

Eastern High School Alpine Championship Qualifier Information
February 18, 2024 @ Black Mountain

1. If an alpine racer (Male or Female) comes in the top 15 in either discipline (Slalom or Giant Slalom) at their respective state meet (class "A", or "B") they may attend the qualifier for a chance to make the state team and represent the state of Maine at the Eastern High School Championships.
 2. The run order for the Qualifier is determined by the results from the state meet. 1st place slalom "A", 1st place slalom "B", 1st place GS "A", 1st place GS "B", 2nd place slalom "A", 2nd place slalom "B", 2nd place GS "A", 2nd place GS "B", and so on.
 3. The actual times are TBA, but the rough schedule is: Two runs of GS in the morning and two runs of slalom in the afternoon.
 4. The state team is determined by the following: We take the best GS place for a run and add it to the best slalom place for a run. That will be the athletes score for the day. E.g. if an athlete gets a 6th place on the first run of the GS and a 10th on the second run, we take the 6th place as 6 points. If that same athlete got a 4th on the first run of the slalom and a 12th on the second run we would take the 4th as four points. Add the best GS place and the best slalom place, that athlete would have a final score of 10 points for the day. Any ties we go to the athletes third best place.
 5. The state team is made up of 12 males and 12 females with **no alternates**.
 6. Athletes should only come to the qualifier only if they are serious about joining the state team.
 7. The EHSC is being held at Attitash Bear Peak, on March 7th, 8th, 9th, and 10th. Thursday, the 7th is a training day. Typically the schedule looks like this: Women & Mens Slalom on Friday 3/8. Saturday, 3/9 is Women's GS, Sunday 3/10 is Mens GS. This schedule may be different this year, the final schedule has not been released.
 8. Each athlete should come to the qualifier ready to write a check for \$515 for the EHSC. Unfortunately this is a rather expensive event, but well worth it. These athletes remember this for the rest of their lives. Incredible competition!
 9. The cost covers race fees, jackets, and to help defer the hotel costs for the coaches.
 10. The cost for the qualifier itself is \$45. Checks made out to Black Mountain.
 11. If an athlete was a **member** of the state team any previous year, but did not come in the top 15 for either event at their state meet, they get an automatic bid to the **qualifier**, and will run at the end of the order.
- Any questions, feel free to email Mark Cyr at "markcyr659@gmail.com".