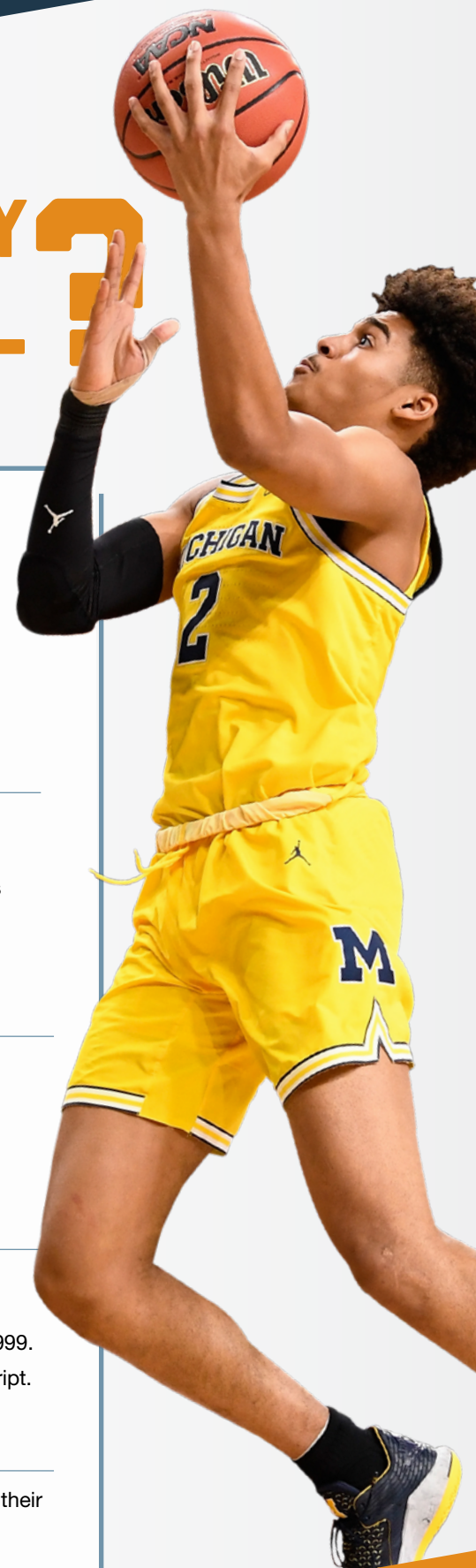


ARE YOUR ATHLETES READY TO PLAY BASKETBALL?



IN ORDER TO COMPETE AT A DIVISION I SCHOOL, STUDENTS MUST:

- Complete 16 required core courses in the appropriate areas.
- Complete at least 10 of those 16 core courses before the start of their seventh semester. Seven of the 10 core courses must be in English, math or natural/physical science.
- Earn a core-course GPA of at least 2.3 with a corresponding test score on the Division I sliding scale, as shown later in this document.

FRESHMAN YEAR: PLAN

- *Help your athletes to start planning now!* Encourage them to take the right courses and earn the best grades they can.
- Remind them to ask their counselor for a list of their high school's NCAA core courses to make sure they take the right classes. Or, help them find their high school's list of NCAA core courses at eligibilitycenter.org.

SOPHOMORE YEAR: REGISTER

- Remind them to register with the NCAA Eligibility Center at eligibilitycenter.org.
- If your athletes fall behind on courses, don't have them take shortcuts to catch up. They should ask their counselor for help with finding approved courses or programs they can take.

JUNIOR YEAR: STUDY

- Encourage them to check with their counselor to make sure they are on track to graduate on time.
- Remind them to take the ACT or SAT and have their scores sent to us by using code 9999.
- At the end of the year, remind them to ask their counselor to upload their official transcript.

SENIOR YEAR: GRADUATE

- Encourage them to take the ACT or SAT again, if necessary, and remind them to send their scores to us by using code 9999.
- Remind them to request their final amateurism certification on or after April 1.
- After they graduate, remind them to ask their counselor to upload their final official transcript with proof of graduation.

