri	183	3,580
	Maine	1	8		New Hampshire	92	832
	New Jersey	43	1,199		Texas	444	13,031
	New York	22	423		Vermont	3	33
	Ohio	4	43	Water Polo	California	514	15,852
	Vermont	1	6		Florida	73	1,132
Field Hockey	California	4	123		Hawaii	14	155
	Kentucky	2	19		Illinois	76	2,016
	Maryland		6		Michigan	17	399
	Massachusetts		26		Missouri	21	575
Football – 6-player	Colorado	21	294		Ohio	10	206
	Montana	33	364		Pennsylvania	21	315
	New Mexico	8	188	Weightlifting	Arkansas	21	525
	Texas	126	3,485		California	16	779
Football – 8-player	Arizona	34	844		Florida	233	5,099
	California	96	2,507		Georgia	90	3,642
	Colorado	48	976		Kentucky	43	2,172
	Idaho	29	665		Maine	5	157
	Iowa	55	1,458		Michigan	50	1,496
	Kansas	102	2,255		Mississippi	166	4,051
	Mississippi	1	49		Ohio	51	1,802
	Missouri	21	433				

GIRLS PARTICIPATION

State	Basketball		Bowling		Competitive Spirit Squads		Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	403	5,411					162	1,086
Alaska	144	1,858	9	68	7	341	95	777
Arizona	246	6,758			113	3,626	187	2,269
Arkansas	272	4,759	56	506	102	1,956	120	1,162
California	1,245	32,980	9	78	997	29,177	1,034	21,901
Colorado	326	7,211			335	5,341	221	3,535
Connecticut	178	4,065			155	2,189	167	2,691
Delaware	52	1,011			12	207	42	613
District of Columbia	15	205			14	133	11	65
Florida	597	10,390	147	1,248	219	5,522	507	6,158
Georgia	394	9,177			231	5,195	351	4,615
Hawaii	62	1,286	57	516	41	787	69	981
Idaho	147	3,389			83	1,289	104	1,190
Illinois	690	18,178	231	3,290	319	7,943	522	9,121
Indiana	397	8,980					384	4,277
Iowa	383	8,952	61	1,108			314	4,194
Kansas	353	7,282	63	806			287	2,721
Kentucky	264	5,852	53	791	248	4,828	222	2,175
Louisiana	378	5,536	39	228			262	2,691
Maine	149	3,378	7	63	96	1,974	103	1,038
Maryland	187	4,624	28	92			181	2,537
Massachusetts	358	10,125					294	5,118
Michigan	714	18,187	304	2,709	331	7,320	596	7,633
Minnesota	458	11,276					332	4,407
Mississippi	267	6,941	48	359	150	2,700	151	1,375
Missouri	548	13,250					337	5,130
Montana	179	3,177					90	849
Nebraska	310	6,638					194	1,869
Nevada	100	2,556	33	266			78	784
New Hampshire	88	2,107			66	1,461	74	1,029
New Jersey	403	9,618	219	1,857			380	5,125
New Mexico	156	3,981	35	233			111	1,483
New York	741	17,750	322	3,450			554	7,460
North Carolina	381	8,119			375	19,366	350	4,439
North Dakota	164	2,547					62	485
Ohio	812	17,806	311	2,788	155	2,867	716	8,143
Oklahoma	481	8,125			175	1,863	178	1,291
Oregon	287	6,421					210	2,509
Pennsylvania	725	21,750	133	1,330			566	11,320
Rhode Island	49	1,082			26	508	44	795
South Carolina	200	4,962	6	37	87	2,874	148	2,022
South Dakota	170	2,898			27	519	131	698
Tennessee	364	6,537	130	1,167			264	2,799
Texas	1,266	71,218					1,229	29,096
Utah	119	2,776					118	1,461
Vermont	48	1,165			15	219	38	440
Virginia	308	7,951			209	4,734	290	4,436
Washington	326	8,001	44	857			257	3,404
West Virginia	130	2,417			127	2,179	86	667
Wisconsin	477	12,482					386	5,813
Wyoming	71	1,664			33	675	38	322

