



2026 Division 3 State Wrestling Tournament

Gloucester High School

32 Leslie O Johnson Road, Gloucester, MA 01930

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20

9:00 AM - Team Arrival/Check-in

10:00 AM - Weigh-in/Skin Checks

- January 2lb allowance...i.e 106 is 108

*Coaches meeting - following Weigh-ins

11:00 AM - Round 1 Starts (*subject to start earlier, but not prior to 10:30 AM*)

*Must wrestle through 2nd Round Consi's on Friday

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21

8:30 AM - Team Arrival/Check-in

9:00 AM - Weigh-in/Skin Checks

- January weight plus 1 lb., ie 106 is 109
- Girls - 100 is 102

*Coaches meeting - following Weigh-ins

10:00 AM - Girls Round 1 Starts & Mixed Gender Semi-Finals/3rd round consolation

*Consolation Finals - 3rd & 5th place matches of both mixed gender & girls will be run together on 4 mats

*Divisional State Championships - 1st place matches of both mixed gender & girls will be run together on 2 mats

- **NOTE:** Unless the number of participants changes significantly from last year, the D3 Girls Divisional State Tournament is expected to be held on **Saturday 2/21 only**. The Mixed Gender Tournament will take place on both days. **UPDATE: D3 Girls Divisional States will take place on Saturday Only (2/21).**
- [MIAA Tournament Format](#) – Coaches and Athletic Directors should carefully read the format.
- **CONTACTS**
 - GHS Wrestling Coach, Matt Swanson - 978-325-0101
 - GHS Athletic Director, Bryan Lafata - 978-578-1067
- **COACHES LANYARDS** - As per MIAA policy, all coaches must have their MIAA-issued lanyard to enter for free with the team. These were issued at Sectionals.
- **BUS INFO**
 - Team Buses/Vans should drop athletes off at main doors & coaches and park at boat ramp parking lot behind GHS and the GHS Tennis Courts



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- **CONCESSIONS**

- Concessions will be available outside the fieldhouse all weekend.

- **WEIGH INS**

- Only the host coach and sectional representative will conduct weigh-in (oversight by tournament director if present)
- The referees and the on-site trainer will conduct the skin check prior to the weigh in. Any wrestler with a visible type skin condition **MUST** have an official MIAA Physician's release form signed and dated stating that the condition is non-communicable. These forms can be found in the format.

- **LOCKER ROOMS**

- There will be locker rooms available (for boys & girls) on the 2nd level of the fieldhouse. Restrooms are available on both the 1st & 2nd level of the gym.

- **ADMISSION FEE**

- Adults/Students/Seniors - \$11.50 (per day) - Prices set by the MIAA
 - Day 1 tickets - [click here](#)
 - Day 2 tickets - [click here](#)
- **Doors will not open for spectators until 10:00 AM on Friday and 9:00 AM on Saturday.**

- **APPAREL: NORTHWEST DESIGN INK**

- Official apparel sponsor of the MIAA can be purchased on site or [online](#)

- **MASSACHUSETTS ARMY NATIONAL GUARD**, a proud sponsor of the MIAA wrestling tournament, will be on-site. Be sure to visit their booth!

- **ACCOMMODATIONS**

- Beauport Hotel Gloucester - 978-282-0008
- The Hotel at Cape Ann Marina/Gloucester 978-283-2116
- Danvers & Peabody, MA approximately 20-25 minutes away have multiple hotel options