

SAN DIEGO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Date: 8/26/2021

To: Senior High School Principals and Vice Principals; Area Superintendents

Subject: Grades 9-12 Athletic Probationary Period

Department and/or Persons Concerned: Senior High School Principals, Vice Principals, and Athletic Directors; Middle School Principals

Attachments: San Diego Unified School District Athletic Probationary Contract
Student Grade Check

Brief Explanation:

This circular provides information regarding a probationary period for student athletes grades 9-12.

A. General Overview

Per SDUSD policies and procedures, students with a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) and citizenship point average (CPA) or higher are granted athletic eligibility to participate in sports and extracurricular activities. Students who hold under a 2.0 GPA/CPA are able to appeal for one athletic probationary contract to be allowed to play for one grading period per school year on this athletic probationary contract.

B. Site Responsibilities

1. Students who are below a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) and citizenship point average (CPA) will need to attend a meeting with their parent/guardian and a designee from the high school to discuss the student's current situation and review the future expectations of the student.
2. The parent/guardian, student, and school designee will sign the Athletic Probationary Contract (Attachment 1).
3. The school site will retain all Athletic Probationary Contracts.
4. The school site will complete the data Google Sheet provided by the SDUSD Athletics Office for monitoring and accountability purposes.
5. School sites will monitor and work with the SDUSD Director of Athletics to collect data on the program's participating students to determine if the students were successful with this opportunity to reconnect.

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Attachments: (2)

Attachment 1: Athletic Probationary Period Contract

Attachment 2: Student Grade Check