

NFHS Rule Book Distribution Policy



The Indiana High School Athletic Association provides all National Federation rules publications to its member schools and licensed officials on an alternate-year basis rather than annually as in previous years. The process began with the 2010-2011 school year. The increasing cost to purchase and ship rules books that contain few significant changes year after year is the impetus for a change in policy. All officials and schools will be provided summaries of changes on-line, in print and at rules meetings during the off-years.

While new officials (those registering for the first time) will receive all rules books and case books in their registered sports in the year of their initial registration, renewing officials will receive books as indicated by the schedule below. Officials also have access to the NFHS Central Hub through Arbiter where searchable rules books and case books are housed.

The following chart represents the distribution plan for NFHS rules books by the IHSAA:

2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Volleyball (R, C)	Football (R, C, M)	Volleyball (R, C)	Football (R, C, M)
Basketball (R, C, M)	Soccer	Basketball (R, C, M)	Soccer
Swim and Diving	Gymnastics	Swim and Diving	Gymnastics
Wrestling (R, C)	Track and Field (R, C, M)	Wrestling (R, C)	Track and Field (R, C, M)
Softball (R, C, M)	Baseball (R, C, M)	Softball (R, C, M)	Baseball (R, C, M)

Rules Book (R), Case Book (C), Umpires Manual (M)

NOTE: Golf and Tennis Rule Books will continue to be distributed digitally. These books will be free of charge to our members.

USGA Rules of Golf (Free publication)

<https://www.usgapublications.com/collections/rules-of-golf/products/rules-of-golf-2016-edition?variant=25702109062>

USTA Friend at Court – Rule Book

https://www.usta.com/content/dam/usta/pdfs/20180119_2018FAC-full.links.pdf#

Additional NFHS Rule Books may be purchased during the license renewal process with the IHSAA, through the IHSAA E-Store, via our public web site at www.ihsaa.org. A link to the publications page of the e-commerce store is displayed below:

<http://www.ihsaa.net/Commerce.Web/catalog/526e0466-ac78-40dd-a453-aa42e3e11fb0.aspx>

NFHS rules books are priced at \$8.50 per book. Shipping is \$2.00 per book purchased. If you have specific questions, please contact the IHSAA at 317-846-6601.