UHSAA 2025-26 Unified Swimming (Revised 07/31/25)

- 1. Unified Swimmers include Intellectual & Physical Disabled swimmers who are members of their High School Swim Teams.
- 2. Intellectually Disabled Swimmers may compete in the 50-yard Freestyle and a 100 Yard Freestyle Relay at the State Swim Meet in their School's classification. (The relay will be two intellectually disabled swimmers and two enabled swimmers, each swimming a 25-yard Freestyle).
- 3. Physically Disabled swimmers may swim a 50 Yard & 100 Yard Freestyle at the State Swim Meet in their school's classification.
- 4. Unified Swimmers will:
 - a. It is recommended but not required that the Unified Swimmer compete in at least (3) three meets during the swim season one of which should be their school's Region Swim Championships.
 - b. 2A Classification Unified Swimmers will swim their events on Thursday February 12th all other Classifications will swim their event(s) as a timed final during the Saturday finals session in their UHSAA Classification.
 - c. Swim their events in a heat just prior to the Women's Consolation Final of the enabled swimmers during the Saturday finals in their UHSAA Classification.
 - i. The 50-yard Freestyle will swim just prior to the Women's 50-yard Freestyle consolation heat.
 - ii. The 100-yard Freestyle & 100 Yard Freestyle combined relay will swim just prior to the Women's 100-yard Freestyle consolation heat.
 - iii. Intellectual & Physical disabled swimmers will swim together in one (1) heat.
 - iv. Awards shall be separated, male & female, Intellectual & Physical Disability in each UHSAA Classification.
- 5. Awards will be presented just prior to the Women's 50- & 100-yard Freestyle awards on Saturday in their UHSAA Classification.
- 6. Unified swimmers shall not score team points for their High School Teams.
- 7. Deadline to submit potential Unified Swimmers is Friday November 14, 2025.
- 8. *Submit the athletes name, school, gender, year in school and if they have a Physical or Intellectual Disability to Steve Marsing at smarsing@uhsaa.org
- 9. Coaches will submit their Unified Swimmer's State entry to Dan Miller when they turn in their official team State entries.