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In 1972, the first year of the tournament was played as far as the sectional final only.

Prior to 1976, the tournament was competed as far as the sectional final, with the sectional finalists playing down to an overall state champion.

Beginning in 1976, four state champions would be crowned – one for each group.

In 1982, Non-Public Groups A and B were added.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, State Championships were not held in 2020.

The New Jersey State Interscholastic Athletic Association strives to make each sport's Championship History Book an accurate and comprehensive resource. If you have information you believe should be included in these records (additions, deletions or corrections), it may be submitted by e-mail to Dena Maggio at dmaggio@njsiaa.org. Please provide supporting data/documentation with your submission. Appropriate documentation shall include, but is not limited to, the following: copies of scorebooks or game/season statistical summaries, copies of yearbooks, and copies of newspaper clippings. All information must be complete for consideration. Submissions completed by a coach or school administrator are preferred. Before any mark is added to the record book, it must be independently verified by the NJSIAA staff. If the information cannot be independently verified, it will not be included.

Championship History is updated on a seasonal basis when possible.

Sectional Champions

Year	North I	North II	Central	South
1972	Roxbury	Phillipsburg	Haddon Township	Lenape

The first year of the tournament was played as far as the sectional final only.

Year	North I	North II	Central	South
1973	Kearny	Roxbury	Phillipsburg	Lenape
1974	Westwood	Westfield	Sayreville	Lenape
1975	Westwood	Phillipsburg	South Plainfield	Lenape

Prior to 1976, the tournament was competed as far as the sectional final, with the sectional finalists playing down to an overall state champion.

State Champions (1973-1976)

Year	State Champion	Runner Up
1973	Phillipsburg	Roxbury
1974	Lenape	Westfield
1975	Phillipsburg	Lenape

State Champions

Year	Group	State Champion	Runner-Up
1976	IV	Middletown	Kearny
	III	Phillipsburg	Mainland Regional
	II	Audubon	Hawthorne
	I	Wildwood	Wood-Ridge
1977	IV	Passaic Valley	Sayreville
	III	Rancocoas Valley	Ramapo
	II	Audubon	Rutherford
	I	Cedar Grove	Hammonton
1978	IV	Woodbridge	Westfield
	III	Ramapo	Triton Regional
	II	Gateway	Queen of Peace
	I	A.P. Schalick	Cedar Grove
1979	IV	Ridgewood	Woodbridge
	III	Northern Valley- Demarest	Bridgeton
	II	Haddon Township	Manchester Regional
	I	Cedar Grove	Hammonton
1980	IV	Morris Knolls	Edison
	III	Cherokee	Hanover Park
	II	Madison Boro	Northern Burlington
	I	Hammonton	Roselle Park
1981	IV	Lenape	Eastside (Paterson)
	III	Parsippany Hills	Cherokee
	II	Sterling	Jefferson
	I	Immaculata	Henry P. Becton
1982	IV	Kearny	Edison
	III	Parsippany Hills	Cherokee
	II	Ramsey	Northern Burlington
	I	Whippany Park	Maple Shade
	Non-Public A	Morris Catholic	Camden Catholic
	Non-Public B	St. Mary's (Rutherford)	Bayley-Ellard
1983	IV	Ridgewood	Cherry Hill West
	III	Cherokee	Ramsey
	II	James Caldwell	Gateway
	I	Woodbury	Wood-Ridge
	Non-Public A	McCorristin	DePaul Catholic
	Non-Public B	Immaculate Conception	Gloucester Catholic

