

## OFSAA Age Classification for the 2022-2023 School Year

OFSAA By-Law 5, Eligibility for Competition, Section 4 – Individuals, subsection (iii) states: “meet the following age requirements”

**SENIOR** - the individual's birth certificate indicates that he/she has not reached his/her **19<sup>th</sup> birthday** prior to **January 1<sup>st</sup>** prior to the start of the school year in which the competition is held.

**JUNIOR** - the individual's birth certificate indicates that he/she has not reached his/her **15<sup>th</sup> birthday** by **January 1<sup>st</sup>** prior to the start of the school year in which the competition is held.

**NOVICE** - the individual's birth certificate indicates that he/she has not reached his/her **14<sup>th</sup> birthday** by **January 1<sup>st</sup>** prior to the start of the school year in which the competition is held. Students may compete in this category for one year only in Grade 9:

2002 or earlier	– ineligible
2003 -	senior
2004 -	senior
2005 -	senior
2006 -	senior
2007/2008 -	junior
2008 -	novice – students may compete in this category for one year only

### HOW OLD WAS THE STUDENT ON JANUARY 1, 2022?

#### Years of Eligibility

Coaches and students are reminded that students are eligible for no more than five consecutive years from date of entry into Grade 9. There is no appeal to this rule.