



Top Teacher Qualifications

 See
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 for details on
 points earned for
NDCA Premier
 ranking events

All Pro/Am teachers will accumulate points on the following basis:

**Single or Two
 Dance Entries**
**Multi – 3, 4 or 5
 Dance Entries*:**

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	Recall
8 Pts	7 Pts	6 Pts	5 Pts	4 Pts	3 Pts	2 Pts	1 Pt	4 Pts
20 Pts	15 Pts	10 Pts	8 Pts	6 Pts	4 Pts	4 Pts	2 Pts	5 Pts

**Qualifying World Dancesport Series events award more points. See the WDSS website for full details.*

- Top Teacher points are only accumulated for pro-am dance entries.
- Pro/Am Juniors who pay a reduced fee receive half the points as described above
- Teachers with the highest point totals meeting the minimum entry criteria will be determined the winners

Top Teacher Prize Money

Placement	Amount	Minimum Entries	Bonus (if exceeding minimum)	Total
1 st	\$3000*	300	\$3000	\$6000
2 nd	\$1500	250	\$1500	\$3000
3 rd	\$750	225	\$750	\$1500
4 th	\$500	200	\$250	\$750
5 th	\$400	175	\$100	\$500
6 th	\$300	150	\$100	\$400
7 th	\$200	100	\$100	\$300
8 th	\$150	100	\$50	\$200

“Rock N Roller” Teachers with 100 – 199 entries will receive a \$100 bonus
 “Rock Star” Teachers with 200 – 399 entries will receive a \$500 bonus
 “Hall of Fame” Teachers with 400+ entries will receive a \$1000 bonus

*Amount Awarded if the 1st Place Teacher meets the Minimum Entries criteria; If the Minimum Entries is not achieved, the Minimum Entries for a lower Placement will be used as the basis for the 1st Place Prize awarded, with others awarded on a sliding scale.

To become eligible for Top Teacher prizes:

- Teachers must exceed the minimum number of entries as listed above to receive the bonus.
- All entries must be postmarked by August 22, 2026