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**Girls Flag**

**Football**

**MPSSAA Proposal for Girls Flag Football State Championship Sport  
Expansion**

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# Girls Flag Football Expansion Proposal

Maryland Public Secondary Schools Athletic Association

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# MPSSAA Policies and Regulations

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The Maryland Public Secondary Schools Athletic Association (MPSSAA) has set policies, regulations, and procedures for expansion of sports to the state championship level. This proposal follows those policies in developing a plan of action to elevate girls flag football to a MPSSAA State Championship Sport.

## MPSSAA Constitution

### ARTICLE II – PHILOSOPHY

The purpose of this Association shall be to promote, direct, and control all interscholastic activities of high school students; to establish, maintain, and enforce such regulations as may be necessary to assure that all such activities shall be part of and contribute toward the entire educational program of the state of Maryland; to cooperate closely with the state department of education in the development of that program to safeguard the physical, mental, and moral welfare of high school students and protect them from exploitation.

### ARTICLE III – PURPOSES

**Sec. 1**—The Association shall supervise and administer all rules and regulations of the MPSSAA.

**Sec. 2**—The Association shall provide leadership in conducting athletic programs between the public schools in the state of Maryland.

**Sec. 3**—The Association shall recommend the development of new and innovative athletic programs.

**Sec. 4**—The Association shall promote clinics and assist in the distribution of instructional materials, including films, national rules and regulations, and other such aids.

**Sec. 5**—The Association shall register and certify athletic contest officials.

**Sec. 6**—The Association shall perform other functions as stated in the “Master Agreement Outlining the Interscholastic Structure for Public Schools in Maryland”.

## COMAR 13A.06.03.07D

.07D “Expansion of any sport to the State level shall be recommended by the State Board of Control of the MPSSAA and approved by the State Superintendent of Schools after consultation with the local superintendents of schools.”

### MPSSAA Criteria:

- (a) A minimum of 40% of MPSSAA member schools shall participate in the sport program on a varsity level.
- (b) Schools shall be prepared to host home school contests on the school site.
- (c) A plan of action shall be submitted to the Executive Director 30 days prior to the spring MPSSAA Board of Control meeting and shall include:
  - (i) Tournament structure
  - (ii) Estimated budget
  - (iii) Historical background
- (d) A state tournament shall evolve from district/regional tournaments.

# Historical Background

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The historical background of girls' flag football and its development for high schools in Maryland began in January 2021. The Maryland Public Secondary Schools Athletic Association (MPSSAA) first became aware of the growing expansion of girls' flag football through a presentation at the National Federation of High Schools (NFHS) Winter Meeting. In alignment with the purpose of the MPSSAA Constitution to "recommend the development of new and innovative athletic programs," the MPSSAA initiated conversations with the Baltimore Ravens upon returning from the conference.

During these discussions, the MPSSAA shared information regarding the successful partnership between the Atlanta Falcons and the Georgia and Alabama state high school athletic associations. The MPSSAA and the Baltimore Ravens then began a collaborative process to evaluate the requirements for local educational agencies to introduce a new sport, the pathway for developing a state championship structure, and the ways in which the Baltimore Ravens could support and help lead the initiative. As part of this collaboration, the MPSSAA scheduled opportunities for representatives from the Baltimore Ravens to present at meetings of the MPSSAA Executive Council and Board of Control, where the organizations shared their collective vision for expanding opportunities for female student-athletes through girls' flag football.

In fall 2023, girls' high school flag football officially launched as an emerging varsity sport in Frederick County Public Schools, igniting a transformative new chapter for female student-athletes across the state. What began as a single-county initiative quickly demonstrated both strong competitive integrity and overwhelming student interest. The inaugural season mirrored the structure and standards of established interscholastic athletics, including a full regular-season schedule and a culminating championship experience that set the stage for future growth.

Participation numbers in Frederick County highlighted the program's immediate impact. A total of 301 female student-athletes participated, including 259 first-time fall athletes and 253 students who were participating in high school athletics for the first time overall in grades 9–12. The program also included 132 minority student participants, 104 of whom were first-time student-athletes.

In November 2024, the MPSSAA and the Baltimore Ravens hosted a luncheon at the Ravens' Under Armour Performance Complex for local educational athletic leaders across the state. During the event, Frederick County presented on the success of its inaugural season, the MPSSAA shared data on participation and national growth trends, and the Baltimore Ravens expanded their outreach and support for the continued development of the sport.