Test Scores

When a student registers for the SAT or ACT, he or she can use the NCAA Eligibility Center code of 9999 so his or her scores are sent directly to the NCAA Eligibility Center from the testing agency. Test scores on transcripts will **NOT** be used in his or her academic certification.

A combined SAT score is calculated by adding reading and math subscores. An ACT sum score is calculated by adding English, math, reading and science subscores. A student may take the SAT or ACT an unlimited number of times before he or she enrolls full time in college. If a student takes either test more than once, the best subscores from each test are used for the academic certification process.

If you took the SAT in March 2016 or after, and plan to attend an NCAA Division I or Division II college or university in the 2019-20 or 2020-21 academic years, use the following charts to understand the core-course GPA you need to meet NCAA **Division I** and **Division II** requirements.

DIVISION I FULL QUALIFIER SLIDING SCALE			
Core GPA	New SAT*	Old SAT (Prior to 3/2016)	ACT Sum
3.550	400	400	37
3.525	410	410	38
3.500	430	420	39
3.475	440	430	40
3.450	460	440	41
3.425	470	450	41
3.400	490	460	42
3.375	500	470	42
3.350	520	480	43
3.325	530	490	44
3.300	550	500	44
3.275	560	510	45
3.250	580	520	46
3.225	590	530	46
3.200	600	540	47
3.175	620	550	47
3.150	630	560	48
3.125	650	570	49
3.100	660	580	49
3.075	680	590	50
3.050	690	600	50
3.025	710	610	51
3.000	720	620	52
2.975	730	630	52
2.950	740	640	53
2.925	750	650	53
2.900	750	660	54
2.875	760	670	55
2.850	770	680	56
2.825	780	690	56
2.800	790	700	57
2.775	800	710	58

DIVISION I FULL QUALIFIER SLIDING SCALE			
Core GPA	New SAT*	Old SAT (Prior to 3/2016)	ACT Sum
2.750	810	720	59
2.725	820	730	60
2.700	830	740	61
2.675	840	750	61
2.650	850	760	62
2.625	860	770	63
2.600	860	780	64
2.575	870	790	65
2.550	880	800	66
2.525	890	810	67
2.500	900	820	68
2.475	910	830	69
2.450	920	840	70
2.425	930	850	70
2.400	940	860	71
2.375	950	870	72
2.350	960	880	73
2.325	970	890	74
2.300	980	900	75
2.299	990	910	76
2.275	990	910	76
2.250	1000	920	77
2.225	1010	930	78
2.200	1020	940	79
2.175	1030	950	80
2.150	1040	960	81
2.125	1050	970	82
2.100	1060	980	83
2.075	1070	990	84
2.050	1080	1000	85
2.025	1090	1010	86
2.000	1100	1020	86

ACADEMIC REDSHIRT

*Final concordance research between the new SAT and ACT is ongoing.

IN ORDER TO COMPETE AT A DIVISION II SCHOOL, STUDENTS MUST:

- Complete 16 required core courses in the appropriate areas.
- Earn a core-course GPA of at least 2.2 with a corresponding test score on the Division II sliding scale, shown below.

DIVISION II FULL QUALIFIER SLIDING SCALE			
USE FOR DIVISION II BEGINNING AUGUST 2018			
Core GPA	New SAT*	Old SAT (Prior to 3/2016)	ACT Sum
3.300 & above	400	400	37
3.275	410	410	38
3.250	430	420	39
3.225	440	430	40
3.200	460	440	41
3.175	470	450	41
3.150	490	460	42
3.125	500	470	42
3.100	520	480	43
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2.425	840	750	61
2.400	850	760	62
2.375	860	770	63
2.350	860	780	64
2.325	870	790	65
2.300	880	800	66
2.275	890	810	67
2.250	900	820	68
2.225	910	830	69
2.200	920	840 & above	70 & above

DIVISION II PARTIAL QUALIFIER SLIDING SCALE			
USE FOR DIVISION II BEGINNING AUGUST 2018			
Core GPA	New SAT*	Old SAT (Prior to 3/2016)	ACT Sum
3.050 & above	400	400	37
3.025	410	410	38
3.000	430	420	39
2.975	440	430	40
2.950	460	440	41
2.925	470	450	41
2.900	490	460	42
2.875	500	470	42
2.850	520	480	43
2.825	530	490	44
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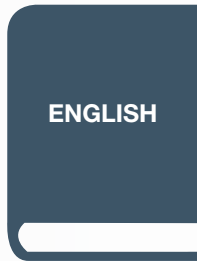
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NCAA DIVISION I BASKETBALL

ARE YOUR ATHLETES READY TO COMPETE?

