

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: 2026 - 2027

NO FEE

Grades involved with this application: Please check one. Grades 7-12

NO COOPS

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

Enrollments for grades involved

1. <u>New Salem-Almont</u>	7-8	7-12	<u>154</u>	9-12	_____
2. <u>Glen Ullin</u>	7-8	7-12	<u>62</u>	9-12	_____
3. _____	7-8	7-12	_____	9-12	_____
4. _____	7-8	7-12	_____	9-12	_____
5. _____	7-8	7-12	_____	9-12	_____

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

List official coop name: NEW SALEM-ALMONT/GLEN ULLIN Mascot or nickname: HOLSTEINS
(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) <u>4</u>	(9-12) _____	DNS _____
School #2: (7-8) _____	(7-12) <u>0</u>	(9-12) _____	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) <u>3</u>	(9-12) _____
School #2: (7-8) _____	(7-12) <u>2</u>	(9-12) _____
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 Glen Ullin Public School did not have a speech team the last few school years. By entering into a co-op with New Salem-Almont, the students at Glen Ullin would be provided an opportunity to participate in speech contests.

If approved, will this coop affect other schools: NO

Is this the nearest opportunity for schools to coop? YES

Has displacement of student been considered by each school? YES

Is the reason for this application to improve competition levels or make participation available?

The reason for the application is to make participation available to more students.

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

By allowing this co-op to begin, we will be allowing the students at Glen Ullin to participate in extra-curricular speech. No students at New Salem-Almont will be displaced as this will allow more opportunities for students to compete in speech contests where more than one individual is involved.

Required Signatures:

School #1: BDC Superintendent. Date: 5/5/26

School #2: [Signature] Superintendent. Date: 5/6/2026

School #3: _____ Superintendent. Date: _____

School #4 _____ Superintendent. Date: _____

School #5 _____ Superintendent. Date: _____

NDHSAA Board Action: _____ Signed: _____ Date: _____