

# CCS PRESEASON RANKINGS

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Welcome to a new season! This will be the 20th iteration of the CCS rankings but as opposed to previous years, the starting line is a bit different. As many wrestlers did not post any notable results in 2020-2021, the preseason rankings will only include a list to start – as the season progresses, I will include the most recent results and data. Also, understand that it is difficult to rank competitors beyond the top 4-5 at most weight classes because of last year's absence so for now, consider this a *very rough* ranking.

I would expect significant changes (especially in the 5-10+ range) once the season gets underway. The list will also grow to 15+ wrestlers per weight class as more competitors will be added with new results tallied. To start, for 106 and 113, I will only include the top 3 as again, it's simply too difficult to guess who could get down that low and any suggestions from sources would be mostly anecdotal, rather than empirical. A couple weekends in, we'll get a better sense of who's who. As always, rankings criteria will follow those used in most tournaments – namely, head-to-head results, previous state/CCS medalist and qualifier, common opponents, and overall body of work. As I also provide the state rankings, I will include a wrestler's state # where applicable.

If you have any questions or feedback, please contact me [ccsrank@hotmail.com](mailto:ccsrank@hotmail.com).

#	WT	NAME	YEAR	TEAM	LEAGUE	PREVIOUS
1	106	Isaiah Cortez <b>RANKED #5 CA</b>	FR	Gilroy	PCAL	.
2	106	Elijah Nguyen <b>RANKED #21 CA</b>	SR	Milpitas	SCVAL	'20: 2nd SCVAL, 6th CCS (106) '19: 6th SCVAL, 2-2 CCS (106)
3	106	Jayden Bautista <b>RANKED #37 CA</b>	SR	Fremont	SCVAL	.
1	113	Elijah Cortez <b>RANKED #5 CA</b>	FR	Gilroy	PCAL	.
2	113	Jaden Felipe <b>RANKED HM CA</b>	SR	Bellarmine	WCAL	'20: 1st WCAL, 5th CCS (106) '19: 4th WCAL, 2-2 Qtrs. CCS (106)
3	113	Valente Espino	JR	Riordan	WCAL	'20: 4th WCAL, 2-2 CCS (106)
1	120	Aden Valencia <b>RANKED #2 CA</b>	SO	Sobrato	BVAL	.
2	120	Clarence Moore Daniel Glenn <b>RANKED #14 CA</b>	JR JR	Gilroy	PCAL	CM: '20: 1st PCAL-G, 1st CCS, 6th CA (106) DG: '21: 7th CA State Finals (115)
3	120	Timothy Murabito <b>RANKED #18 CA</b>	SO	Los Gatos	SCVAL	'20: 2nd Arizona-D1 (113)
4	120	Mark Justin Ramirez <b>RANKED #21 CA</b>	JR	Fremont	SCVAL	'20: 1st SCVAL, 3rd CCS, 1-2 CA (106)
5	120	Ethan Salcedo <b>RANKED HM CA</b>	SR	San Benito	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL, 4th CCS (106)
6	120	Francisco Barragan	JR	Palma	PCAL	'20: 3rd PCAL-G, 3-2 CCS (106)
7	120	Dylan Uyeda	SR	Homestead	SCVAL	'20: 4th SCVAL, 2-2 CCS (113) '19: 5th SCVAL, 0-2 CCS (106)
8	120	Andrew Acevedo	JR	Aptos	SCCAL	'21: 1st SCCAL (120) '20: 1st SCCAL, 0-2 CCS (106)
8	120	Pablo Robledo	SR	Live Oak	BVAL	'20: 5th BVAL, 0-2 CCS (113)
10	120	Yechan Lee	JR	Lynbrook	SCVAL	'20: 5th SCVAL, 1-2 CCS (106)