State	Field Hockey		Football 11-player		Golf		Gymnastics	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama					106	317		
Alaska			11	16			13	164
Arizona			24	53	137	806		
Arkansas			3	3	147	637	4	71
California	98	3,925	35	141	632	7,017	54	1,039
Colorado	15	45			154	1,466	45	652
Connecticut	79	3,286		15	42	532	53	436
Delaware	46	1,522			20	39		
District of Columbia					4	21		
Florida				8	361	2,255		
Georgia			12	58	311	1,554	41	411
Hawaii			4	19	45	214		
Idaho			9	9	83	562		
Illinois					389	3,151	80	1,657
Indiana					286	2,472	85	830
Iowa			13	104	371	3,635		
Kansas					117	1,012	14	168
Kentucky	21	658	6	10	196	1,287	6	84
Louisiana					145	809	19	115
Maine	86	2,770	5	5	51	81	2	16
Maryland	124	4,070		6	122	333	13	189
Massachusetts	208	8,071		21	27	542	95	1,245
Michigan	15	592			343	3,609	72	765
Minnesota					373	3,719	180	2,410
Mississippi					79	402		
Missouri	27	1,217			162	1,802	4	20
Montana				1	98	629		
Nebraska				22	135	1,371		
Nevada					71	473		
New Hampshire	57	1,993		5	27	56	30	177
New Jersey	223	9,442		4	200	1,292	70	1,002
New Mexico					85	628		
New York	240	8,348			143	1,449	122	1,670
North Carolina	54	1,099			231	1,450	20	138
North Dakota			3	13	105	559	16	85
Ohio	45	1,048	8	10	525	2,751	142	860
Oklahoma			3	3	218	915		
Oregon					170	1,160		
Pennsylvania	298	10,430			312	3,120	22	220
Rhode Island	21	617		7	1	65	19	164
South Carolina					85	643		
South Dakota			4	8	121	732	27	277
Tennessee					266	966		
Texas				176	1,164	7,643		
Utah			2	2	87	852		
Vermont	25	848	1	1	28	104	11	135
Virginia	136	4,582	14	24	151	331	78	839
Washington			13	15	229	1,962	73	1,554
West Virginia								
Wisconsin					151	1,641	82	1,421
Wyoming					38	157	3	28

State	Ice Hockey		Lacrosse		Skiing Alpine		Skiing Cross Country	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama								
Alaska	26	166					22	502
Arizona								
Arkansas								
California	1	3	157	4,956	22	212	5	38
Colorado			46	1,532	13	140	13	78
Connecticut		7	78	3,455				
Delaware		4	25	789				
District of Columbia			1	17	7	97		
Florida			68	1,918				
Georgia			49	1,716				
Hawaii								
Idaho								
Illinois								
Indiana								
Iowa								
Kansas								
Kentucky	7	142	12	518			2	5
Louisiana								
Maine	42	446	43	1,464	48	272	38	268
Maryland			133	4,905				
Massachusetts	98	1,789	161	6,072	69	829	23	328
Michigan	19	221	72	2,136	90	628	5	29
Minnesota	242	3,376	65	1,862	102	779	110	1,693
Mississippi								
Missouri			25	1,004				
Montana								
Nebraska								
Nevada					18	230		
New Hampshire	10	179	40	1,449	31	429	53	282
New Jersey	13	88	161	7,777			15	133
New Mexico								
New York	10	250	258	10,871	97	559	97	559
North Carolina			36	934				
North Dakota	18	219						
Ohio	8	28	67	2,266	1	3		
Oklahoma								
Oregon								
Pennsylvania			158	5,056				
Rhode Island	11	184	25	967				
South Carolina			18	478				
South Dakota								
Tennessee								
Texas								
Utah								
Vermont	24	356	19	634	20	165	21	212
Virginia			63	2,153				
Washington								
West Virginia								
Wisconsin	29	803						
Wyoming					6	51	7	106

