



**National Archery** *in the Schools Program*

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In the spirit of simplification, NASP® has decided to modify the rules pertaining to homeschool groups. These changes are effective immediately and apply to NASP® Bullseye and NASP® IBO 3-D for the virtual national and open championship tournaments, for the 2020-21 season.

**1.4. Homeschool:** A student who is attending homeschool may only participate if the homeschool has enrolled in NASP® and provides in-school NASP® archery lessons, by a NASP® certified instructor, and meets all in-school instruction requirements found in section 1.2. of the NASP® rules. This also applies to other schools that are without buildings or campuses, such as, on-line, or “virtual” schools.

**1.4.1. EXCEPT:** Some home-schooled students receive Physical Education from public or private schools.

**1.4.1.1.** If the home-schooled student receives NASP® lessons while attending classes at a NASP® public or private school that student may participate for the home school or the school where the archer receives NASP® classes IF both schools agree.

All NASP® Homeschools must ensure the NASP® in-school requirements are met. NASP® relies heavily on Coordinators that manage the program within their respective jurisdictions and will continue to do so for determining eligibility of all schools within their jurisdictions under these new rules.

An updated 2021 Rules Document will be released soon reflecting these changes. The Updated 2021 Rules Document will also be posted to our NASP® website and shared with our Coordinators for immediate implementation.