



Junior High State Alternate Process

When there is an opening in a particular weight class the selection process is as follows;

Alternates that are placed prior to State Weigh-In

- a) Spot goes to the wrestler who finished 7th at the District in which the vacancy occurs. If there is no 7th placer then;
- b) There is a random draw of all other District 7th placers. If the spot remains;
- c) Spot goes to a random draw of all District 8th placers;

Alternates Placed After State Weigh-In

- a) Spot goes to a random draw of all District 7th placers; this is repeated till all spots are filled or there are no more District 7th Placers.
- b) Spot goes to a random draw of all remaining District 8th placers. This is repeated till all spots are filled or there are no more District 8th placers.

Bracket Placement of Alternates Prior to the Week of the State Tournament

If an opening occurs because a state qualifier has dropped out of the tournament, all remaining placers that were a lower placement than the wrestler that dropped out, move up a spot to cover the opening and the Alternate is give the spot of the 7th placer.

Bracket Placement of Alternates the Week of the State Tournament and After State Weigh-In

When an Alternate is placed into the tournament the week of the state event, the rest of the placers do not move. The Alternate is placed directly in the spot of the vacated wrestler.