

Elite Eight Criteria

1. # of losses against ranked teams
 2. # of wins against ranked teams
 3. # of losses to unranked teams
 4. # of ranked teams played
 5. Overall Win/loss percentage
 6. Overall Win/Loss percentage against top 4 ranked teams.
 7. Consistency of play
 8. Point spread between teams or groups of teams will be used in cases where required to make a decision.
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- ✓ The committee will take a schools location into consideration for the amount of games played and the distance to travel to competition. For example Labrador teams will not be expected to play the same amount of games as other schools.
 - ✓ The selection committee may take into account the previous years team position if players are not graduated from the program. The teams' performances at provincial competition will count as needed for rankings.
 - ✓ The committee will take mainland competition and senior league play as ranked games if they feel the leagues/games are of ranking caliber.
 - ✓ The selection committee may take into consideration the minor Pepsi championships from the previous year.
 - ✓ The NLBA will only permit high school teams to be ranked and invited to the Hall of Fame Cup.
 - ✓ Only one team per school will be ranked and invited to the final competition. Schools will not be permitted to have two teams compete in the Hall of Fame Cup.
 - ✓ The Committee will not accept scores from teams utilizing Student/Athletes attending level IV.
 - ✓ In cases where schools are tied for specific positions the committees rulings are final.
 - ✓ **Final Rankings:** The committee will seek rankings from all High School Coaches ranked in the top 10-12 for each gender along with Memorial University Coaches. Also the number of games against the top 4 teams in the first and second rankings will be added to the process.

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