# ALL STATE and ALL STAR JACKET POLICIES

All State will be reserved for seniors only; no underclass persons are eligible for All State recognition. (With the exception of Track and Cross-Country See explanation below.)

State Champions are not considered All State.

The Oklahoma Coaches Association does not provide or award All State or All Star jackets.

# FOOTBALL, WRESTLING, BOYS BASKETBALL, GIRLS BASKETBALL, CHEERLEADING, GOLF, VOLLEYBALL, SWIMMING, TENNIS and STUDENT ATHLETIC TRAINING AIDES:

Blue & Gold All State Jacket: The blue and gold All State jacket with the gold All State patch that is shaped like the state of Oklahoma will be worn only by the athletes who have been selected as All State by criteria approved by the Oklahoma Coaches Association. (The All Star by Class, All Region, state champions, or anyone other than OCA approved All State athletes are not eligible to wear the official All State jacket and patch.)

**Red & Gold All Star Jacket:** The All Star by Class and/or All Region group of athletes are eligible to wear the red and gold jacket with the gold patch shaped like the state of Oklahoma.

\*Although senior Golf State Champions are considered automatic All State, the athlete must be nominated by their coach and approved by the selection committee before receiving All State Status.

\*Individual sport coaches associations should submit their All State selection process to the OCA for approval prior to selection.

#### TRACK & FIELD (Updated May 2024)

**Blue & Gold All State Jacket:** The OCA recognizes those athletes who finish first (regardless of classification: freshman, sophomore, junior and senior) eligible to receive the Blue & Gold All State jacket.

**Red & Gold All Star Jacket:** The OCA recognizes those athletes who finish second and third place in their respective events (regardless of classification: freshman, sophomore, junior and senior) as All Star and are eligible to receive the Red & Gold jacket.

## **CROSS-COUNTRY** (Updated May 2024)

The top fifteen finishers in each class will achieve All State or All Star status in Cross-Country.

**Blue & Gold All State Jacket:** Athletes finishing in the top ten in the state meet will be considered All State and will be eligible to obtain a blue and gold All State jacket (regardless of classification freshman, sophomore, junior and senior).

**Red & Gold All Star Jacket:** Athletes finishing  $11^{th} - 15^{th}$  place at the state meet will be eligible for the red and gold All Star jacket (regardless of classification: freshman, sophomore, junior and senior).

### FAST PITCH SOFTBALL, SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL, SOCCER, 8-MAN FOOTBALL and BASEBALL:

The Oklahoma Coaches Association does not handle All State Fast Pitch Softball, All State Slow Pitch Softball, All State Soccer, All State 8-Man Football or All State Baseball. Those associations have elected to host their own All State games. Their policies are drafted by their governing bodies.

#### BAND, MUSIC, eSPORTS and ACADEMICS:

These policies do not pertain to Band, Music, eSports, or Academics. Their policies are drafted by their governing bodies.