Building on this early success, fall 2024 marked significant expansion into Baltimore City, Montgomery County, and Washington County. With multiple jurisdictions now participating, the sport gained immediate momentum and increased statewide visibility. Each participating county operated a structured and competitive schedule aligned with traditional fall athletics, reinforcing girls' flag football as a legitimate varsity opportunity. The season concluded with a culminating tournament event held at M&T Bank Stadium on November 8, 2024. This extraordinary milestone allowed student-athletes to compete on a professional stage and underscored the sport's rapid statewide growth.

Expansion continued in fall 2025 with the addition of Calvert, Charles, and Prince George's counties, further strengthening regional representation and competitive depth. As participation increased, the postseason structure evolved to meet the growing demand. Leaders from the participating local educational agencies recognized that the sport was expanding rapidly and approaching the MPSSAA criteria requiring 40 percent of member schools to compete at the varsity level for official championship status.

To support this growth, a sport committee was established in partnership with the Baltimore Ravens. The committee worked to develop sport classifications, a tournament bulletin, and a postseason structure designed to mirror those of established MPSSAA sports. This work transitioned the postseason model into a regional tournament format, creating a more comprehensive and sustainable pathway to a culminating championship experience while enhancing the overall competitive structure.

Growth has continued at an exponential pace. Districts such as Montgomery County have added junior varsity programs to accommodate increasing student interest, ensuring both developmental opportunities and long-term

sustainability for the sport. This rapid expansion reflects not only the enthusiasm of student-athletes but also strong support from school systems, communities, and partners across Maryland.

### MPSSAA Participation Data

Year	Participating Schools	Female Participants
2023-24	10	301
2024-25	53	1,266
2025-26	91	Collected in Spring 2026

### MPSSAA Girls Flag Football Expansion (as of March 2026)

Year	School System	School System	Total Schools
2023-24	Frederick County	10	10
2024-25	Baltimore City	12	22
2024-25	Montgomery County	25	47
2024-25	Washington County	6	53
2025-26	Baltimore City	2 additional (14 total)	55
2025-26	Calvert County	4	59
2025-26	Charles County	6	65
2025-26	Prince George's County	26	91
2026-27	Baltimore County	24	115
2026-27	Howard County	13	128
2026-27	St. Mary's County	3	131

As the sport continues its upward trajectory, girls' high school flag football stands as one of the fastest-growing athletic initiatives in Maryland and the nation. The NFHS has issued a flag football rulebook and a rules writing committee to review and edit rules on an annual basis. Seventeen states have sanctioned the sport as a state championship sport, with six states on the verge of expansion. Fifteen other states currently have the sport as an independent or emerging program.

Girls' flag football continues to expand access to athletics, empower female student-athletes, and establish a sustainable model for long-term statewide impact.

## Estimated Budget

The MPSSAA estimates the budget for girls' flag football will be similar to other fall sports, such as girls' field hockey and girls' volleyball, as well as the spring sport of girls' softball, for its initial evaluation.

### Girls Volleyball

Year	Gross	Expenses
2025-26	\$30,000	\$23,000
2024-25	\$30,000	\$25,000
2023-24	\$30,000	\$25,000

### Girls Field Hockey

Year	Gross	Expenses
2025-26	\$31,000	\$16,000
2024-25	\$27,000	\$16,000
2023-24	\$27,000	\$18,000

**Girls Softball**

Year	Gross	Expenses
2025-26	\$24,000	\$24,000
2024-25	\$27,000	\$24,000
2023-24	\$27,000	\$24,000

The rationale for comparison with these sports is the number of rostered athletes, the number of athletes competing on the field/court, a similar number of officials, and the tournament structure for games and postseason play. Girls' flag football can also be played on high school stadium fields, allowing for controlled ticket sales at local school campuses.

An estimate for girls' flag will reflect at least one less tournament classification, as the number of schools will likely only warrant a three-classification system at most during its inaugural year. Expenses may vary based on the cost of a state championship site.

**Estimates**

- State Semifinals Gross Revenue: 250 spectators per game at an \$8.00 ticket price. At 6 games, this totals \$12,000 in gross revenue.
- State Semifinal Expenses: With a 40-minute game, workers can expect a 3-hour timeframe. Between ticket takers, the site director, ATC, and four officials, the cost would be around \$1,000 per game. At 6 games, this totals \$6,000 in expenses.
- State Championship Gross Revenue: An estimate of 400 spectators per game at \$10.00 per ticket. At 3 games, this totals \$12,000 in gross revenue.
- State Championship Expenses: An estimated worker expense of \$1,000 per game remains for the state finals. This results in a total of \$3,000 in staffing expenses for the MPSSAA.
- Additional Expenses: Costs should be accounted for regarding facility rental, equipment, hospitality, and other miscellaneous expenses. A conservative \$15,000 in expenses can be attributed to this area.
- Total Estimates: Total estimates are \$24,000 in gross revenue and \$24,000 in expenses.

