

Academic Eligibility- 2005-2006 school year

Policy

- Eligibility is evaluated on the 2nd day of the school week
- Failing one course for the current semester results in Game Ineligibility (see below)
- Failing more than one course for the current semester results in Practice & Game Ineligibility (see below)
- Grades are the SOLE criteria for academic eligibility. Other student issues should be brought up with the coach, the A.D., or the principal.

Consequences of Ineligibility

- Game Ineligibility
 - Letter home to family
 - Cannot compete interscholastically for one full week
 - Practice **is permitted**
- Practice Ineligibility
 - Phone-call home to family.
 - Letter home to family.
 - Cannot practice for one full week:
 - Practice restriction may be lifted with a written confirmation from all teachers verifying passing grades in courses an athlete was previously failing.
 - Cannot compete interscholastically for one full week.

Process

- On the last day of every school week, a “Head’s-Up” list will be posted outside the A.D.’s office. List will include all athletes with a D or F in any course. (Posted by student ID number, no names) Students participating in any extra-curricular activity are encouraged to check this list regularly.
- On the 2nd day of the school week, final ineligibility letters will be handed out before the end of the day. Those receiving letters will be subject to consequences for one full week.

Appeals

- If a student’s grade is mistakenly reported as failing, ineligibility letters signed by the teacher(s) of the failing course(s) as “passing” may warrant immediate reinstatement of eligibility.
- Teachers may only report students as passing if they were passing on the 2nd day of the school week before the end of the school day. **Work or quizzes turned in after the bell of the second day of classes should not be counted toward the previous week’s grade.** Whether any work turned in late counts toward a course grade before or after the eligibility deadline is up to the discretion of the teacher.