

## INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETICS

Interscholastic athletics for boys and girls is an integral and desirable part of the district's secondary school educational program. Individual and team sports shall be based upon comprehensive physical education instruction and intramural activities, seeking broad participation from all eligible secondary students. Lifetime or carry-over sports are to be particularly encouraged and supported. Parity in the number and kind of sports activities for girls and boys is a clear objective of the district.

Student eligibility for participation on interscholastic teams shall include:

1. authorization by the school physician;
2. written parent or guardian consent;
3. compliance with school academic eligibility standards; and
4. endorsement by the Building Principal based on established rules and various league and State Education Department regulations.

Cross-ref: 5305, Eligibility for Extracurricular Activities

Ref: Education Law §§414; 1502; 1604(7-b); 1708(3)(8-a); 1718(2);  
3001-b; 4409  
8 NYCRR §135.4

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