The MPSSAA finance committee is recommended to be conservative with gross revenue while planning for high expenses. Based on these estimates, districts will be able to incur expenses within current operations. It is recommended for year one that a gross revenue of \$24,000 and an expense of \$24,000 be adopted by the finance committee.

## Tournament Structure

**The MPSSAA recommends the following tournament structure to operate a state championship format. The structure focuses on weekly limitations, seasonal limitations, an open tournament format consistent with other state championships, postseason flow, and a culminating state championship date.**

**Weekly and Seasonal Limitations** – The MPSSAA recommends weekly and seasonal limitations consistent with the operations of other fall sports. Local school systems may be more restrictive and operate fewer contests per week and per season at their discretion.

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- 12 regular season games or 14 with designated tournament;
- No more than two games per week;
- Three games in one week may be scheduled twice during the season;

- A team may elect to play in one designated optional two or three-game tournament; and
- If a team elects to play in a designated optional three-game tournament, only 11 regular season games may be scheduled.

**Classifications** – The MPSSAA guidelines for classifications are to establish two classifications at 40 percent membership participation (80 member schools), consideration of three classifications at 55 percent (110 member schools), and consideration of four classifications at 65 percent (130 member schools). State tournament classifications operate in 64-line brackets for open tournaments.

Currently, 91 schools participate, with 41 more schools set to participate in the fall of 2026, for a total of 132 potential schools. The MPSSAA is recommending three classifications based on potential participation. Three classifications would have 44 schools per class, with four or six teams per region (8 regions per class).

**Tournament Structure** - The tournament structure will follow the model of other state tournaments. Each region will play out an 8-line bracket to determine a regional champion. The eight regional champions will be reseeded into a state quarterfinal, with the final eight teams playing out an 8-line state championship bracket.

- Tournament Week 1 – Regional QF and Regional SF
- Tournament Week 2 – Regional Finals and State QF
- Tournament Week 3 – State SF and State Championships

**Fall 2026 Overview** – The following overview calendar marks key dates for regular season and state tournament participation. The following dates are subject to change based on state championship venue date.

- August 12, 2026 – First Practice Date
- September 4, 2026 – First Play Date
- Week 1 – Sept. 4-5
- Week 2 – Sept. 7-12
- Week 3 – Sept. 14-19
- Week 4 – Sept. 21-26
- Week 5 – Sept. 28-Oct. 3
- Week 6 – Oct. 5-10
- Week 7 – Oct. 12-17
- Week 8 – Oct. 19
- October 19, 2026 – Last Play Date for Seeding Consideration
- October 20, 2026 – Girls Flag Seeding of State Tournament
- October 21, 2026 – Regional Quarterfinal
- October 23-24, 2026 – Regional Semifinal
- October 27, 2026 – Regional Finals
- October 29-31, 2026 – State Quarterfinals
- November 5-7, 2026 – State Semifinals
- November 13, 2026 – State Championships

# Fall 2026 Girls' Flag Football Tournament Bulletin

MARYLAND GIRLS' FLAG STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS – NOVEMBER 13, 2026 – M&T BANK STADIUM (TENTATIVE)  
GIRLS' FLAG STATE SEMIFINALS – NOVEMBER 5-7, 2026 – REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL SITES

DATE	EVENT	DATE	EVENT
August 12	First Practice Date	October 21	Region Quarterfinals
September 4	First Play Date	October 23-24	Regional Semifinals
October 19	Last play date for seeding consideration	October 27	Regional Finals
October 20	Tournament seeding date	October 29-31	State Quarterfinals
October 20	Last Play Date	November 5-7	State Semifinals
		November 13	State Championships

