

NCAA—What Do I Need to Do?

High School Recommendations:

Grade 9

- Inform 9th grade H.S. counselor you are interested in NCAA sports so they can check the online core-course listing to make sure you get on track. Read requirements yourself.
<https://web1.ncaa.org/eligibilitycenter/common/>

Grade 10

- Inform 10th grade high school counselor you are interested in NCAA sports so they can check the online core-course listing to make sure you are on track. Make sure you have the correct math—not all math is equal. Check that all extracurricular sports are credited.

Grade 11

- Register with the eligibility center. <https://web1.ncaa.org/eligibilitycenter/common/>
- Check with 11th grade H.S. counselor that you are on course, getting the correct number and kind of core courses and that they are on your high school's 48-H with the eligibility center (ESPECIALLY if you have transferred from another school).
- After your junior year, request online an official copy of your transcript to send to NCAA (www.asdk12.org/parents/studentrecords.asp). If you have attended a private high school or one outside Anchorage, make sure a transcript is sent to the eligibility center from each high school.
- When taking the ACT or SAT, request test scores to be sent to the eligibility center (the NCAA code is "9999"). These tests are often taken at the end of your junior year or start of senior year.
- Begin your amateurism questionnaire.
- Check that all extracurricular sports have been credited.

Grade 12

- Take the ACT or SAT and request test scores to be sent to the eligibility center (the NCAA code is "9999"). Tests are taken mostly during the fall/winter for colleges.
- Complete amateurism questionnaire and sign the final authorization signature online on or after April 1 if you are expecting to enroll in college in the fall semester. (If you are expecting to enroll for spring semester, sign the final authorization signature on or after October 1 of the year prior to enrollment.)
- Request a final transcript with proof of graduation and send to the eligibility center.

Hot Topics

- Test score rule: Test scores must be reported to the eligibility center directly from ACT or SAT. Use "9999" for NCAA code when registering; otherwise, it may cost you money if you request sent at a later date.
- Transferred from one high school to another? Make sure your core classes meet requirements! Not all high school classes are equal.
- High school core-course list: Is yours up to date? Verify the classes you are taking and/or scheduled to take appear on your high school's approved core-course list.
- Amateurism questionnaire and final authorization signature: Remember to log back in to your account and finalize your amateurism questionnaire by suggested date before you enroll in college.