



The STEM Academy at Showalter

"Unlocking Young Minds for the Future"

NCAA

Any student who is considering playing Division 1 or 2 sports in college must meet certain NCAA requirements in order to be eligible to compete. Students must pass a minimum number of core courses during their high school career, and must meet minimum GPA and SAT eligibility requirements. Detailed information on these requirements is available on the NCAA Eligibility website, but you can click on the following link, http://fs.ncaa.org/Docs/eligibility_center/Quick_Reference_Sheet.pdf, for a quick reference guide as a helpful starting point.

IF you plan to play a Division 1 or 2 sport in college the first step for students is to create an account on the NCAA Eligibility Center at <https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>. This should be completed by the end of a student's junior year if possible. When you create your account, make sure to indicate that you need a fee waiver. Once you have done so, e-mail your counselor. She will then verify that you are fee waiver eligible and send your transcript to the NCAA Eligibility Center. If you have any questions about registering, schedule an appointment with your counselor, and you can complete the registration process with her.

The NCAA also requires SAT or ACT scores as part of the Eligibility process. Students can request those scores from the College Board or ACT website, with the NCAA Eligibility Center as the recipient. Use the NCAA Eligibility Center Code 9999 to send your scores.

Once students graduate, the School Counseling Office will automatically submit a final transcript to the NCAA Eligibility Center for any student who has registered with the NCAA. No official request is required for final transcripts, as the school counselors are able to run a report identifying all graduating seniors who have registered with the NCAA.