

**Iowa High School Swim Coaches Association  
Senior Scholastic Achievement Award  
and Academic All-State Team**

**Eligibility:**

- A. A senior from your team, either a swimmer or a diver.
- B. Must be a state meet qualifier in at least one individual event.
- C. Nominating coach must be a member of the IHSSCA or pay \$20 per athlete nominated (max 2 athletes).
- D. Must have a minimum of 3.25 unweighted GPA and a minimum of 21 ACT score.

**Procedure for Nomination:**

Each school may submit the names of two senior swimmers or divers. Give nomination form and letter of recommendation to the Awards Chairperson (Emily Snyder) at the coaches meeting at the state meet. The nomination that you (the coach) submit must be completed at this time except for places and corresponding points.

**Criteria for Selection:**

The nomination will include the swimmers or divers state meet individual events (no relays).

No matter if the nominee is a swimmer or a diver, his or her current cumulative unweighted grade point average, and ACT score must also be on the nomination.

***A letter of recommendation*** must accompany the nomination. This letter should come from a designated school official; principal, vice-principal, counselor, or athletic director - other than the swimming coach. A data sheet should also accompany the nomination listing school and community activities. This material will be used only in the case of a tie in the Total Points for the Senior Scholastic Achievement Award. The IHSSCA president and senior scholastic awards chair will determine any ties.

The Awards Chairperson will find the swimmers or divers highest place in one individual event to determine Competition Points and add the Academic Points (unweighted GPA and ACT score) based on the information in the nomination after the state meet.

The nominee receiving the most Total Points will be the winner of the Senior Scholastic achievement Award, and the nominees receiving the next fifteen Total Points will also be named to the Academic All-State Swimming Team.

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**Athlete:** \_\_\_\_\_

**School:** \_\_\_\_\_

(School competing for if co-op athlete)

**School Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Where you would like certificate sent)

**IHSSCA Member Coach Nominating:** \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Members – please enclose \$20 payment per nomination with the nomination form.  
Checks may be payable to IHSSCA

**State Meet Individual Events**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

GPA Points

(Unweighted)

4.00 = 20 pts.

3.95 = 17 pts.

3.90 = 16 pts.

3.85 = 15 pts.

3.80 = 14 pts.

3.75 = 13 pts.

3.70 = 12 pts.

3.65 = 11 pts.

3.60 = 9 pts.

3.55 = 7 pts.

3.50 = 6 pts.

3.45 = 5 pts.

3.40 = 4 pts.

3.35 = 3 pts.

3.30 = 2 pts.

3.25 = 1 pt.

ACT Points

36 = 20 pts.

35 = 17 pts.

34 = 16 pts.

33 = 15 pts.

32 = 14 pts.

31 = 13 pts.

30 = 12 pts.

29 = 11 pts.

28 = 9 pts.

27 = 7 pts.

26 = 6 pts.

25 = 5 pts.

24 = 4 pts.

23 = 3 pts.

22 = 2 pts.

21 = 1 pt.

Competition Points

(TOP individual event – only one)

1<sup>st</sup> = 20 pts.

2<sup>nd</sup> = 17 pts.

3<sup>rd</sup> = 16 pts.

4<sup>th</sup> = 15 pts.

5<sup>th</sup> = 14 pts.

6<sup>th</sup> = 13 pts.

7<sup>th</sup> = 12 pts.

8<sup>th</sup> = 11 pts.

9<sup>th</sup> or 10<sup>th</sup> = 9 pts.

11<sup>th</sup> or 12<sup>th</sup> = 7 pts.

13<sup>th</sup> or 14<sup>th</sup> = 6 pts.

15<sup>th</sup> or 16<sup>th</sup> = 5 pts.

17<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> = 4 pts.

21<sup>st</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> = 3 pts.

25<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> = 2 pts.

29<sup>th</sup> to 32<sup>nd</sup> = 1 pt.

Competition Points: \_\_\_\_\_

GPA Points: \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Points: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Points = \_\_\_\_\_

(Max points = 60)

Cumulative Unweighted GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

SAT (if available): \_\_\_\_\_

ACT Score: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This nomination form can be printed and given to the Awards Chairperson at the coaches meeting at the state meet. **Or you can E-MAIL or FAX this form to the following:** Attn: Emily Snyder at FAX 563-875-7037 (St. Francis Xavier Elementary),

**Phone:** (563)599-8059 **Email:** wchscoachemily@gmail.com or esnyder@xavier.pvt.k12.ia.us

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