



Windsor High School Athletic Department

– Academic Requirements –

To be eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics at Windsor High School, all students will be required to meet a three-fold eligibility standard. The standard(s) shall include:

CHSAA Semester Eligibility Requirements

During the period of participation, the student must be enrolled in courses that offer, in aggregate, a minimum of 2.5 Carnegie units of credit per semester and must pass a minimum of the equivalent of 2.5 Carnegie units of credit.

During the preceding (18-week grading period) semester of attendance, the student must have passed a minimum of 2.5 Carnegie units of credit during the previous semester.

For purposes of eligibility, a semester is considered to begin on the first pupil contact day as defined by the Department of Education, following the completion of the preceding semester. Further, a student will be considered as in attendance if he/she has been enrolled for 15 days or has competed interscholastically at any time during that semester.

Regaining Eligibility -- Students who have not met the academic requirements at the close of a semester may regain academic eligibility on the sixth Thursday following Labor Day for the first semester and on the Friday immediately prior to March 10th for the second semester.

Exception: Winter sport athletes who have been declared ineligible for the first semester and did not participate in a fall sport shall use the formal grading period closest to the beginning of winter practice to determine if eligibility is regained.

Weekly Check of Grades:

To participate in athletics students must maintain minimum academic standards as defined below:

1. All student-athletes' grades are to be checked on a weekly basis.
 - a. Official grade checks are run every Monday morning. If a student is determined to be academically ineligible (as defined below) he/she cannot participate in any athletic contests for an entire week (Monday-Sunday).
 - b. If a student believes any part of the grade check is inaccurate (i.e. the report shows they are failing a class that they are actually passing) it is their responsibility to contact both the teacher and the athletic director before the end of school on Monday
2. Students will be considered ineligible for any of the following:
 - a. If the student is enrolled in 5 classes they will be ineligible if:
 - i. The student is failing any class
 - ii. The student has a D or lower in 3 or more classes
 - iii. The student has a GPA of 1.5 or below for the week
 - b. If the student is enrolled in 6 or more classes they will be ineligible if:
 - i. The student is failing 2 or more classes
 - ii. The student has a D or lower in 4 or more classes
 - iii. The student has a GPA of 1.5 or below for the week

Attendance and Citizenship

To participate in athletics students must follow a minimum code of conduct as defined below:

1. If a student has an unexcused absence from class on the day of an activity, he/she will not be permitted participation that day or evening.
2. If a student has 2 or more unexcused absences in a week he/she will be ineligible for all athletic contest during the week following the unexcused absences
3. If a student has 2 or more tardies on the day of an activity he/she will not be permitted participation that day or evening.
4. If a student has 4 or more tardies in a week he/she will be ineligible for all athletic contests during the week following the tardies.
5. School Discipline Referral - Any student referred to the office for school rule violations may be denied the privilege of participation in all extracurricular activities for a period to be determined by the school principal. This eligibility suspension will not exceed one (1) school year.
6. School Law Enforcement Referral - Any student referred to law enforcement authorities by school officials for school rule violations may be denied the privilege of participation in all extracurricular activities for a period determined by the principal. The eligibility suspension will not exceed one (1) school year.
7. Arrest - Any student who is arrested for a felony or gross misdemeanor during school hours, school functions, and on the way to or from participating in a school event may be denied the privilege of participating in all extracurricular activities for a period determined by the principal. This eligibility suspension will not exceed one (1) school year.