State	Soccer		Softball Slow Pitch		Softball Fast Pitch		Swimming and Diving	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	126	3,229			390	6,240	45	335
Alaska	32	920			24	600	34	561
Arizona	178	5,298			225	6,740	114	2,677
Arkansas	79	1,624			238	3,999	40	361
California	1,149	41,727			1,160	31,801	814	26,965
Colorado	200	7,028			158	3,830	128	4,187
Connecticut	156	5,847			172	4,613	94	2,706
Delaware	49	1,540			42	1,038	33	742
District of Columbia	5	120			13	158	3	22
Florida	498	13,920	33	708	551	10,397	410	7,862
Georgia	310	8,492	18	312	371	7,738	192	3,176
Hawaii	51	1,639			55	1,299	60	631
Idaho	73	1,895			98	2,243		
Illinois	390	16,111			661	16,972	287	7,256
Indiana	250	6,554			375	8,918	233	4,548
Iowa	126	4,966			367	9,071	65	1,725
Kansas	83	3,008			232	4,932	70	1,627
Kentucky	188	4,997	10	292	250	6,120	131	1,870
Louisiana	138	3,486			336	8,084	107	1,304
Maine	138	4,096			132	3,125	58	1,087
Maryland	169	5,638			188	5,112	106	2,126
Massachusetts	314	12,518			347	10,558	185	4,138
Michigan	445	13,670			629	15,490	229	5,468
Minnesota	215	8,273			429	11,254	195	5,146
Mississippi	114	2,301	197	6,148	201	4,701	47	1,761
Missouri	218	8,287			525	11,120	114	2,960
Montana	29	786			66	1,152	19	308
Nebraska	73	2,265			125	2,389	55	1,066
Nevada	65	2,041			86	2,100	56	1,219
New Hampshire	80	2,797			86	2,305	42	646
New Jersey	353	13,903			395	11,949	238	5,983
New Mexico	72	2,173			92	2,362	47	693
New York	682	23,753			733	19,103	333	7,991
North Carolina	204	3,584			370	8,855	252	4,644
North Dakota	18	605			24	344	18	262
Ohio	515	13,609	6	152	787	15,933	425	6,327
Oklahoma	114	1,723	320	4,506	444	7,123	41	500
Oregon	160	5,462			223	4,936	126	2,202
Pennsylvania	545	19,075			664	19,920	328	13,120
Rhode Island	48	1,488			47	1,127	32	602
South Carolina	140	4,035			192	4,854	77	1,301
South Dakota								
Tennessee	236	5,542			353	6,335		
Texas	535	22,106			1,054	31,077	432	6,679
Utah	90	2,741			94	2,225	70	1,465
Vermont	49	1,596	2	23	40	913		
Virginia	272	8,217			296	7,712	173	4,060
Washington	235	7,838			271	6,598	136	3,547
West Virginia	69	1,626			124	2,418	44	664
Wisconsin	249	9,613			437	11,038	139	3,824
Wyoming	21	772					25	534

State	Tennis		Track and Field Indoor		Track and Field Outdoor		Volleyball	
	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.	Schools	Particip.
Alabama	166	1,691			301	4,546	356	5,516
Alaska	16	230			51	969	59	1,503
Arizona	152	2,550			206	6,136	239	2,156
Arkansas	117	1,005	43	641	210	3,057	118	2,536
California	935	22,908			1,037	41,736	1,243	38,920
Colorado	151	4,901			326	6,529	320	9,061
Connecticut	139	3,134	146	4,602	166	6,343	153	4,309
Delaware	32	573	34	802	40	821	46	1,323
District of Columbia	7	51	11	73	10	103	12	148
Florida	470	4,908			527	12,839	598	12,725
Georgia					375	8,951	259	5,875
Hawaii	63	876			62	1,495	71	1,859
Idaho	60	1,287			148	3,192	150	3,954
Illinois	335	7,883			605	17,871	708	21,876
Indiana	317	6,018			390	10,191	399	10,629
Iowa	116	3,381			372	9,582	383	17,714
Kansas	141	2,652			353	6,832	353	8,849
Kentucky	207	2,763			235	4,571	236	5,452
Louisiana	165	1,620	341	2,116	361	3,391	186	3,390
Maine			62	1,207	110	2,691	27	550
Maryland	178	2,505	167	3,991	185	4,950	181	4,676
Massachusetts			237	8,152	308	11,313	267	7,247
Michigan	357	10,052	25	261	658	17,463	712	20,789
Minnesota	226	5,785			427	13,184	446	15,552
Mississippi	161	1,676	19	513	236	4,620	81	2,063
Missouri	176	3,638			471	12,494	424	11,651
Montana	55	1,057			179	2,556	175	3,725
Nebraska	63	1,347			308	7,309	309	7,555
Nevada	58	742			94	2,816	100	2,620
New Hampshire	53	872	51	1,225	74	2,416	57	1,533
New Jersey	342	7,089	296	8,702	371	15,126	245	7,196
New Mexico	69	897			158	3,743	152	4,023
New York	458	9,704	396	11,463	635	21,357	629	15,875
North Carolina	331	4,384	202	3,311	362	9,462	377	8,599
North Dakota	20	467			150	1,775	157	3,289
Ohio	427	6,552	164	2,581	789	21,866	805	18,672
Oklahoma	123	906	25	325	400	3,975	80	1,100
Oregon	130	2,741			270	6,452	286	7,184
Pennsylvania	427	5,124	182	2,730	598	23,920	580	10,440
Rhode Island	44	890	37	1,144	40	1,586	40	969
South Carolina	135	1,976			194	6,071	187	4,279
South Dakota	22	283			167	2,669	163	3,891
Tennessee	263	2,915			256	5,682	301	5,785
Texas	1,144	18,373			1,268	65,748	1,031	38,367
Utah	82	1,571			120	3,926	119	2,864
Vermont	19	312	14	177	35	815	2	28
Virginia	263	3,586	208	5,523	303	8,967	297	7,370
Washington	212	6,521			312	8,438	325	9,255
West Virginia	82	961			109	2,785	84	1,621
Wisconsin	207	5,967			432	11,209	472	15,899
Wyoming	16	269	17	361	70	1,193	69	1,781

