

Wayne High School
Athletic and Activity
Eligibility Requirements
2019-2020

Requirements for student-athlete participation in UHSAA sponsored activities. Students involved with athletics or activities are expected to abide to a higher standard while representing Wayne High School.

1. A student must maintain a 2.00 or better grade point average (quarterly). If this grade point average is not maintained the student is not eligible for participation.
2. A student may not earn a failing grade at the end of a grading period, this also includes Ed-Net classes. If a student fails one class they will not be eligible for participation. If a student earns a failing grade at the end of the fourth quarter they will not be eligible to participate during the first quarter of the next school year. This applies to middle school students at the end of fourth quarter of their eight grade year.
3. A student may not earn an incomplete or a failing grade on an eligibility check. Eligibility checks will be every other Monday, with the following schedule:

November 18	March 9
December 2	March 23
December 16	April 6
January 13	April 20
January 27	May 4
February 10	May 11
February 24	

The school office will issue an eligibility reinstatement form to students with failing grades. This form must returned to the school office by 8:00 am, and be signed by the teacher, student, and a parent/guardian. Students must have all incomplete and failing grades made-up to a passing grade before they may participate in the next contest/activity. For example, if a student has a failing grade in a class on Monday and there is a contest on Wednesday they are not eligible to participate unless all paper work is turned in to the school office. If there is a contest on Thursday and the student has completed all of the steps mentioned above then the player is eligible to participate.

4. A student who receives two behavioral detention referrals per quarter (excluding tardy referrals) will not be eligible to participate for one contest/competition the week of the second referral. If there is not a competition the week of the referral the student will not be eligible for the next competition.

5. A student must attend a full day of school to be eligible to attend the next scheduled practice, travel with team, or participate in a contest. If a team has an early morning practice on a school day the student must attend a full day of school, or the above mentioned consequence will still apply. The school principal may authorize any extenuating circumstances; however, there must be a parental notification prior to the absence. If a student is absent the day before the contest they will be eligible to compete the next day. The rationale for this section is that students need to be in school to participate. If a student is too sick to attend school they are too sick to attend practice, participate in a contest, or travel.
6. A student involved in a fighting offense on or off campus while representing Wayne High School will not be allowed to participate in the next two scheduled contests.
7. A student that is found to be truant (not being where they should be during a school day) will not be allowed to participate in the next scheduled contest.
8. All students participating in a sport/activity must register at www.registermyathlete.com, have a physical exam on file at the high school, and pay the sport fee to the school office. All sport fees must be paid within two weeks after tryouts. Students will not be eligible to practice or compete until all requirements are completed. No physical exam required for Drama, Speech, and Music.
9. Students who are participating in a sport or activity representing Wayne High School must ride to the activity in a Wayne School District bus or vehicle. Students not riding back from the activity must submit proper forms to the coach and be signed by a parent/guardian.
10. Multi Sports during the same season:
 1. Each student may participate in one team sport and one individual sport in the same season provided that:
 - a. The practice schedule of both sports is not held at the same time.
 - b. Each coach gives prior approval and the student is not subject to undo stress and pressure.
 - c. There are no scheduled contests at the same time. If a conflict arises, the team sport will take precedence.

The UHSAA supports the U.S. Supreme Court rulings regarding education. First, to prepare students to be good citizens, second to teach them to be self-reliant and self-sufficient. Activities of the UHSAA contribute to both of these goals. The use of alcohol, tobacco products, vaping, e-cigarettes, or other drugs in almost every instance deters the realization of these goals. Every effort shall be made at the local, region and state levels of participation is to eradicate the promotion of the use or abuse of alcohol, drugs, and tobacco products. Limitation for participation of students in the Utah High School Activities Association regarding the use of alcohol, tobacco products and other drugs during a sports season, as defined in the Utah Code are:

First Offense: Suspension from two consecutive games, meets, matches, competition or performances at the same level of play and any intervening levels as well. **Practice may be continued following a personal assessment of the student by a licensed substance abuse intervention or treatment program and/or participation in a district program.**

Second Offense: **Student is dismissed from the team for the remainder of the sport season.**

Each sport or activity may have rules and policies in **addition** to the UHSAA By-Laws and Wayne High School Eligibility requirements. Please check with the coach or advisor for policies of their individualized sport/activity.