

## Become an Official

Learn how to become a registered OHSAA official by visiting the following link:

<https://www.ohsaa.org/Officiating/permits/category1>



### Step 1: Create a profile on NHFS and **DragonFly**

<https://intercom.help/dragonfly-athletics/en/articles/5057772-officials-create-your-account>

### Step 2: Take OHSAA Officiating Class (online)

### Step 3: Take Officiating Exam (online and open book)

### Step 4: Complete Concussion Training (online NFHS)

[nfhslearn.com](https://www.nfhslearn.com)

### Step 5: Receive Officiating Permit

### Step 6: Contact your local officiating association

### Step 7: Annual Renewal of Permit

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# How to Become an Ohio High School Official!



There are many rewarding reasons to become a High School official:

- **Participate in the Game You Love**
- **IT'S FOR THE KIDS!**
- **You'll Learn a Lot About Yourself Officiating**
- **A Great Way to Get Exercise**
- **Give Back to Your Community**
- **You Will Expand Your Social and Professional Networks**
- **You're an Independent Contractor**
- **Earn Extra Income!**

### **What is it like to be a high school official?**

Becoming a high school official is the easiest call you'll ever make. High school officials protect the integrity of the games our kids love to play by demonstrating qualities like honesty, objectivity, consistency, courage and common sense. Officials have the opportunity to help teenagers learn life lessons that will benefit them for a lifetime.

### **What does a sports official do?**

While officiating at sporting events, umpires, referees, and other sports officials must anticipate play and position themselves where they can best see the action, assess the situation, and identify any violations of the rules. Sports officials typically rely on their judgment to rule on infractions and penalties.

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