



Regional Allotments Western Finals - 2023

	Upper School Teams & Individuals		Middle School Teams & Individuals
Region 1	1		1
Region 2	1		2
Region 4	2		1
Region 5-1 N	2		2
Region 5-2 S	1		1
Region 6	1		1
Region 7	1		1
Region 8	1		1
Region 11	2		2
Total	12		12

- There will be no more than 12 teams competing at Western Nationals and no more than 12 individuals per class competing at Western Nationals.
- Each region will advance the first-place team and the first-place individual to Western Nationals.
- Unused slots will be awarded by a random lottery system to Regions with at least 15% of the total Western population as of December 1. If this does not fill the 12 available slots, a second random lottery will be held for regions with greater than 10% but less than 15% of the total Western population. The random draw will be exactly that with no other criteria or circumstances being considered.
- Adjoining regions may combine their resources and hold a bi-region final; allotments would also be combined with the agreement of both Region Presidents involved as well as the Zone Administrator.
- In accordance with IEA Rule 8501.4, IEA reserves the right to make changes to the Regional, Zone or National Finals schedule and/or procedures of competition provided any changes to the standard format are approved by the IEA Executive Committee.