## I. General information

- A. The Maryland Public Secondary Schools Athletic Association is the official governing body for the Football tournament. Plans for the tournament were formulated by the State Football Committee and approved by the Board of Control.
- B. Schools choosing to enter the tournament have the responsibility for reading and adhering to the rules and regulations stated on page 1 (Section I) of this publication as well as those appearing within this Girls Flag Football Bulletin. Unless specifically stated, all rules and regulations stipulated in the NFHS Flag Football Rule Book will be followed.
- C. Eligibility rules for all participants are defined in MPSSAA Bylaw .02, found in the current MPSSAA Handbook.
- D. General regulations for all state tournaments are contained in MPSSAA Bylaw .07, found in both the current Handbook and in the front section of this publication.
- E. By State adoption, Maryland has adopted the following Fall 2026 Maryland Rules:
  1. BELTS - the approved belt has 2 popping style flags, positioned on each hip. Color must be different than team shorts.
  2. The official game ball is
    - (a) Composite: [the Wilson GST Speedskin HEIR](#) Size: "Women's Official"
    - (b) Leather: [Wilson GST Game Football](#) Size: "Youth"
  3. Timer and scorer: if there is a visible working scoreboard, it shall be used as the official clock.
  4. During the regular season, each team will supply their game balls.

## II. REGION AND STATE TOURNAMENTS

- A. Tournament Organization
  1. Every school is automatically entered in the region tournament unless the MPSSAA office receives written notification to the contrary. Request for withdrawal shall be by letter, signed by the school principal.
  2. A TEAM ENTRY FORM utilized for the State Semifinals, and Finals must be filled out by teams winning their Region Final. Instructions on filling out the TEAM ENTRY FORM will be available on [mpssaa.org](http://mpssaa.org).
  3. Each region will conduct a single elimination tournament, with the champion advancing to state play.

### III. REGION TOURNAMENTS

#### A. Tournament Organization

1. The region director is responsible for the assignment of officials and the notification of schools as to the tournament bracket, site, and starting times.
  - (a.) The region director shall employ local officials to the game site, plus qualified adults as scorers and timers.
  - (a.) The region director shall inform the State Committee Director and the MPSSAA of the schedule established for competition.
2. The seeding meeting for bracket positions will take place Tuesday, October 20th in the MPSSAA office via conference call with the State Tournament Director. Tournament pairings will appear on the MPSSAA web site <mpssaa.org> later that day.
  - (a.) All games entered on the MPSSAA Website via the MPSSAA official scores and schedules platform will be used to seed the state tournament.
  - (b.) All teams in each region will be seeded as determined by regular season winning percentage, excluding the one additional tournament and any city, county, or conference championship.
  - (c.) Teams with less than **seven** varsity games played will be seeded based on a regular season winning percentage using a divisor of **seven** games.
  - (d.) Ties among teams in a region will be first broken by head-to-head competition to determine the higher seed. This applies if all tied teams meet the criteria. If head-to-head does not break the tie, a coin toss will be used to determine the order of seeding.
  - (e.) The higher-placed team is defined as one who occupies the lower-numbered line position, (the favored position), on the bracket in any given round.
3. Unless a specific alternative plan has been approved, all teams in regional play will abide by the following guidelines.
  - (f.) All regional games will be played at the site of the higher seed throughout the tournament.
  - (g.) If circumstances render a home site unplayable and the game is scheduled at any alternate site, the designated home team will remain unchanged.
  - (h.) The home team will wear a dark-colored uniform.
  - (i.) During regional tournament games, the designated home team shall supply markers.
4. The home school will determine the game times in alignment with local school system policies and procedures.
5. Traveling teams should contact the director of the region where the game is to be played for information regarding field conditions, etc. which pertain to their game status.
6. The Girls Flag Committee will approve for use only those sites that meet the criteria that follows. When a school cannot meet the game site criteria, the region director shall designate an alternate site after consultation with the local Supervisor(s) of Athletics.
  - (j.) Play must be on a regulation field, sized and marked as specified by NFHS Rules including marks for a team line.
  - (k.) There shall be a clearly defined spectator area. Spectators may not stand behind team benches.
  - (l.) Provisions should be made for adequate supervision and crowd control.

- (m.) There should be the capability to control the gate.
- (n.) Team benches should be provided.
- (o.) For Region Finals and later rounds, the use of a public address system is recommended.
- (p.) If at a neutral site, the school must be willing to host.

7. Local MPSSAA districts will collect all revenue and pay all expenses. Site directors shall pay officials and required workers. When funds are not available, fees should be referred to the host district.

#### B. General Policies

1. Individuals 7 years of age and older will be charged an admission of \$6.
2. Game scores shall be reported to the MPSSAA immediately following each contest.
3. Region champions will receive individual certificates.
4. The use of noisemakers and other distractions that disrupts the orderly progress of the game, (i.e., use of whistles or horns that are similar to those used by officials and the scoring table), are prohibited.