State	Wrestling	
	Schools	Particip.
Alabama		
Alaska	40	145
Arizona	67	174
Arkansas		
California	227	1,493
Colorado		
Connecticut		67
Delaware		8
District of Columbia		
Florida	15	260
Georgia	44	99
Hawaii	54	412
Idaho	13	15
Illinois		
Indiana		
Iowa	18	102
Kansas		
Kentucky	20	160
Louisiana	2	2
Maine	35	90
Maryland		153
Massachusetts		83
Michigan		
Minnesota		1
Mississippi		
Missouri		
Montana		13
Nebraska		45
Nevada		
New Hampshire		12
New Jersey	2	55
New Mexico		
New York		
North Carolina		
North Dakota	4	9
Ohio	45	122
Oklahoma	1	1
Oregon	58	126
Pennsylvania		
Rhode Island		10
South Carolina		
South Dakota	5	12
Tennessee		
Texas	200	1,640
Utah	5	43
Vermont	6	7
Virginia	55	87
Washington	113	569
West Virginia		
Wisconsin		
Wyoming	5	10

SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.	SPORT	State	Sch.	Particip.
Adapted Bowling	California	1	10		Idaho	1	1
	Minnesota	36	153		Iowa	2	3
	Ohio	3	25		Montana		3
	Vermont	3	26		Nebraska		5
Adapted Floor Hockey	Minnesota	63	130	Heptathlon	Washington	2	2
	Ohio	1	26		Alabama	16	39
Adapted Soccer	California	3	24		Vermont	3	11
	Minnesota	61	144	Judo	Hawaii	42	365
	Ohio	6	167		Kentucky	1	3
Adapted Softball	Vermont	1	5	Kayaking	Hawaii	8	63
	California	3	24		Alaska	12	103
	Minnesota	63	202	Riflery	Arkansas	9	38
	Ohio	11	255		Georgia	87	302
Badminton	Arizona	45	861		Kentucky	16	177
	California	198	5,219		Maine	3	11
	Florida	12	169		Michigan	2	8
	Illinois	89	3,281		New York	7	61
	Kentucky	2	12		Ohio	1	6
	Maryland	33	491	Rodeo	Pennsylvania	41	410
	Minnesota	18	642		Arkansas	1	2
	New York	43	1,236		California	10	49
Baseball	Alaska	3	6	Rythmic Gymnastics	New Mexico	15	96
	Arizona	9	40		Ohio	1	22
	Arkansas	2	56	Sailing	Maine	4	48
	California	21	325	Snowboarding	California	23	213
	Connecticut		2		Maine	4	60
	Florida		6		Michigan	11	110
	Georgia	12	51		Ohio	2	7
	Hawaii	3	6	Soft Tennis	Vermont	10	35
	Kentucky	1	2		Hawaii	13	210
	Maine	1	2		Ohio	2	47
	Massachusetts		1	Synchronized Swimming	Michigan	6	126
	Nebraska		30		Minnesota	18	316
	New Hampshire		3	Team Tennis	Ohio	4	115
	New Jersey		68		Georgia	360	4,826
	North Dakota	3	9		Hawaii	63	876
	Ohio	10	175		Louisiana	165	1,620
	Texas		234		Maine	98	1,685
	Vermont	4	30		Massachusetts	254	4,283
	Virginia	1	1		Minnesota	226	5,785
	Washington	6	43		Missouri	176	3,638
Canoeing	California	2	19		New Hampshire	92	1,004
	Hawaii	59	1,241		Texas	444	12,873
Crew	California	13	241	Water Polo	Vermont	3	54
	Delaware	4	82		California	511	13,871
	District of Columbia	1	49		Florida	73	1,134
	Florida	15	269		Hawaii	29	537
	Kentucky	3	72		Illinois	71	1,777
	Maine	3	50		Michigan	28	635
	Michigan	19	419		Ohio	8	164
	Ohio	10	295	Weightlifting	Pennsylvania	20	300
	Vermont	1	2		Arkansas	1	20
	Virginia	28	976		California	7	260
Decathlon	California	8	86		Florida	188	3,781
	Vermont	2	5		Georgia	23	501
Equestrian	California	21	320		Kentucky	13	423
	Michigan	95	683		Maine	5	71
	Ohio	5	36		Michigan	33	573
Football – 8-player	Arizona	2	2		Mississippi	61	991
	California	5	46		Ohio	33	509