State Champions *continued*

Year	Group	State Champion	Runner-Up
1984	IV	Cherokee	Union
	III	Voorhees	Ramsey
	II	Whippany Park	Hammonton
	I	Mountain Lakes	Audubon
	Non-Public A	DePaul Catholic	Camden Catholic
	Non-Public B	Bayley-Ellard	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)
1985	IV	Washington Township	Westfield
	III	West Morris Mendham	Collingswood
	II	Delaware Valley	Jefferson
	I	Burlington Township	Saddle Brook
	Non-Public A	Holy Cross	Paramus Catholic
	Non-Public B	DePaul Catholic	Bishop Eustace
1986	IV	Eastern	Ridgewood
	III	Parsippany	Central Regional
	II	Hammonton	Jefferson
	I	Hoffman- South Amboy	Prompton Lakes
	Non-Public A	Camden Catholic	Paramus Catholic
	Non-Public B	Morris Catholic	Gloucester Catholic
1987	IV	Edison	Belleville
	III	Hamilton North (Nottingham)	West Morris Mendham
	II	Lodi	Delsea
	I	Florence	Roselle Park
	Non-Public A	Paramus Catholic	Paul VI- Haddonfield
	Non-Public B	Gloucester Catholic	Immaculata
1988	IV	Cherokee	Westfield
	III	JFK Memorial- Iselin	Ramsey
	II	Shore Regional	Whippany Park
	I	Mountain Lakes	Bound Brook
	Non-Public A	Queen of Peace	Msgr. Donovan
	Non-Public B	Gloucester Catholic	DePaul Catholic
1989	IV	Union	Middletown North
	III	Ocean City	Paramus
	II	South Plainfield	Boonton
	I	Whippany Park	Gloucester City
	Non-Public A	Holy Cross	Paramus Catholic
	Non-Public B	Bishop Eustace	Phillipsburg Catholic

State Champions *continued*

Year	Group	State Champion	Runner-Up
1990	IV	Edison	Clifton
	III	Hamilton North (Nottingham)	Morris Hills
	II	Lenape Valley	Colonia
	I	Whippany Park	Gloucester City
	Non-Public A	Camden Catholic	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Gloucester Catholic	St. Mary's
1991	IV	Edison	West Milford
	III	Ramsey	Cumberland Regional
	II	Lenape Valley	Pennsville
	I	Mountain Lakes	Middlesex
	Non-Public A	Camden Catholic	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Gloucester Catholic	St. Mary's
1992	IV	Roxbury	Middletown North
	III	Nutley	Ocean Township
	II	James Caldwell	Northern Burlington
	I	Whippany Park	Woodbury
	Non-Public A	Camden Catholic	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Bishop Eustace	Morris Catholic
1993	IV	Clifton	Washinton Township
	III	Ocean Township	Ramsey
	II	Pennsville	Jefferson
	I	Mountain Lakes	Bound Brook
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	Paul VI- Haddonfield
	Non-Public B	DePaul Catholic	Bishop Eustace
1994	IV	Cherokee	West Milford
	III	Rancocas Valley	Passaic Valley
	II	River Dell	Clearview Regional
	I	Bound Brook	Prompton Lakes
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	St. John Vianney
	Non-Public B	Mount St. Dominic	Gloucester Catholic
1995	IV	Middletown South	Clifton
	III	Nutley	Watchung Hills
	II	Delran	A.L. Johnson (Clark)
	I	Bound Brook	Pequannock
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	Notre Dame
	Non-Public B	Mount St. Dominic	Bishop Eustace

State Champions *continued*

Year	Group	State Champion	Runner-Up
1996	IV	Cherokee	Montclair
	III	Central Regional	Paramus
	II	West Deptford	A.L. Johnson (Clark)
	I	Woodbury	Cedar Grove
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	Bishop Ahr
	Non-Public B	Bishop Eustace	Mount St. Dominic
1997	IV	Clifton	Middletown South
	III	Wall Township	River Dell
	II	Morris Hills	Delaware Valley
	I	Bishop Eustace	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public A	Bishop Eustace	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Red Bank Catholic	St. Mary's
1998	IV	Clifton	Cherokee
	III	Clearview Regional	Passaic Valley
	II	Kingsway	Mahwah
	I	Bound Brook	Wallington
	Non-Public A	Bishop Eustace	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	St. Mary's	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)
1999	IV	Hunterdon Central	Paramus
	III	Hamilton West	Cranford
	II	Kingsway	Jefferson
	I	Whippany Park	Bound Brook
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	Bishop Eustace
	Non-Public B	Montclair Kimberley	Sacred Heart
2000	IV	J.P. Stevens	Clifton
	III	Passaic Valley	Middletown South
	II	South Plainfield	Pompton Lakes
	I	Gloucester City	Saddle Brook
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	Bishop Ahr
	Non-Public B	Montclair Kimberley	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)
2001	IV	Cherokee	Belleville
	III	Cumberland Regional	Morris Hills
	II	Haddon Heights	Pompton Lakes
	I	Gloucester City	Emerson Boro
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Gloucester Catholic	Montclair Kimberley