### IV. STATE TOURNAMENTS

#### A. Tournament Organization

1. The region champions from each classification shall advance to a State Quarterfinal round.
2. The eight region champions will be seeded 1-8 based on their regular season winning percentage used to seed each region. Ties among teams in the State Quarterfinals will be first broken by head-to-head competition to determine the higher seed. This applies if all tied teams meet the criteria. If head-to-head does not break the tie, a coin toss will be used to determine the order of seeding.
3. Unless a specific alternate plan has been approved, all State Quarterfinal games will be played at the site of the higher seed.
4. Schools hosting a State Quarterfinal game may schedule the contest on Thursday, October 29 through Saturday, October 31. When setting game times hosting sites must be mindful of other school activities and provide appropriate travel time. Local Supervisors of Athletics shall be contacted and make the final decision when conflicts occur.
5. A four-person officiating crew and an official timer from the association local to the higher seeded team will be assigned to the State Quarterfinal contest.
6. Local MPSSAA districts will collect all revenue and pay all expenses. Site directors shall pay officials and required workers. When funds are not available, fees should be referred to the host district.

#### B. State Semifinals

1. The winners of the State Quarterfinal round shall advance to the State Semifinals.
  - (a.) The winner in each classification of the No. 1 versus No. 8 seeded game will play the winner of the No. 4 versus No. 5 seeded game.
  - (b.) The winner in each classification of the No. 2 versus No. 7 seeded game will play the winner of the No. 3 versus No. 6 seeded game.
2. Unless a specific alternate plan has been approved, all State Semifinal games will be played at the site of the higher seed.
3. Teams shall arrive at the game site dressed for participation.
4. Each school participating in the tournament semifinals shall supply their own game balls.
5. A four-person officiating crew and an official timer will be assigned to the State Semifinal contest.

C. State Finals

1. The winners of the State Semifinal round shall advance to the State Finals.
2. The Finals will be played at M&T Bank Stadium. Game times are TBA. In the event of an unforeseen conflict, the tournament finals will be played at a member school site determined by the state committee.
3. A total of 35 members of the official girls' flag football party will be admitted free – only players, coaches, managers, and athletic trainers.
4. The championship team and the finalist team will each be presented with a team plaque and 35 individual awards.
5. A four-person officiating crew and an official timer will be assigned for each game.
6. Teams shall arrive at the game site dressed for participation. Locker rooms will be provided.
7. Teams should bring their own warmup and game balls.

D. General Policies

1. Individuals 7 years of age and older will be charged admission.
  - (c.) State Quarterfinals – \$8.
  - (d.) State Semifinals – \$8
  - (e.) State Finals – \$10
2. State Quarterfinal winners will complete the Media Information Form (found on the Girls Flag Football page of mpssaa.org) and bring the requested copies to the State Semifinals. This form shall be revised following the State Semifinals and new requested copies brought to the State Final game.
3. The use of noisemakers and other distractions that disrupts the orderly progress of the game, (i.e., use of whistles or horns that are similar to those used by officials and the scoring table), are prohibited.
4. Signs will be permitted for display on the sidelines only. Those signs must be stationary, self-supporting and should display a positive support of the school. Signs may not be carried through the spectator area as a means of taunting others. Faculty members of participating schools are expected to enforce this regulation. Derogatory or obscene signs will be confiscated.
5. Coaches must remind their teams, parents, and spectators that no alcoholic beverages (or nonalcoholic substitute) are permitted on the state tournament property.

Projected Girls' Flag Football Championship Dates					
2026	November 13	2027	TBD	2028	TBD

STATE GIRLS' FLAG FOOTBALL COMMITTEE AND REGIONAL DIRECTORS ARE LISTED ON THE MPSSAA WEBSITE AT: [WWW.MPSSAA.ORG](http://WWW.MPSSAA.ORG)

