



Calculating Won/Loss Records for Sports with Multi-Team Events.

- I. When you are calculating your won/loss record in sports that include multi-team events your calculations will include the following:
 - a. Single-Team events: competitions involving two teams.
 - b. Multi-team events: competitions involving multiple teams.
- II. Calculating Single-Team events: you total your wins and losses for each season you served as the head coach in the sport you are nominated in.
 - a. This total will include all post-season single-team events.
 - b. This total will be added to your won/loss record for multi-team events.
- III. Calculating Multi-Team events: You total the number of teams defeated by your team in these competitions and the number of teams that defeated your team for each season you served as head coach in the sport you are nominated in.
 - a. A win is determined by your place at a multi-team event. If there were 10 teams in an event, and your team finished second, your team had 8 wins.
 - b. A loss is determined by your place at a multi-team event. If there were 10 teams in an event, and your team finished second, your team had 1 loss.
 - c. These totals will be added to the totals from your Single-team events to determine your final won/loss record.
- IV. Gathering data from each season as head coach for Multi-Team events.
 - a. If you maintained accurate records from these events this is easy. Following the instructions from Part III, determine your record for each multi-team event for each season you served as the head coach.
 - b. If you did not maintain accurate records from the events you may use the processes below to determine the “most-accurate” won/loss record possible.
 - i. As accurately as possible, identify the multi-team events your team attended each year and estimate the number of teams that participated in these events (use whatever documentation you can find and/or your memory).
 - ii. As accurately as possible, identify your teams’ finishes in these events (use whatever documentation you can find, including trophies, and/or your memory).
 - iii. If you are not able to find documentation, use your best estimate of your average finish in these events to determine your won/loss record. For example: I know my team attended a specific invitational track meet every season and that it averaged 15 teams each year. I would reflect on this meet, with the teams in attendance, and estimate to the best of my ability where my team typically finished. If we were typically a top five team I would estimate 11 wins and 3 losses for each year we attended that meet. If I am in my 20th year as head coach that would give me a 220/60 won/loss record for that meet.



- V. Post Season Records: Hopefully you have records from your district, region, sectional and state competitions. If not, follow the process in Part IV.
- VI. Why these records are important.
 - a. NHSACA uses these records to determine your winning percentage. This is an important category that is scored in the COTY process.
 - b. Coaches also receive a small bonus point for each 100 victory milestone they achieve which means the multi-team events certainly play a factor in the final scoring of this category.
 - c. If you only send in your single-sport event record, the NHSACA will try to provide a conservative estimate of your multi-sport event record based on your team's success at the region/section/state level and the number of years you have coached. This is done in an effort to score every coach in a similar fashion and with the experience the NHSACA office has in this process, it allows for fairness for all coaches who have been nominated.
- VII. Reminder: this category will be scored by comparing the won/loss percentage. The total number of wins identified is only used to determine any potential bonus points. It is .5 for each 100 victories.