

NDHSAA Coop Application

Please review coop guidelines prior to beginning the application process.

This single form is to be used by all schools involved in this cooperative sponsorship application. This application will be accepted and presented to the NDHSAA Board of Directors only upon all schools entering the required information. Each school must provide an official signature. Separate applications must be used for gender specific athletics. Fine arts are not gender specific.

If approved, this coop would begin in school year: 2013-2014

Grades involved with this application: Please check one. (7-8) (7-12) (9-12)

Name of schools involved in this application: Host school must be listed first.

*• NO FEE - FINE ARTS
• CURRENT COOPS IN FORCE:*

Enrollments for grades involved

	7-8	7-12	9-12	
1. <u>Dickinson Public Schools</u>	_____	_____	_____	831
2. <u>Dickinson Trinity High School</u>	_____	_____	_____	165
3. _____	_____	_____	_____	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____	

*• DICKINSON
• HOPE CHRISTIAN '10*

*• DICKINSON TRINITY
• NEW ENGLAND '06*

Activity covered by this application: Speech (ex: girls' basketball, speech etc.)

List official coop name: Dickinson High School Mascot or nickname: Midgets
(Coop name and mascot must be the same as other coops if the same schools are involved.)

Fill in the current participation numbers for each grade for each school involved: Indicate if you did not sponsor (DNS) this activity the previous year. Boys and girls enrollments are combined only for fine arts.

School #1: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) 13 DNS _____
 School #2: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) 18 DNS _____
 School #3: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) _____ DNS _____
 School #4: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) _____ DNS _____
 School #5: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) _____ DNS _____

Fill in next year's projected participation numbers for each grade for each school involved: Boys and girls enrollments may be combined for fine arts only.

School #1: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) 10
 School #2: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) 18
 School #3: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) _____
 School #4: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) _____
 School #5: (7-8) _____ (7-12) _____ (9-12) _____

In the space provided, please list the reasons for requesting this coop application:

The reason for the coop is to allow Dickinson High School students to participate in speech. DHS has had troubles the past 4 years is finding a coach and along with finding a coach our participation numbers have dwindled.

If approved, will this coop affect other schools: please circle: (Yes) **(No)** If yes, how?

Is this the nearest opportunity for schools to coop? please circle: **(Yes)** (No)

If No, Please indicate why closer school(s) are not included in this application.

Dickinson Trinity operates with-in the city limits of Dickinson and is currently co-oped with DHS in several other activities/athletics.

Has displacement of student been considered by each school? **(Yes)** (No)

Is the reason for this application to improve competition levels or make participation available. Explain:

Dickinson High Schools speech participation numbers has been going down in recent years due to having a difficult time finding a coach.

Other information that be useful for the NDHSAA Board of Directors in reaching a decision:

Our two school districts have a good working relationship in several areas both in academics and activities. We would like this co-op to continue to improve that relationship.

Required Signatures:

School #1:  Superintendent. Date: 8-13-13

School #2:  Superintendent. Date: 8-19-13

NDHSAA Board Action: _____ Signed: _____ Date: _____