

This form, attached to a roster of participating students, should be signed by a school administrator and submitted to the NMAA prior to state competition.  
 \*This form verifies the minimum requirements set forth by the NMAA. Individual schools and/or activities may enforce stricter eligibility requirements. (NMAA 6.1.4 D)  
**\*\*Schools allowing ineligible student to participate will forfeit any contests/activities that student(s) participated in. (NMAA 6.10.1)**



# New Mexico Activities Association

## NMAA Sanctioned Activity – VERIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY

### School Information

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Activity: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor/Coach: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Event Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Regular Season    
  Tournament    
  State Competition    
  Non-Competitive

Dates of Event: From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Event: \_\_\_\_\_

### Administrative Verification

By signing below, I verify that the students attached are academically eligible according to NMAA Rule 8.1.1:

<i>Name</i>	<i>Title</i>
<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>

#### 8.1.1 Interscholastic Eligibility: Scholastic Requirements

- A.** A Student shall have a 2.0 grade point average with no more than one (1) F, based on a 4.0 grading scale, or its equivalent, either cumulatively or for the six or nine week grading period immediately preceding participation. Grades earned during a summer session must be placed on a student's transcript by the school registrar prior to the first day of the Fall semester in order for the course to be utilized for eligibility purposes.
1. All class work counted for eligibility must be acceptable for graduation.
  2. The GPA is based on a 4.0 scale with an allowance for consideration of honors points.
  3. Cumulative provision
    - a. The cumulative provision may be applied only at the beginning of a semester.
    - b. Only semester grades can be used, and all semester grades starting with the 9<sup>th</sup> grade year must be utilized. (As cumulative grades start with the 9<sup>th</sup> grade year, the cumulative provision cannot be used for middle school/junior high Students.)
    - c. The cumulative provision may not be applied if a Student has more than one "F" in the semester grading period immediately preceding participation.
    - d. Stricter guidelines may be imposed by the local school board/district.
  4. A Student must be enrolled in more than half of the member school's regular class schedule and in regular attendance during the current as well as the previous grading period.
  5. A student enrolled in on campus courses for less than 51% of the school day will have their eligibility determined by semester grades only.
  6. Pursuant to State Statute 22-12-2.1.: Interscholastic extracurricular activities; student participation.
    - a. No student shall be absent from school for school-sponsored interscholastic extracurricular activities in excess of fifteen days per semester, and no class may be missed in excess of fifteen times per semester. Participation in state and national competitions is

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