

Midwest Elevated Junior Tournaments

Hybrid System - Ranking (NSL) & Rating (WTN)

World Tennis Number (WTN)	National Standings List (NSL)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The ITF World Tennis Number is a 40-1 scale, with 40 being a beginner player and 1 being an elite professional.• Match scores make up your WTN rating and each individual set is taken into account as its own result.• WTN changes depending on your match score and how it compares to the projection.• Frequency and recency of results directly affect your rating's confidence level.• A blue checkmark to the right of your WTN indicates a high level of confidence (verified), whereas a gray checkmark indicates a low level of confidence.• WTN is updated weekly.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The USTA National Standings Lists are based on a combined Points Per Win (Levels 6-7) and Points Per Round (Levels 1-5) system.• Match wins make up your USTA ranking.• Ranking points are earned for winning singles and doubles matches at USTA junior tournaments.<ul style="list-style-type: none">◦ Singles: 100% of the ranking points from your top six singles tournament results within the past 12 months◦ Doubles: 15% of the ranking points from your top six doubles and/or mixed doubles results within the past 12 months• NSL lists are published weekly.

HYBRID SELECTION & SEEDING SYSTEM

Player Selections

- 16-player draw: 1) 13 NSL, 2) 3 WTN
- 24-player draw: 1) 20 NSL, 2) 4 WTN
- 32-player draw: 1) 27 NSL, 2) 5 WTN
- 64-player draw: 1) 54 NSL, 2) 10 WTN
- 96-player draw (Midwest Closed): 1) 54 NSL, 2) 16 WTN, 3) 26 district wildcards
- 128-player draw (Midwest Closed): 1) 78 NSL, 2) 24 WTN, 3) 26 district wildcards
- Alternates ordered by NSL

Seeding

- All seeding for Midwest elevated tournaments will be by WTN
- The number of seeds is determined by the number of players
 - 2-11 players: 2 seeds
 - 12-23 players: 4 seeds
 - 24-47 players: 8 seeds
 - 48-95 players: 16 seeds
 - 96-191 players: 32 seeds