1	126	Daniel Zepeda <b>RANKED #4 CA</b>	FR	Gilroy	PCAL	.
2	126	Arthur Parra	SO	San Benito	PCAL	.
3	126	Brenden Meneses	SR	El Camino	PAL	'20: 2nd PAL, 2-2 Qtrs. CCS (113) '19: 1st PAL, 2-2 CCS (106)
4	126	Nathan Vasquez	SR	Leland	BVAL	'20: 3rd BVAL, 4-2 CCS (113) '19: 6th BVAL, 0-2 CCS (106)
5	126	Kai Tengco	JR	Sacred Heart	WCAL	'20: 2nd WCAL, 3-2 CCS (113)
6	126	Damien Melin	SR	Soledad	PCAL	'20: 2-2 Qtrs. CCS (120)
7	126	Joao Nascimento	JR	Mountain View	SCVAL	'20: 3rd SCVAL, 3-2 CCS (113)
8	126	Jose Rodriguez	SR	Harbor	SCCAL	'20: 1st SCCAL, 1-2 CCS (120)
9	126	Jahmon Burton	SR	Riordan	WCAL	'20: 1st WCAL (113) '19: 3rd WCAL, 1-2 CCS (106)
10	126	Peter Bowen	JR	Los Gatos	SCVAL	'20: 4th SCVAL, 2-2 CCS (106)
1	132	Ryan Luna <b>RANKED #9 CA</b>	SR	St. Francis	WCAL	'20: 1st WCAL, 1st CCS, 1-2 CA (120) '19: 1st WCAL, 1st CCS, DEF, Qtrs. CA (106)
2	132	Moses Mirabal <b>RANKED #12 CA</b>	SO	Gilroy	PCAL	'21: 4th CA State Finals Inv. (128)
3	132	EJ Parco <b>RANKED #14 CA</b>	SO	Los Gatos	SCVAL	.
4	132	Vicente Mosqueda <b>RANKED #37 CA</b>	SR	Watsonville	PCAL	'20: 1st PCAL, 5th CCS (126) '19: 1-2 CCS (120)
5	132	Dylan Chun	SR	Monterey	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL, 3-2 CCS (120)
6	132	Jesus Chavez	JR	Silver Creek	BVAL	'20: 2nd BVAL (113)
7	132	Chris Espitia	JR	Cupertino	SCVAL	.
8	132	Omar Arias	SR	Fremont	SCVAL	'20: 3rd SCVAL, 0-2 CCS (120)
9	132	Noah Nelson	SR	San Benito	PCAL	'19: 3rd PCAL, 2-2 Qtrs. CCS (106)
10	132	Ethan Robledo	JR	Christopher	BVAL	'20: 1st PCAL-M, 2-2 CCS (113)
1	138	Donte Lopez <b>RANKED #9 CA</b>	SR	Gilroy	PCAL	'21: 7th CA State Finals (128) '20: 1st PCAL-G, 2nd CCS, 1-2 CA (145) '19: 1st PCAL, 2nd CCS (120)
2	138	Anthony Pavlov-Ramirez <b>RANKED #14 CA</b>	JR	Los Gatos	SCVAL	'21: 4th CA State Finals (140) 20: 1st, SCVAL, 4th CCS (120)
3	138	Bryce Luna <b>RANKED #16 CA</b>	SO	St. Francis	WCAL	.
4	138	Jojo Andrade <b>RANKED #24 CA</b>	JR	Palma	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL-G, 4-2 CCS (126)
5	138	Brandon Bigler	SR	Riordan	WCAL	'20: 1st WCAL, 6th CCS (126)
6	138	Michael Froess	SR	Sobrato	BVAL	.
7	138	Ezra Nevarez	SR	Valley Christian	WCAL	'20: 3rd WCAL, 2-2 CCS (120) '19: 3rd WCAL, 2-2 CCS (120)
8	138	Silas Brailey	SR	Fremont	SCVAL	.
9	138	Rafael Varquez	SR	Willow Glen	BVAL	'20: 5th BVAL, 1-2 CCS (132)
10	138	Nathan Hertz	JR	Piedmont Hills	BVAL	'20: 2nd BVAL, 0-2 CCS (106)

