## CONTESTS

Participation in non-athletic types of contests shall be in accordance with the policies adopted by the National Association of Secondary School Principals. Only those national contests approved by the National Association of Secondary School Principals will be publicized in the schools. Local and regional contests that comply with the National Association of Secondary School Principals' recommendations and criteria may also be publicized in the schools and, where considered desirable, emphasized to a greater degree than national contests.

Essay contests, whether national, regional or local, may be announced but usually are not incorporated within the instructional program.