State Champions *continued*

Year	Group	State Champion	Runner-Up
2002	IV	Washinton Township	West Milford
	III	Middletown South	Pascack Valley
	II	Northern Burlington	Pompton Lakes
	I	Pennsville	Saddle Brook
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Montclair Kimberley	Gloucester Catholic
2003	IV	Cherokee	West Milford
	III	Jefferson	Hamilton West
	II	Manchester Township	James Caldwell
	I	Roselle Park	Gloucester City
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	St. John Vianney
	Non-Public B	Gloucester Catholic	St. Mary's
2004	IV	Hamilton East (Steinert)	Clifton
	III	Montgomery	Hammonton
	II	Jefferson	Sterling
	I	Middlesex	Cedar Grove
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	Montclair Kimberley	Sacred Heart
2005	IV	Rancocas Valley	J.P. Stevens
	III	South Plainfield	Northern Burlington
	II	James Caldwell	Audubon
	I	Gloucester City	Verona
	Non-Public A	Red Bank Catholic	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	Montclair Kimberley	Holy Spirit
2006	IV	North Hunterdon	Hamilton East (Steinert)
	III	Ramapo	Wall Township
	II	Allentown	Pascack Valley
	I	New Egypt	Belvidere
	Non-Public A	Notre Dame	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	Montclair Kimberley	Gloucester Catholic
2007	IV	Clifton	Toms River East
	III	Wall Township	Ramapo
	II	Governor Livingston	Pascack Hills
	I	Florence	Pompton Lakes
	Non-Public A	Notre Dame	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	Montclair Kimberley	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)

State Champions *continued*

Year	Group	State Champion	Runner-Up
2008	IV	Williamstown	Ridgewood
	III	Kingsway	JFK Memorial- Iselin
	II	Sterling	Kittatinny
	I	Pennsville	Hudson County High Tech
	Non-Public A	Red Bank Catholic	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Mater Dei	Montclair Kimberley
2009	IV	Williamstown	Union
	III	Middletown South	Ramapo
	II	Pequannock	Cranford
	I	Gloucester City	Saddle Brook
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	St. John Vianney
	Non-Public B	Montclair Kimberley	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)
2010	IV	Morris Knolls	Eastern
	III	Middletown South	Nutley
	II	Indian Hills	Overbrook
	I	New Egypt	Wood-Ridge
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Paramus Catholic
	Non-Public B	Gloucester Catholic	Immaculate Conception- Lodi
2011	IV	Hunterdon Central	Howell
	III	Sparta	Middletown South
	II	Robbinsville	Pequannock
	I	New Egypt	Whippany Park
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Gloucester Catholic	Morris Catholic
2012	IV	Eastern	Hunterdon Central
	III	High Point Regional	Kingsway
	II	Pequannock	Robbinsville
	I	Whippany Park	New Egypt
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	St. John Vianney
	Non-Public B	Sacred Heart	Immaculate Conception- Lodi
2013	IV	Washinton Township	Watchung Hills
	III	Indian Hills	Wall Township
	II	Robbinsville	Hanover Park
	I	Haddon Heights	Saddle Brook
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	Sacred Heart

