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## MEMORANDUM

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TO: MEMBER SCHOOL ADs & SR BOYS BASKETBALL COACHES  
FROM: JORDAN ABNEY, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
SUBJECT: PROPOSED 2024-2026 BOYS BASKETBALL TIERING THRESHOLDS  
DATE: MARCH 15, 2024  
CC: BCSS BASKETBALL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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Boys' basketball operates on a 2-year tiering cycle, meaning that there is no movement between programs during the cycle. The tiering thresholds are evaluated every 2 years, and we share this memo to present the proposed tiering for the 2024-2025 and 2025-2026 years for boys' basketball, as we know many leagues like to plan and teams are looking at potential tournament schedules.

These updated thresholds are subject to approval at the Legislative Assembly in May, but we share them now to assist teams and programs with their planning. The enrollment numbers come in a report to BCSS directly from the Ministry of Education and the numbers being used can be [found in the document here](#). Using this document, please look at the 'Total Males' Column to find your classification (tier).

The proposed thresholds are as follows:

Class	Enrollment Range	Team Count
1A	1-59	77
2A	60-173	78
3A	174-287	75
4A	288+	73

Note: team count assumes of typical play ups from Holy Cross, MEI, STMC, St Patrick

A school wishing to play up to a higher tier must submit a tiering classification form to the BCSS office no later than April 15, 2024. The request, if approved, will be for both the 24-25, and 25-26 school years. Further, the request must demonstrate a level of historical and sustained success to warrant playing to a higher tier, and requests will not be approved if it appears its being done to provide an easier path to a provincial championship qualification.