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9th Grade Girls (8 th Grade in 2023-2024)	8th Grade Girls (7 th Grade in 2023-2024)	7th Grade Girls (6 th Grade in 2023-2024)	6th Grade Girls (5 th Grade in 2023-2024)
1 Luther	1 Eau Claire Eagles	1 Columbus Catholic	1 Sparta Red
2 Onalaska Suns	2 Columbus Catholic	2 Chippewa Falls Flight Red	2 Colfax
3 Holmen Maroon	3 Bloomer	3 Proctor	3 Iola-Scandinavia
4 Wisconsin Dells	4 Cameron	4 Holmen Maroon	4 Holmen Maroon
5 Columbus Catholic	5 Sparta	5 Eau Claire Volunteers	5 Elk Mound
6 Superior	6 Pacelli	6 Boyceville	6 Pacelli Red
7 Mosinee	7 Rhinelander	7 Esko	7 Viroqua
8 Fall Creek	8 New Richmond	8 Viroqua	8 McDonell Central
9 Solon Springs	9 Cadott	9 Altoona	9 New Richmond
10 Viroqua	10 Elk Mound	10 Tomah	10 Aquinas
11 West Salem	11 Wausau East	11 Superior	11 Stratford
12 Neillsville	12 Menomonie	12 Aquinas	12 Hermantown
13 Aquinas	13 St. Croix Central	13 Mosinee	13 La Crosse Logan
14 Stevens Point	14 Northwestern	14 Pacelli	14 Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau
15 Boyceville	15 Blair-Taylor	15 Eau Claire Eagles	15 Onalaska Suns
16 Auburndale	16 Tomah	16 Rhinelander	16 Superior
17 New Richmond	17 Spring Valley	17 Durand-Arkansaw	17 Blair-Taylor
18 Chippewa Falls Flight Red	18 Luther	18 Melrose-Mindoro	18 Wittenberg-Birnamwood
19 Whitehall	19 Fall Creek-Regis	19 Menomonie Maroon	19 Solon Springs
20 St. Croix Falls	20 West Salem	20 Wausau West	20 Wausau West
21 Amery	21 Mosinee Purple	21 Wisconsin Rapids	21 Mondovi
22 Sparta	22 Wisconsin Rapids	22 Amery Red	22 Rhinelander
23 Osceola Green	23 Chippewa Falls Flight	23 Wisconsin Dells	23 Wisconsin Dells
24 Adams-Friendship	24 Osceola	24 River Falls White	24 Fall Creek
25 La Crosse Central	25 Boyceville	25 Marshfield	25 Eau Claire Eagles Purple
26 Durand-Arkansaw	26 Durand-Arkansaw	26 La Crosse Central	26 Durand-Arkansaw
27 Gilman	27 Eau Claire Volunteers Blue	27 Cameron	27 River Falls Blue
28 Three Lakes-Phelps	28 Holmen	28 New Richmond	28 Boyceville
29 Edgar	29 Poynette	29 Osceola	29 Mosinee
30 Wisconsin Rapids Red	30 Wausau West	30 Eau Claire Shamrocks	30 Osceola
31 Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau	31 Amery	31 Hayward	31 Eau Claire Volunteers
32 Bangor	32 La Crosse Central	32 Prescott	32 Assumption

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1 Onalaska Royals	1 Onalaska Royals	1 Superior	1 Sparta Red
2 Medford	2 Cadott	2 Eau Claire Eagles Purple	2 Hillsboro
3 La Crosse Logan Red	3 Luther Gold	3 Luther	3 Onalaska Royals
4 Mondovi	4 Cameron White	4 Aquinas Blue	4 Medford Red
5 Marshfield White	5 Sparta Red	5 Onalaska Royals	5 Luther Gold
6 Elk Mound	6 West Salem Black	6 River Falls Gold	6 Holmen White
7 Baldwin-Woodville Black	7 Ellsworth	7 Melrose-Mindoro	7 West Salem Black
8 La Crosse Central	8 Superior	8 Wisconsin Dells	8 Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau Red
9 New Richmond Black	9 Chippewa Falls Hoops Red	9 Altoona Black	9 Mondovi Blue
10 Rib Lake	10 Altoona Black	10 Medford	10 River Falls Gold
11 Melrose-Mindoro	11 La Crosse Logan Red	11 Ellsworth Grey	11 Eau Claire Eagles Purple
12 McDonell Central	12 Eau Claire Huskies Blue	12 Menomonie Maroon	12 Ellsworth
13 Mosinee	13 Menomonie Maroon	13 Northwestern	13 Menomonie Maroon
14 Aquinas	14 New Richmond	14 West Salem Black	14 St. Croix Central Blue
15 Eau Claire Eagles	15 Assumption	15 Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau Red	15 Bloomer Black
16 Fall Creek Black	16 River Falls Gold	16 Mondovi	16 Wisconsin Dells
17 Chippewa Falls Hoops Red	17 Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau Red	17 Rhinelander Black	17 Columbus Catholic White
18 Eau Claire Shamrocks White	18 Eau Claire Eagles Purple	18 Cadott	18 Cameron
19 Esko	19 Eau Claire Shamrocks	19 Sparta Red	19 La Crosse Central
20 Holmen White	20 Aquinas Gold	20 Columbus Catholic	20 Stratford
21 Sparta	21 Bangor	21 Bangor	21 Proctor
22 Gale-Ettrick-Trempealeau	22 La Crosse Central Red	22 Stratford	22 Wausau East Red
23 Altoona Black	23 Wisconsin Dells	23 Bloomer Black	23 Hermantown
24 Prentice	24 Bloomer	24 La Crosse Central Red	24 Rhinelander
25 Westby	25 Holmen White	25 Holmen White	25 Melrose-Mindoro
26 River Falls Gold	26 Viroqua	26 St. Croix Central White	26 Baldwin-Woodville Black
27 St. Croix Central Blue	27 St. Croix Central Blue	27 Baldwin-Woodville Black	27 Altoona Black
28 Eau Claire Huskies Blue	28 Fall Creek	28 Fall Creek	28 Elk Mound
29 Rice Lake Gold	29 Mauston	29 Amherst Blue	29 Superior Blue
30 Columbus Catholic	30 Durand-Arkansaw	30 Eau Claire Shamrocks	30 Pittsville
31 Wisconsin Rapids	31 Blair-Taylor	31 Pacelli	31 Prescott

32 Boyceville	32 Cumberland	32 Prescott Red	32 Eau Claire Huskies Blue
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