



Alabama Independent School Association

Mission Statement

The Alabama Independent School Association's mission is to serve independent schools in the state of Alabama by providing its member schools with educational and corporate services and programs focusing on excellence in academics, accreditation, and athletics.

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Accreditation

AISA member schools have the option of seeking AdvancED/SACS accreditation through any AdvancED partner organization (e.g., AISA, Southern Association of Independent Schools, Association of Christian Schools International and the Association of Christian Teachers and Schools) or through the Alabama SACS office.

Awards Programs

The President's Award – *Recognizes academic excellence*

The Blue Ribbon School Award - *Recognizes excellence in an on-going process of school improvement*

The Chairman's Award – *Recognizes athletic excellence*

AISA Hall Of Fame – *Recognizes individuals who have dedicated their lives to service in their school community.*

SGA Teacher of Year – *Recognizes elementary and secondary educators who continually strive for excellence.*

All-State Academic Team – *Recognizes the top 25 students within the AISA each academic year.*

SGA Student Leadership Scholarship – *Awarded to a deserving senior each year with distinguished SGA service.*

SGA Recognition Awards – *Awarded in various areas to deserving student government programs.*

All-Star Athletic Scholarships – *Awarded to deserving student-athletes during our All-Star athletic programs.*

Student-Athlete of the Year – *Recognizes top 25 male and female student-athletes for their academic achievement.*

Coach of the Year – *Recognizes the top football coach each year and is selected by his coaching peers.*

Professional Programs

Statewide Professional Development Day – *Conducted annually on the first Monday in October.*

Administrators' Conference – *A three-day conference, which is held annually in Montgomery.*

Guidance Counselors' Workshop - *A "drive-in" style half-day workshop.*

Library/Media Specialist Workshop – *A "drive-in" style half-day workshop.*

In-Service Programs – *Topic specific programs conducted on a local, district or state level.*

Academic Programs

Spelling Bee - 4 -8

Creative Writing Competition – 3-12

Reading Competition – 3-8

Science Fair – 3-12

Elementary Choral Festival – 1-6

Secondary Choral Festival – 7-12

Honor Chorus Concert – 7-12

Band Festival – 7-12

Honor Band Program – 7-12

Visual Arts Show – K5-12

Middle School Math Competitions – 6-8

High School Math Competition – 9-12

Oratorical Contest – 9-12

Middle School Scholars Bowl – 6-8

High School Scholars Bowl – 9-12

Drama Festival – 7-12

Technology Fair – 3-12

State Student Government Association – 7-12

Athletic Programs

Football – *Termite, PW, JV, V*

Volleyball - *JV, V*

Baseball - *JV, V*

Tennis - *V*

Cheerleading - *JV, V*

State Cheerleading Competition - *JV, V*

Basketball - *JV, V*

Softball - *JV, V*

Golf – *V*

Soccer - *V*

Track – *V*

Coaches' Association Clinic – *Panama City Beach, FL*

All-Star Athletic Programs

Cheer - V

Football - V

Volleyball - V

Basketball - V

Softball - V

Baseball - V

Memberships

Full Membership – Includes access to all academic and athletic programs and services.

Academic Membership – Includes access to all academic programs and services.

Athletic Membership – Includes access to all athletic programs and services.

Note: All membership categories include access to AISA professional development programs, government relations and other corporate services.