1	145	Dylan Pile <b>RANKED #10 CA</b>	FR	Los Gatos	SCVAL	.
2	145	Zack Fierro <b>RANKED #17 CA</b>	JR	Gilroy	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL-G, 2nd CCS, 0-2 CA (113)
3	145	Donovan Wallace <b>RANKED #26 CA</b>	SR	Evergreen Valley	BVAL	'20: 2nd BVAL, 4th CCS (126) '19: 1st BVAL, 6th CCS (113)
4	145	Clemente Holguin <b>RANKED #27 CA</b>	SO	Sobrato	BVAL	.
5	145	Derek Lee <b>RANKED #35 CA</b>	SR	Fremont	SCVAL	'20: 1st SCVAL, 6th CCS (113)
6	145	Ethan Del Rosario	SR	Monterey	PCAL	'20: 4th PCAL-G, 4-2 CCS (138)
7	145	Diego Lopez	SR	Soledad	PCAL	'20: 1st PCAL-C, 3-2 CCS (126) '19: 6th PCAL, 0-2 CCS (120)
8	145	Luis Tapia	SR	Alisal	PCAL	'20: 1st PCAL-M (120) '19: 9th PCAL (120)
9	145	Isaiah Rangel	FR	Palma	PCAL	.
10	145	Dylan McKnight	SR	Sacred Heart	WCAL	'20: 3rd WCAL, 2-2 CCS (138)
1	152	Ezekiel Lara <b>RANKED #21 CA</b>	SR	Sobrato	BVAL	.
2	152	Ruben Le <b>RANKED #37 CA</b>	JR	Gilroy	PCAL	.
3	152	Jackson Dutel <b>RANKED HM CA</b>	SR	Carmel	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL-M, 3-2 Qtrs. CCS (145)
4	152	Cooper Tate	SR	Santa Cruz	SCCAL	'20: 1st SCCAL, 3-2 CCS (145) '19: 2nd SCCAL, 2-2 Qtrs. CCS (145)
5	152	Chris Trapani	SR	Bellarmine	WCAL	'20: 3rd WCAL, 1-2 CCS (152)
6	152	Luke Peasley	JR	Carlmont	PAL	.
7	152	Ivan Moreno	JR	Alisal	PCAL	'20: 1st PCAL-M, 2-2 CCS (138)
8	152	Derek Sandoval	SR	San Benito	PCAL	'20: 3rd PCAL-G, 1-2 CCS (145)
9	152	Darragh Howard	SR	Fremont	SCVAL	.
10	152	Matthew Stacy	SR	Silver Creek	BVAL	'20: 5th BVAL, 1-2 CCS (145)
1	160	Micah Doug Porter <b>RANKED #5 CA</b>	JR	Gilroy	PCAL	'21: 6th CA State Finals (162) '20: 1st PCAL-G, 3rd CCS, 1-2 CA (160)
2	160	Epoki Fakaosi <b>RANKED #27 CA</b>	SR	Lincoln	BVAL	'20: 2nd BVAL, 3-2 Qtrs. CCS (160) '19: 4th BVAL, 0-2 CCS (145)
3	160	David Aberouette <b>RANKED #35 CA</b>	SR	Riordan	WCAL	'20: 2nd WCAL, 4-2 CCS (152) '19: 2nd WCAL, 2-2 CCS (138)
4	160	Enzo Cappabianca <b>RANKED #37 CA</b>	SR	Serra	WCAL	'20: 2nd WCAL, 1-2 CCS (145)
5	160	Logan Saldade <b>RANKED HM CA</b>	SO	Palma	PCAL	.
6	160	Marcos Espitia	SR	Cupertino	SCVAL	'20: 7th SCVAL (152) '19: 5th SCVAL, 1-2 CCS (152)
7	160	Tayvaun Gillam	SR	Monterey	PCAL	'20: 3rd PCAL-G, 2-2 CCS (160)
8	160	Diallo Thomas	JR	Harbor	SCCAL	'20: 2nd SCCAL, 0-2 CCS (152)

