

## Regulation

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### INTERSCHOLASTIC COMPETITION

#### Eligibility

To be eligible for athletics in Shore Regional High School, it is necessary for students to meet several conditions:

- A. Class attendance must be regular, and conduct in and out of school must be satisfactory;
- B. Training rules must be strictly adhered to;
- C. The class in which the student originally enrolled must not have been graduated;
- D. The student must be under nineteen years of age. If a player reaches nineteen during the season, he/she will be permitted to finish that season;
- E. The student must have the school accident policy, except for football;
- F. Permission slips, signed by the participant's parent/guardian, must be secured for all students who participate in any extracurricular athletic program. A permission slip must be secured for each sport.

#### Academic Eligibility

Student's participating in interscholastic competitions are expected to maintain good academic standing. The following academic standards shall apply to students participating in interscholastic competition:

- A. To be eligible for athletic competition during the first semester (September 1 to January 31) of the 10<sup>th</sup> grade or higher, or the second year of attendance in the secondary school or beyond, a pupil must have passed 25% of the credits required by the State of New Jersey for graduation, during the immediately preceding academic year;
- B. To be eligible for athletic competition which begins during the second semester (February 1 to June 30) during the ninth grade or higher, a pupil must have passed the equivalent of 12.5% of the credits required by the State of New Jersey for graduation at the close of the preceding semester (January 31). Full year courses shall be equated as one half of the total credits to be gained for the full year to determine credits passed during the immediately preceding semester;
- C. Incoming students from grammar school (8 grade) shall not be subject to the academic eligibility standard until second semester of freshman year;
- D. A student who is eligible at the beginning of a sports season shall be allowed to finish that season;

#### Rules, Eligibility for Participation in Interscholastic Athletics

The following criterion shall be satisfied prior to student's participation in interscholastic competition:

- A. Examination by the school physician;
- B. Permission to participate documented in writing and signed by the parent/guardian;
- C. Compliance with all rules of the NJSIAA;

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Involvement in any serious infraction of school rules and the student code of conduct may disqualify a student for participation in a sport.

Football Games on Sunday

If a football game scheduled for a Saturday is rained out and cannot be satisfactorily rescheduled for another Saturday, it may be scheduled for a Sunday upon the consent of the authorities from the opposing school.

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