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TO: UIL Member Schools  
FROM: UIL Office  
DATE: February 2, 2006  
SUBJECT: 2006-07 and 2007-08 Tentative Football and Basketball District Assignments and Reclassification Information

The University Interscholastic League announces the 2006-07 and 2007-08 tentative football and basketball district assignments on the enclosed list. The spring meet and other athletic district alignments will be released at a later date.

An organizing school list is also enclosed. It is the responsibility of the organizing school to organize the district and **notify the UIL office of the name and the school of the permanent chairman for each sport** so that district executive committee mailings are sent to the correct person. Contracts cannot be made until February 21, 2006. Schools may discuss scheduling possible games beginning on February 2, but cannot actually contract until February 21. Districts with an odd number of schools may meet prior to February 21 to determine "open" dates within the district schedule. These districts cannot set the district schedule, but may draw byes. District Executive Committees may begin contracting games on February 21, 2006.

The Chair of the Legislative Council shall appoint a District Assignment Appeals Committee. A participant school may request an appeal of the district assignment by filing its request and a supporting statement with the District Assignment Appeals Committee and informing, in writing, the superintendent and principal of the schools in the district to which it was assigned and to the district to which it wishes to be assigned. This appeal must be made by February 13, 2006. The meeting at which oral appeals will be heard will be held on February 20, 2006.

Please note the following rules:

**Football:**

Section 1250 (i) (1) & (2) of the Constitution and Contest Rules states:

- (i) SITE AND DAY OF GAME.
  - (1) Non-district Games. Mutual agreement determines site and day of game.
  - (2) District Games. District schedules, unless unanimously agreeable otherwise, shall be made by a draw for a two year period. Home team may designate the day of the game. Exception: When a school district has more than one home game per week and only one stadium, the day of the game shall be determined by a draw unless mutually agreeable otherwise. Starting times shall be set by the district executive committee, unless mutually agreeable otherwise.

**Other Sports:**

Section 1203 (d) of the Constitution and Contest Rules states:

- (d) SCHEDULING. The district executive committee shall arrange a schedule to determine district representatives prior to the deadline specified in the Official League Calendar.

**Important Dates:**

- February 2-13, 2006 Schools wishing to change districts may do so by contacting the district to which they have been assigned and the district to which they wish to change to ask for a vote. If a unanimous vote is achieved from both districts, have both district chairs call the UIL office by phone and follow with fax notification. The school appealing should fill out the Appeal Form.
- February 13, 2006 Deadline for a participant school to request an appeal of their district assignment. The school must file its request and a supporting statement with the District Assignment Appeals Committee. The school appealing must inform in writing the superintendent and principal of the schools in the conference and district to which it was assigned and notify the superintendent and principal of the schools in the conference and district to which it wishes to be assigned. Notification must go to all schools that could be involved in the change. The District Assignment Appeals Committee will not consider appeals with respect to conference assignment unless there was an error in the enrollment figures submitted.
- February 20, 2006 District Assignment Appeals Committee Hearing for Oral Appeals. This meeting will be held beginning at 9:00 am at the UIL Office in Austin (1701 Manor Road). When all reviews and appeals have been made, the District Assignment Appeals Committee shall approve the assignments to districts. Until this approval, contracts for contests by participant schools are not effective. Schools in the affected districts will be notified in writing by the UIL Director. The chair of the affected districts will be notified by telephone.
- February 21, 2006 First day for District Executive Committee meetings to set district schedules.

**NOTE:**

**Football schools** may play their first game no earlier than August 31, 2006.

**First Playing Dates:** The first playing dates for football for the 2006-07 season are August 31, September 1, 2 and for the 2007-08 season are August 30, 31, September 1. Schools are limited to no more than ten games.

**Football Game Contracts:** Please review Section 356 of the UIL Constitution and Contest Rules. A school may be disqualified for district honors for up to two years in that sport for contracting with other Texas schools prior to the finalization of the reclassification and realignment by all University Interscholastic League appeal committees. Athletic schedules will not be considered official until approved by the superintendent of the member school district.