9	160	Louis Bruening	SR	Burlingame	PAL	'20: 3rd PAL (152)
10	160	Rafael Roman Amador	JR	Santa Clara	SCVAL	.
1	170	John Abrahamson <b>RANKED #16 CA</b>	SR	Pioneer	BVAL	'20: 3rd BVAL, 1-2 CCS (160) '19: 6th BVAL, 2-2 CCS (160)
2	170	Daniil Gorshkov <b>RANKED #17 CA</b>	SR	Los Gatos	SCVAL	'20: 7th SCVAL (160)
3	170	Max Felter <b>RANKED #23 CA</b>	SR	Palo Alto	SCVAL	'20: 5th SCVAL, 2-2 CCS (132) '19: 2nd SCVAL, 1-2 CCS (106)
4	170	Oscar Alfaro <b>RANKED #30 CA</b>	JR	Gilroy	PCAL	'20: 1st PCAL-G, 5th CCS (120)
5	170	Juan Carlo Escutia <b>RANKED #34 CA</b>	JR	Palma	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL-G, 3-2 CCS (160)
6	170	Eudardo Cedillo <b>RANKED HM CA</b>	SR	Fremont	SCVAL	'20: 4th SCVAL, 2-2 CCS (160)
7	170	Quan Nguyen	SR	Silver Creek	BVAL	'20: 3rd BVAL, 0-2 CCS (152) '19: 4th BVAL, 1-2 CCS (138)
8	170	Ben Sloutsky	SR	Cupertino	SCVAL	'20: 5th SCVAL, 0-2 CCS (160) '19: 5th SCVAL (160)
9	170	Cyrus Durham	SR	Menlo Atherton	PAL	'20: 1st PAL, 1-2 CCS (170)
10	170	Adam Hassane	SR	Pacific Grove	PCAL	'20: 1-2 CCS (170)
1	182	Chris Wright <b>RANKED #21 CA</b>	SR	Evergreen Valley	BVAL	'20: 1st BVAL, 2-2 Qtrs. CCS (182)
2	182	Kasey Mena <b>RANKED #24 CA 182</b>	SR	Palma	PCAL	'20: 3rd PCAL-G, 3-2 Qtrs. CCS (220) '19: 7th PCAL, 2-2 CCS (182)
3	182	Ryan Lee <b>RANKED #34 CA</b>	SR	St. Francis	WCAL	'20: 2nd WCAL, 3-2 CCS (170) '19: 3rd WCAL, 1-2 CCS (170)
4	182	Pablo Reyes <b>RANKED #37 CA</b>	JR	Homestead	SCVAL	'20: 3rd SCVAL, 3-2 CCS (160)
5	182	Sergiy Nyzhynk <b>RANKED #38 CA</b>	SR	Los Gatos	SCVAL	.
6	182	Ivan Faranda	SR	Gilroy	PCAL	.
7	182	Jace Clayton	SR	Serra	WCAL	'20: 5th WCAL, 2-2 CCS (160)
8	182	Sohail Zarandian	SR	Leland	BVAL	'20: 6th BVAL, 0-2 CCS (182)
9	182	Marco Silva	JR	Greenfield	PCAL	'20: 1-2 CCS (182)
10	182	Adam Hassane	SR	Pacific Grove	PCAL	'20: 1-2 CCS (170)
1	195	Cody Merrill <b>RANKED #1 CA</b>	SO	Gilroy	PCAL	'21: 1st CA State Finals (184)
2	195	Cade Creighton <b>RANKED #2 CA</b>	SR	Palo Alto	SCVAL	'20: 1st SCVAL, 2nd CCS, 3-2 CA (160) '19: 1st SCVAL, 4th CCS (145)
3	195	Misha Lomboy <b>RANKED #7 CA</b>	SR	Palma	PCAL	'21: 5th CA State Finals (184) '20: 1st PCAL-G, 5th CCS (182) '19: 7th PCAL, 0-2 CCS (160)
4	195	Manreev Singh <b>RANKED #37 CA</b>	SR	Evergreen Valley	BVAL	.
5	195	Karim Yasin <b>RANKED #38 CA</b>	SR	San Benito	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL-G, 1-2 CCS (182)

6	195	Om Shastri <b>RANKED #39 CA</b>	JR	Los Gatos	SCVAL	'20: 4th SCVAL, 0-2 CCS (170)
7	195	Ivan Martinez <b>RANKED HM CA</b>	SR	No. Monterey County	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL-M (182)
8	195	Tommy Conoway III	SR	Mountain View	SCVAL	'20: 3rd SCVAL, 1-2 CCS (195) '19: 5th SCVAL, 0-2 CCS (182)
9	195	Joao Villazon	SR	Oceana	PAL	'20: 3rd PAL, 2-2 CCS (195)
10	195	William Lenoy Ortiz	SR	Riordan	WCAL	'20: 2nd WCAL, 0-2 CCS (195)

