

Extracurricular Eligibility: HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Extracurricular eligibility. This policy applies to **all** extracurricular activities including sports and student council.

- Students must attend full-time.
- Students must maintain proper conduct in and out of school
- Students must maintain at least a C minus average or 70% which is a 1.67 GPA
- Students must not be failing more than one course.

Initial ineligibility determinations will be made at the progress report during first quarter. Students will be notified by the principal of ineligibility status whether or not they are currently active in a sport. A list will be given to the appropriate teachers and the athletic director who will notify the coaches. Additional grade checks will take place at each report card and progress report throughout the remainder of the school year.

A student who becomes ineligible will become athletically suspended and will not be permitted to participate in extracurricular activities, including games, tournaments, and StuCo activities, for 10 school days following the notification of the student's ineligibility status.

During the period of ineligibility, the student will not attend meetings or practices until all of his/her assignments, tests, quizzes, and or special projects are made up to the best of his/her ability.

The student will not "suit up" for games or participate in extracurricular events until he/she has regained eligibility. Should a student's academic performance be such that there is little chance for regaining eligibility, the principal or athletic director or appropriate teacher and the parent shall set up a meeting to discuss the student's future status.

A student regains eligibility:

- At the midpoint of an eligibility (five school days), the principal will check the student's grades and determine if his/her average is at least 70%, with no more than two failing grades and no new missing assignments. If everything is in order the student will be eligible for that week.
 - If the student is ineligible because of a single missing assignment, the student may be reinstated (without the 10 day waiting period) after the teacher reports the work has been satisfactorily made up and a passing grade has been achieved.
 - Please note, teachers may not be able to grade late work the same day it is presented. Teachers will be granted 48 hours to bring the student's grade current, if needed. The GPA will be checked by the principal, who will then advise the athletic director and/or coaches.
- If the student does not meet these requirements, then the period of ineligibility restarts. The principal will recheck the student's eligibility weekly thereafter.

*In the event that the principal is unavailable, the Guidance Department may make the eligibility determination.