

APPENDIX 8 CLASSIFICATION OF SCHOOLS

Revised: June 2015

- 1.0** There shall be three classifications of schools, A, AA, and AAA as follows:
- 1.1** "A" - Schools having an enrolment of 500 or less
- 1.2** "AA" - Schools having an enrolment of 501-950
- 1.3** "AAA" - School having an enrolment of 951+
- 1.4** OFSAA uses the October 31st enrolment to determine school classification for the subsequent school year and communicates that information to Associations on or around April 1st.
- 1.5** Schools will have the opportunity to appeal their classification DOWN. First to the WOSSAA Classifications Appeals committee and then to the OFSAA Classifications Appeal committee (if unsuccessful with their WOSSAA Classifications appeal).

The WOSSAA Classifications Appeal committee will be formed from members of the WOSSAA Executive and/or WOSSAA Directors. School's that wish to submit an appeal of their classification must complete the OFSAA form, and submit that form to the Executive Director by May 15th.

- 1.6** If schools wish to declare UP a classification for the coming school year, they should do so by May 15th, by contacting the Executive Director. The declaration must clearly indicate support from the Athletic Director and the Principal of the school. Note that the effect of declaring up is schoolwide and is not just in one sport or a selected sport, but for all sports, from September to June.