1	220	Donn Greer <b>RANKED #8 CA</b>	SR	Soledad	PCAL	'20: 1st PCAL Cypress, 4-2 CCS (145) '19: 7th PCAL, 2-2 Qtrs. CCS (113)
2	220	Khader Yasin	SR	San Benito	PCAL	'20: 3rd PCAL-G, 0-2 CCS (195) '19: 3rd PCAL, 1-2 CCS (195)
3	220	Andrew Zarate	JR	Gonzales	PCAL	'20: 3-2 CCS (195)
4	220	Jose Cardena	JR	Wilcox	SCVAL	'20: 4th SCVAL, 1-2 CCS (220)
5	220	Roman Miele	SR	St. Francis	WCAL	'20: 5th WCAL, 1-2 CCS (195)
6	220	Clayton King	SR	Monte Vista Christian	PCAL	.
7	220	Christian Duran	SR	Harbor	SCCAL	'20: 0-2 CCS (220)
8	220	Antonio Cueva	JR	Mitty	WCAL	'20: 3rd WCAL, 0-2 CCS (220)
9	220	Zachary Paz	SR	St. Francis-Watson.	SCCAL	'21: 2nd SCCAL (220)
10	220	Matthew Flores	SR	Watsonville	PCAL	'21: 3rd SCCAL (220) '20: 2nd PCAL Mission (195)

1	285	TJ Takafua <b>RANKED #5 CA</b>	SR	Fremont	SCVAL	'20: 1st SCVAL, 2nd CCS, 2-2 CA (285) '19: 1st SCVAL, 2-2 CCS (220)
2	285	Xavier Bruening <b>RANKED #16 CA</b>	SR	Burlingame	PAL	'20: 3rd PAL, 5th CCS (285) '19: 3rd PAL, 1-2 CCS (285)
3	285	Nova Takafua <b>RANKED #30 CA</b>	JR	Gilroy	PCAL	'20: 7th SCVAL (220)
4	285	Javier Avila <b>RANKED #37 CA</b>	SR	Palma	PCAL	'20: 1st PCAL, 3-2 Qtrs. CCS (195) '19: 7th PCAL, 1-2 CCS (170)
5	285	Marcus Leon	SR	Soledad	PCAL	'20: 0-2 CCS (220) '19: 7th PCAL, 1-2 CCS (285)
6	285	Hriday Raj	SR	Leland	BVAL	'20: 4th BVAL, 2-2 CCS (285)
7	285	Mike Macneill	SR	Salinas	PCAL	'20: 2nd PCAL, 2-2 CCS (285)
8	285	Lucky McHenry	SR	Watsonville	SCCAL	'21: 1st SCCAL (285)
9	285	Dillon Scott	JR	St. Francis	WCAL	'20: 3rd WCAL, 0-2 CCS (285)
10	285	Nicholas Saenz	SR	Serra	WCAL	'20: 5th WCAL, 1-2 CCS (285)

Rank	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9-12
Team Pts	30	25	22.5	20	17.5	15	12.5	10	8

#	TEAM	SECTION	106	113	120	126	132	138	145	152	160	170	182	195	220	285	PTS
1	Gilroy	PCAL	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	1	4	6	1	-	3	<b>337.5</b>
2	Los Gatos	SCVAL	-	-	3	10	3	2	1	-	-	2	5	6	-	-	<b>165.5</b>
3	Palma	PCAL	-	-	6	-	-	4	9	-	5	5	2	3	-	4	<b>145.5</b>

<b>4</b>	Fremont	SCVAL	3	-	4	-	8	8	5	9	-	6	-	-	-	1	<b>133</b>
<b>5</b>	San Benito	PCAL	-	-	5	2	9	-	-	8	-	-	-	5	2	-	<b>103</b>
<b>6</b>	St. Francis	WCAL	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	3	-	5	9	<b>100.5</b>
<b>7</b>	Sobrato	BVAL	-	-	1	-	-	6	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	<b>95</b>
<b>8</b>	Riordan	WCAL	-	3	-	9	-	5	-	-	3	-	-	10	-	-	<b>78.5</b>
<b>9</b>	Soledad	PCAL	-	-	-	6	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	<b>75</b>
<b>10</b>	Evergreen Valley	BVAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	<b>72.5</b>
<b>11</b>	Palo Alto	SCVAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	<b>47.5</b>
<b>12</b>	Bellarmino	WCAL	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	<b>42.5</b>