# 2026 Girls' Flag Football Classification Alignment

Class 4A-3A West			Class 4A-3A North			Class 4A-3A South			Class 4A-3A East		
Region I			Region I			Region I			Region I		
1.	Frederick	Fre	1.	Dulaney	B Co	1.	Albert Einstein	Mtg	1.	Bowie	PG
2.	Gov. Thomas Johnson	Fre	2.	Dundalk	B Co	2.	Bethesda-CC	Mtg	2.	Bladensburg	PG
3.	Urbana	Fre	3.	Kenwood	B Co	3.	Richard Mont.	Mtg	3.	Duval	PG
4.	South Hagerstown	Was	4.	Parkville	B Co	4.	Walt Whitman	Mtg	4.	E. Roosevelt	PG
			5.	Perry Hall	B Co	5.	Walter Johnson	Mtg	5.	Northwestern	PG
			6.	Woodlawn	B Co	6.	Winston Churchill	Mtg	6.	Parkdale	PG
Region II			Region II			Region II			Region II		
1.	Clarksburg	Mtg	1.	Digital Harbor	Balt	1.	Montgomery Blair	Mtg	1.	North Point	Cha
2.	Gaithersburg	Mtg	2.	Mergenthaler Voc.	Balt	2.	James H. Blake	Mtg	2.	Charles H. Flowers	PG
3.	Northwest	Mtg	3.	Western	Balt	3.	John F. Kennedy	Mtg	3.	Dr. Henry A. Wise	PG
4.	Quince Orchard	Mtg	4.	High Point	PG	4.	Paint Branch	Mtg	4.	Suitland	PG
5.	Seneca Valley	Mtg	5.	Laurel	PG	5.	Springbrook	Mtg	5.	Leondardtwn	Stm
6.	Thomas S. Wootton	Mtg				6.	Wheaton	Mtg			

Class 3A-2A West			Class 3A-2A North			Class 3A-2A South			Class 3A-2A East		
Region I			Region I			Region I			Region I		
1.	Linganore	Fre	1.	Catonsville	B Co	1.	Crossland	PG	1.	Atholton	How
2.	Oakdale	Fre	2.	Franklin	B Co	2.	Fairmont Heights	PG	2.	Guilford Park	How
3.	Tuscarora	Fre	3.	Lansdowne	B Co	3.	Gwynn Park	PG	3.	Howard	How
4.	Damascus	Mtg	4.	Milford Mill Academy	B Co	4.	Largo	PG	4.	Oakland Mills	How
5.	North Hagerstown	Was	5.	New Town	B Co	5.	Oxon Hill	PG	5.	Reservoir	How
			6.	Towson	B Co	6.	Potomac	PG			
Region II			Region II			Region II			Region II		
1.	Col. Zadok Magruder	Mtg	1.	Eastern Tech	B Co	1.	Huntingtown	Cal	1.	Centennial	How
2.	Northwood	Mtg	2.	Overlea	B Co	2.	Northern	Cal	2.	Glenelg	How
3.	Poolesville	Mtg	3.	Patapsco	B Co	3.	St. Charles	Cha	3.	Marriotts Ridge	How
4.	Rockville	Mtg	4.	Baltimore Poly	Balt	4.	Thomas Stone	Cha	4.	Mount Hebron	How
5.	Sherwood	Mtg	5.	Patterson	Balt	5.	Chopticon	Stm	5.	River Hill	How
6.	Watkins Mill	Mtg				6.	Great Mills	Stm			

Class 2A-1A West			Class 2A-1A North			Class 2A-1A South			Class 2A-1A East		
Region I			Region I			Region I			Region I		
1.	Boonsboro	Was	1.	Carver A&T	B Co	1.	ACCE	Balt	1.	Hammond	How
2.	Clear Spring	Was	2.	Hereford	B Co	2.	Carver Vo-Tech	Balt	2.	Long Reach	How
3.	Smithsburg	Was	3.	Loch Raven	B Co	3.	Edmondson-Westside	Balt	3.	Wilde Lake	How
4.	Williamsport	Was	4.	Owings Mills	B Co	4.	Forest Park	Balt	4.	CMIT-North	PG
			5.	Pikesville	B Co	5.	Frederick Douglass	Balt	5.	College Park Academy	PG
			6.	Randallstown	B Co	6.	Reginald Lewis	Balt	6.	Int. at Langley Park	PG
Region II			Region II			Region II			Region II		
1.	Brunswick	Fre	1.	Chesapeake	B Co	1.	Calvert	Cal	1.	Central	PG
2.	Catoctin	Fre	2.	Sparrows Point	B Co	2.	Patuxent	Cal	2.	CMIT-South	PG
3.	Middletown	Fre	3.	Western Tech	B Co	3.	Henry E. Lackey	Cha	3.	Frederick Douglass	PG
4.	Walkersville	Fre	4.	Green Street Academy	Balt	4.	La Plata	Cha	4.	Friendly	PG
			5.	National Acad. Found.	Balt	5.	McDonough	Stm	5.	Int. at Largo	PG
			6.	Paul Laurence Dunbar	Balt	6.	Westlake	Stm	6.	Surrattsville	PG