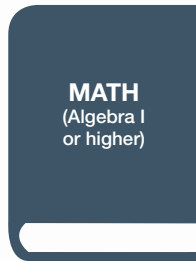
CORE-COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Complete 16 core courses in the following areas:



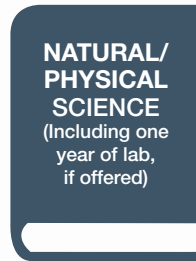
ENGLISH

4 years



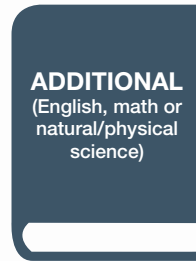
MATH
(Algebra I
or higher)

3 years



NATURAL/
PHYSICAL
SCIENCE
(Including one
year of lab,
if offered)

2 years



ADDITIONAL
(English, math or
natural/physical
science)

1 year



SOCIAL
SCIENCE

2 years



ADDITIONAL
COURSES
(Any area listed
to the left, foreign
language or
comparative
religion/philosophy)

4 years

CORE-COURSE LIST

Your student-athlete should check to see if the school they attend has a [list of NCAA courses](#). No core-course list means that courses taken from that school will not count for NCAA eligibility.

ONLINE COURSES/ NONTRADITIONAL

Nontraditional courses are classes taught online or through distance learning, independent study, individualized instruction or correspondence methods.

These types of courses are acceptable; however, it is important to make sure the course has been approved and appears on the school's list of NCAA courses.

BE AHEAD OF THE GAME

If students want to get ahead of the game, they need to register with the [NCAA Eligibility Center](#) early during their sophomore year.

After students complete their sophomore, junior and senior years, it is important for them to ask their counselor to upload their transcript to the NCAA Eligibility Center.

A student must submit a six-semester transcript in order to have a preliminary certification completed.

INITIAL-ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATION STATUS TERMS

Once the NCAA Eligibility Center completes a student-athlete's academic and amateur certifications, he or she will receive an academic status for Division I, an academic status for Division II and an amateur status for each sport selected in their account.

ACADEMIC TERMS

Early academic qualifier: Student-athlete is immediately eligible to receive an athletics scholarship and practice and compete with their team during his or her first year of full-time college enrollment.

Final nonqualifier: Student-athlete may not practice or compete with their team or receive an athletics scholarship during his or her first year of full-time college enrollment.

Final partial qualifier: For student-athletes at Division II schools, student-athlete may practice with their team at its home facility and receive an athletics scholarship during his or her first year of full-time college enrollment but may not compete.

Final qualifier: Student-athlete is academically eligible to practice, compete and receive an athletics scholarship during his or her first year of full-time college enrollment.

Academic redshirt: Student-athlete may practice with their team during his or her first semester of full-time college enrollment and receive an athletics scholarship during his or her first year of full-time college enrollment but may not compete during their first year of full-time college enrollment.

AMATEURISM TERMS

Final certified: The NCAA Eligibility Center has decided the student-athlete meets amateurism standards. Some cases may need to be reviewed for academic issues before a student-athlete is eligible to practice, compete or receive an athletics scholarship.

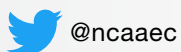
Final certified with conditions: Student-athlete must fulfill certain conditions to be eligible to compete.

Final not certified: Student-athlete may not practice, compete or receive an athletics scholarship in the division to which the school the student-athlete applied belongs.

Not applicable: An amateurism certification is not required for this sport for this division.

Pending review: The NCAA Eligibility Center is reviewing the student-athlete's case.

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