

NCAA: What you need to know

NCAA Eligibility Requirements

- Division I and Division II requires 16 core courses
- Minimum SAT/ACT for Division I based on sliding scale (see back page)
- SAT minimum score of 820 for Division II (reading and math combined)
- ACT minimum score of 68 for Division II (reading, math, English and science combined)
- GPA requirements are calculated using only NCAA approved courses. Minimum GPA for Division I based on sliding scale (see back page). Division II Minimum GPA = 2.000.
- SAT and ACT scores must be reported directly to the Eligibility Center. When registering for the SAT or ACT, use the NCAA Eligibility Center code of 9999 to make sure the score is reported.
- Students enrolling at an NCAA Division I or II institution for the first time need to also complete the amateurism questionnaire through the Eligibility Center Web site. Students need to request final amateurism certification prior to enrollment in college.

NCAA Registration

Students wanting to play NCAA Division I or Division II sports must register with the NCAA Eligibility Center. Students must meet the eligibility requirements, fill out the registration form (online), pay the registration fee of \$70, and complete the amateurism questionnaire. Once all of this is completed the students eligibility will be determined by the NCAA Eligibility Center.

Economically disadvantaged students may be eligible to receive a fee waiver to assist with the registration fee. Please see your counselor if you have any questions.

It is the student's responsibility to be sure they are following all of the policies required by the NCAA. If students have questions, they should contact NCAA directly. Contact information available on the NCAA website.

To register go to:
www.eligibilitycenter.org



If you have questions, you can contact the NCAA at
www.eligibilitycenter.org or 877-262-1492

You may also contact Mrs. Wilson at
469-633-5912 or wilsonp@friscoisd.org.

**NCAA DIVISION I SLIDING SCALE
CORE GRADE-POINT AVERAGE/TEST-SCORE
New Core GPA / Test Score Index**

Core GPA	SAT	ACT
3.550 & above	400	37
3.525	410	38
3.500	420	39
3.475	430	40
3.450	440	41
3.425	450	41
3.400	460	42
3.375	470	42
3.350	480	43
3.325	490	44
3.300	500	44
3.275	510	45
3.250	520	46
3.225	530	46
3.200	540	47
3.175	550	47
3.150	560	48
3.125	570	49
3.100	580	49
3.075	590	50
3.050	600	50
3.025	610	51
3.000	620	52
2.975	630	52
2.950	640	53
2.925	650	53
2.900	660	54
2.875	670	55
2.850	680	56
2.825	690	56
2.800	700	57
2.775	710	58
2.750	720	59
2.725	730	59
2.700	730	60
2.675	740-750	61
2.650	760	62
2.625	770	63
2.600	780	64
2.575	790	65
2.550	800	66
2.525	810	67
2.500	820	68
2.475	830	69
2.450	840-850	70
2.425	860	70
2.400	860	71
2.375	870	72
2.350	880	73
2.325	890	74
2.300	900	75
2.275	910	76
2.250	920	77
2.225	930	78
2.200	940	79
2.175	950	80
2.150	960	80
2.125	960	81
2.100	970	82
2.075	980	83
2.050	990	84
2.025	1000	85
2.000	1010	86

Steps for NCAA Registration:

1. Register at www.eligibilitycenter.org
2. Complete amateurism questionnaire
3. Fill out Student Release Form online
4. Pay the \$70 registration fee (or submit fee waiver)
5. Print copy of completed registration
6. Sign the transcript release and give to Mrs. Gibson, HHS Registrar
7. Register to take the SAT, ACT, or both and use Eligibility Center Code (9999) to make sure the score is reported to the Eligibility Center (NCAA will not accept scores sent from high schools). Eligibility Center will use best scores from each section of the ACT or SAT to determine best cumulative score.
8. Double check courses you have taken match your school's NCAA list of approved
9. Request final amateurism certification on or after April 1 of senior year.
10. For Division I, student must graduate "on time" or in eight semesters.

DIVISION I

16 Core-Course Rule

16 Core Courses:

- 4 years of English
- 3 years of mathematics (Algebra I or higher)
- 2 years of natural/physical science (1 year of lab if offered by high school).
- 1 year of additional English, mathematics or natural/physical science.
- 2 years of social science
- 4 years of additional courses (from any area above, foreign language or non-doctrinal religion/philosophy)

DIVISION II

16 Core-Course Rule

16 Core Courses:

- 3 years of English
- 2 years of mathematics (Algebra I or higher)
- 2 years of natural/physical science (1 year of lab if offered by high school)
- 3 years of additional English, mathematics or natural/physical science
- 2 years of social science
- 4 years of additional courses (from any area above, foreign language or non-doctrinal religion/philosophy)

Courses must be on the NCAA List of Approved Courses for Heritage High School. This list can be found at <https://web1.ncaa.org/hportal/exec/hsAction>.

The Heritage High School code is 442488.