**UIL Biennial Reclassification Data**

**1976-77 & 1977-78**

4A 1220 & up  
 3A 550 to 1219  
 2A 240 to 549  
 1A 125 to 239  
 B 124 & under  
 \* 75

**1984-85 & 1985-86**

5A 1305 & up  
 4A 650 to 1304  
 3A 275 to 649  
 2A 135 to 274  
 1A 134 & below  
 \* 75

**1992-93 & 1993-94**

5A 1510 & up  
 4A 715 to 1509  
 3A 285 to 714  
 2A 145 to 284  
 1A 144 & below  
 \* 95

**2000-2001 & 2001-2002**

5A 1865 & up  
 4A 845 to 1864  
 3A 345 to 844  
 2A 170 to 344  
 1A 169 & below  
 \* 94.5 & below  
 \*\*91 & below

**1978-79 & 1979-80**

4A 1260 & up  
 3A 580 to 1259  
 2A 255 to 579  
 1A 130 to 254  
 B 129 & under  
 \* 75

**1986-87 & 1987-88**

5A 1440 & up  
 4A 715 to 1439  
 3A 285 to 714  
 2A 135 to 284  
 1A 134 & below  
 \* 95

**1994-95 & 1995-96**

5A 1600 & up  
 4A 715 to 1599  
 3A 295 to 714  
 2A 145 to 294  
 1A 144 & below  
 \* 79 & below  
 \*\*82 & below

**2002-2003 & 2003-2004**

5A 1910 & up  
 4A 900 to 1909  
 3A 345 to 899  
 2A 180 to 344  
 1A 179 & below  
 \* 94.5 & below  
 \*\*91 & below

**1980-81 & 1981-82**

5A 1310 & up  
 4A 615 to 1309  
 3A 265 to 614  
 2A 135 to 264  
 1A 134 & under  
 \* 85

**1988-89 & 1989-90**

5A 1470 & up  
 4A 740 to 1469  
 3A 300 to 739  
 2A 145 to 299  
 1A 144 & below  
 \* 95

**1996-97 & 1997-98**

5A 1650 & up  
 4A 700 to 1649  
 3A 305 to 699  
 2A 150 to 304  
 1A 149 & below  
 \* 84.5 & below  
 \*\*82 & below

**2004-2005 & 2005-2006**

5A 1925 & up  
 4A 900 to 1924  
 3A 390 to 899  
 2A 190 to 389  
 1A 189 & below  
 \* 99.9 & below

**1982-83 & 1983-84**

5A 1310 & up  
 4A 645 to 1309  
 3A 270 to 644  
 2A 140 to 269  
 1A 139 & under  
 \* 85

**1990-91 & 1991-92**

5A 1460 & up  
 4A 690 to 1459  
 3A 285 to 689  
 2A 140 to 284  
 1A 139 & below  
 \* 95

**1998-1999 & 1999-2000**

5A 1780 & up  
 4A 780 to 1779  
 3A 345 to 779  
 2A 160 to 344  
 1A 159 & below  
 \* 84.4 & below  
 \*\*96 & below

**2006-2007 & 2007-2008**

5A 1985 & up  
 4A 950 to 1984  
 3A 415 to 949  
 2A 195 to 414  
 1A 194 & below  
 \* 99.9 & below

\* Enrollment cutoff for 6-man football and for basketball and spring meet for large and small schools.

Schools with an enrollment of 99.9 or lower may choose to participate in six-man football or may opt to play eleven-man football but remain in the smaller division for basketball and spring meet. If enrollment in grades 9-12 is greater than 99.9 and the school is currently playing six-man football, it may continue to participate if any one of these three conditions exists: Enrollment of 99.9 or below in Grades 7, 8, 9 and 10, or grades 8, 9, 10 and 11, or grades 9 and 10 doubled.

The formulas used to determine enrollment are:

(1) Schools with four high school grades (9-12), and three year high schools (grades 10-12) which will receive incoming tenth graders from specific, identifiable feeder schools:

$$\text{Grades 9, 10, 11, 12} = \text{Enrollment}$$

2) Schools with only grades 10, 11, 12 when it cannot easily be determined which schools the incoming tenth graders are attending:

$$\text{Grades 10, 11, 12} \times 1.33 = \text{Enrollment}$$