CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT POLICY

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

I. Extracurricular Activities

Extracurricular activities are an integral part of school life and often require as much careful planning and supervision as the academic subjects. However, care must be taken that these activities do not take precedence in importance over the subject matter areas, but remain in the position of supplementing the actual course of study.

II. Eligibility to Represent the School

Students shall be eligible to hold elective or appointive office and to participate in extracurricular activities, both athletic and non-athletic, if they have complied with all policies and regulations of the Clark County School District, all rules and regulations of their school of attendance as promulgated in said school's student handbook, and the applicable constitution, bylaws, rules and regulations of the Nevada Interscholastic Activities Association.

III. Adoption of Rules and Regulations

The regulations and procedures dealing with athletic eligibility shall be developed by the Instructional Division and shall contain provisions regarding (a) the transfer of student eligibility due to a change in residence of the parent or legal guardian; (b) the transfer of student eligibility due to obtaining a zone variance; (c) the transfer of student eligibility after beginning the seventh or eighth semester in a senior high school; and (d) the transfer of eligibility of students who enroll at Southern Nevada Vocational Technical Center at the start of grades ten or eleven. In addition, criteria will be developed to establish minimum scholastic standards for athletic eligibility.

IV. Enforcement and Communications

The administration will develop regulations which will ensure the enforcement of rules dealing with the eligibility or ineligibility of students who have violated disciplinary rules or who have been charged with or convicted of crimes. These rules and regulations shall be communicated to students and parents at the time of enrollment, and are to be published in student handbooks.

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V. Appeals Procedure

Due Process and appeals procedures will be developed which may be followed when an unresolved dispute arises from the interpretation of these policies, regulations, or procedures.

VI. Scheduling Athletic Events

The administration at each school will develop guidelines to ensure that to receive optimum benefits from the school district athletic program, events will be scheduled at a time appropriate for the activity, taking into consideration the welfare and needs of the student body, athletes, and community. It is incumbent upon all parties concerned, the school district, community, students, and the responsible law enforcement agencies, to work in a cooperative manner to provide a safe environment for athletic events.

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