



2021 ASAA March Madness Alaska At-Large Berths & Seeding

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For the team sport brackets: ASAA will use the last five years of state results to rank the conference champion for seeding purposes, then cross bracket any second place team from the same conference, with a random draw used to finalize the bracket.

(Approved by ASAA Board on 12/7/20)

2021 GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS

- Conferences must declare by the set date if they will fill their berths for the state tournament.
 - 3A/4A conferences must declare if they will fill their berths by February 25.
 - 1A/2A conferences must declare if they will fill their berths by March 4.
 - At least two conferences from a classification must attend for there to be a state tournament.
 - Teams may only play two games unless they win two and then they will play for the championship.
 - For 2A at least 2 conferences must attend for there to be a state tournament. For 1A at least 4 conferences must attend for there to be a state tournament.
- If any conference drops out the number of teams attending may be adjusted. This could result in a reduction of a conference's second place berth, not filling the at-large berths or filling the at-large berths.
 - Unfilled berths will be consider as "at-large".
 - The formats of tournaments may be adjusted based on the number of teams attending.
 - At large berths will only be utilized to balance a bracket.
- If a team qualifies as a conference berth (not at-large), but cannot attend, the conference may fill that berth, provided the tournament has not started. Notification to ASAA must have occurred by 10 a.m. the day prior to the event. The existing seeds will be moved up and the new team will come in as the last seed.
- Tournament formats may be changed to decrease the number of participants and days.
- ASAA will attempt to ensure every team plays two games but there is no guarantee.

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