State Champions *continued*

Year	Group	State Champion	Runner-Up
2014	IV	North Hunterdon	Hillsborough
	III	Indian Hills	Ewing
	II	High Point	Robbinsville
	I	New Egypt	Butler
	Non-Public A	Mount St. Dominic	Immaculata
	Non-Public B	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)
2015	IV	Washington Township	Bridgewater-Raritan
	III	Middletown South	Sparta
	II	Ramsey	Robbinsville
	I	Cedar Grove	Henry Hudson
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	Pope John XXIII
	Non-Public B	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	Hudson Catholic
2016	IV	Watchung Hills	Egg Harbor Township
	III	Hamilton East (Steinert)	Middletown South
	II	Northern Valley- Demarest	A.L. Johnson (Clark)
	I	New Egypt	Butler
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	Donovan Catholic
	Non-Public B	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	Benedictine
2017	IV	Egg Harbor Township	North Hunterdon
	III	South Plainfield	Hamilton East (Steinert)
	II	Robbinsville	Ramsey
	I	Cedar Grove	Metuchen
	Non-Public A	Immaculate Heart	Donovan Catholic
	Non-Public B	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	Wildwood Catholic
2018	IV	North Hunterdon	Vineland
	III	Hamilton East (Steinert)	Indian Hills
	II	Robbinsville	Ramsey
	I	Roselle Park	Gloucester City
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	Wildwood Catholic
2019	IV	Hightstown	Mount Olive
	III	Middletown North	Chatham
	II	Ramsey	Bordentown
	I	Cedar Grove	Buena
	Non-Public A	Donovan Catholic	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)

State Champions *continued*

Year	Group	State Champion	Runner-Up
2020	<i>Tournament canceled due to COVID-19</i>		
2021	IV	Livingston	Hillsborough
	III	Colts Neck	Cranford
	II	Robbinsville	Verona
	I	Clayton	Whippany Park
	Non-Public A	Donovan Catholic	Immaculate Heart
	Non-Public B	Morris Catholic	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)
2022	IV	Watchung Hills	Egg Harbor Township
	III	Roxbury	Hamilton East (Steinert)
	II	Haddon Heights	Hanover Park
	I	Clayton	Weehawken
	Non-Public A	Donovan Catholic	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	Morris Catholic	Gill St. Bernard's
2023	IV	Marlboro	Hillsborough
	III	Hamilton East (Steinert)	Morris Knolls
	II	Haddon Heights	Jefferson
	I	Cedar Grove	Clayton
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	St. Joseph's (Hammonton)	Morris Catholic
2024	IV	Watchung Hills	Vineland
	III	Hamilton East (Steinert)	Morris Knolls
	II	Gloucester City	Ramsey
	I	Cedar Grove	Haddon Township
	Non-Public A	St. John Vianney	Mount St. Dominic
	Non-Public B	Morris Catholic	St. Joseph (Hammonton)

Most State Titles (3+)

No.	School	No.	School
12	Immaculate Heart	3	Bound Brook
9	St. John Vianney	3	James Caldwell
8	Cherokee	3	DePaul Catholic
8	Gloucester Catholic	3	Donovan Catholic
8	Montclair Kimberley	3	Edison
7	Cedar Grove	3	Indian Hills
7	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	3	Mount St. Dominic
7	Whippany Park	3	North Hunterdon
6	Bishop Eustace	3	Pennsville
5	Gloucester City	3	Phillipsburg
5	Hamilton East (Steinert)	3	Red Bank Catholic
5	New Egypt	3	Watchung Hills
5	Middletown South		
5	Morris Catholic		
4	Camden Catholic		
4	Clifton		
4	Haddon Heights		
4	Mountain Lakes		
4	Ramsey		
4	South Plainfield		

Most Consecutive State Titles (3+)

No.	School	Years
7	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	2013-2019
4	Montclair Kimberley	2004-2007
3	Bishop Eustace	1996-1998
3	Camden Catholic	1990-1992
3	Immaculate Heart	2015-2017
3	Immaculate Conception- Lodi	2016-2018