

NCAA ELIGIBILITY CENTER

What to do and when to do it

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Checklist:

- Use the Eligibility Worksheet in order to calculate your Core GPA for the NCAA Requirements. Make sure you take (or retake) your 10 core courses before the start of your senior year.**
- Before your senior year, register with the NCAA.**
 - Go to www.EligibilityCenter.org and create an account.
 - There will be a fee in order to register for the NCAA.
- Send your transcript after your 6th semester (end of your 11th grade year) and after your 8th semester (after you graduate).**
 - Go to www.Parchment.com and create an account to send your transcript to the NCAA.
- Send your official SAT or ACT test scores to the NCAA.**
 - NCAA super scores, and so it is to your advantage to send all of your test scores to the NCAA. They will use your best combined scores from your SAT (Reading + Math) and also from your ACT (English + Math + Science + Reading).
 - Enter code 9999 to send your scores from the following websites:
 - SAT: www.collegeboard.org
 - ACT: www.ACTstudent.org

Additional Information

- Desert Vista High School Code is **030328**
- The Clearinghouse is only for Division I and Division II universities and colleges.
- Students must meet the admission requirements for individual universities and colleges.
- A list of approved Desert Vista classes that will count for NCAA can be found by going to <https://web1.ncaa.org/hsportal/exec/loginAction> and entering the CEB code: 030328. Also, courses that count for NCAA are underlined in DV's Registration Handbook.
- NCAA Customer Service: 1-877-622-2321



NCAA ELIGIBILITY WORKSHEET

Name _____

Current Grade _____

Register at www.eligibilitycenter.org at the end of your JUNIOR year.

CORE GPA CALCULATION Select the highest qualifying semester grades from the student's transcript using the list of NCAA Approved Core Courses. Starting with the graduating class of 2016, 10 credits must be completed by the start of the 7th semester. Of the 10 core courses completed, 7 must be in the area of English, math, or science.

ENGLISH CORE – 8 semesters required.

EN _____ EN _____ EN _____ EN _____

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MATH CORE – 6 semesters required, Algebra 1-2 and above.

MA _____ MA _____ MA _____

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SCIENCE CORE – 4 semesters required, at least 2 must be lab science

SC _____ SC _____ SC _____ SC _____

SOCIAL STUDIES CORE – 4 semesters required.

SS _____ SS _____ SS _____ SS _____

ENGLISH, MATH, or SCIENCE – 2 semesters required

1. _____ 2. _____

ENGLISH, MATH, SCIENCE, SOCIAL STUDIES, FOREIGN LANGUAGE, PHILOSOPHY, NONDOCTRINAL RELIGION – 8 semesters required.

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____

5. _____ 6. _____ 7. _____ 8. _____

To figure your CORE GPA, add the value of all of the semester grades listed above (A = 4, B = 3, C = 2, D = 1) and divide by the number of semester grades (32 total).

CORE GPA

Number of A's _____ x 4 = _____

Number of B's _____ x 3 = _____

Number of C's _____ x 2 = _____

Number of D's _____ x 1 = _____

Column Totals A. _____ B. _____

Total = B. _____ divided by A. _____ = _____ CORE GPA

TEST SCORE requirement is on a sliding scale with Core GPA. See chart on back.

SAT Combined Score Verbal _____ + Math _____ = _____

ACT Combined Score Eng _____ + Math _____ + Rdg _____ + Sci _____ = _____

Sliding Scale A*Use for Division I prior to August 1, 2016***NCAA DIVISION I SLIDING SCALE**

Core GPA	SAT Verbal and Math ONLY	ACT Sum
3.550 & above	400	37
3.525	410	38
3.500	420	39
3.475	430	40
3.450	440	41
3.425	450	41
3.400	460	42
3.375	470	42
3.350	480	43
3.325	490	44
3.300	500	44
3.275	510	45
3.250	520	46
3.225	530	46
3.200	540	47
3.175	550	47
3.150	560	48
3.125	570	49
3.100	580	49
3.075	590	50
3.050	600	50
3.025	610	51
3.000	620	52
2.975	630	52
2.950	640	53
2.925	650	53
2.900	660	54
2.875	670	55
2.850	680	56
2.825	690	56
2.800	700	57
2.775	710	58
2.750	720	59
2.725	730	59
2.700	730	60
2.675	740-750	61
2.650	760	62
2.625	770	63
2.600	780	64
2.575	790	65
2.550	800	66
2.525	810	67
2.500	820	68
2.475	830	69
2.450	840-850	70
2.425	860	70
2.400	860	71
2.375	870	72
2.350	880	73
2.325	890	74
2.300	900	75
2.275	910	76
2.250	920	77
2.225	930	78
2.200	940	79
2.175	950	80
2.150	960	80
2.125	960	81
2.100	970	82
2.075	980	83
2.050	990	84
2.025	1000	85
2.000	1010	86

Sliding Scale B*Use for Division I beginning August 1, 2016***NCAA DIVISION I SLIDING SCALE**

Core GPA	SAT Verbal and Math ONLY	ACT Sum
3.550	400	37
3.525	410	38
3.500	420	39
3.475	430	40
3.450	440	41
3.425	450	41
3.400	460	42
3.375	470	42
3.350	480	43
3.325	490	44
3.300	500	44
3.275	510	45
3.250	520	46
3.225	530	46
3.200	540	47
3.175	550	47
3.150	560	48
3.125	570	49
3.100	580	49
3.075	590	50
3.050	600	50
3.025	610	51
3.000	620	52
2.975	630	52
2.950	640	53
2.925	650	53
2.900	660	54
2.875	670	55
2.850	680	56
2.825	690	56
2.800	700	57
2.775	710	58
2.750	720	59
2.725	730	60
2.700	740	61
2.675	750	61
2.650	760	62
2.625	770	63
2.600	780	64
2.575	790	65
2.550	800	66
2.525	810	67
2.500	820	68
2.475	830	69
2.450	840	70
2.425	850	70
2.400	860	71
2.375	870	72
2.350	880	73
2.325	890	74
2.300	900	75
2.275	910	76
2.250	920	77
2.225	930	78
2.200	940	79
2.175	950	80
2.150	960	81
2.125	970	82
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NCAA Division I Initial-Eligibility Requirements

Core Courses: (16)

- Initial full-time collegiate enrollment before August 1, 2016:
 - Sixteen (16) core courses are required (see chart below for subject-area requirements).
- Initial full-time collegiate enrollment on or after August 1, 2016:
 - Sixteen (16) core courses are required (see chart below for subject-area requirements).
 - Ten (10) core courses completed before the seventh semester; seven (7) of the 10 must be in English, math or natural/physical science.
 - These courses/grades are "locked in" at start of the seventh semester (cannot be repeated for grade-point average [GPA] improvement to meet initial-eligibility requirements for competition).
 - Students who do not meet core-course progression requirements may still be eligible to receive athletics aid and practice in the initial year of enrollment by meeting academic redshirt requirements (see below).

Test Scores: (ACT/SAT)

- Students must present a corresponding test score and core-course GPA on the sliding scale (see Page No. 2).
 - SAT: critical reading and math sections.
 - Best subscore from each section is used to determine the SAT combined score for initial eligibility.
 - ACT: English, math, reading and science sections.
 - Best subscore from each section is used to determine the ACT sum score for initial eligibility.
- All ACT and SAT attempts before initial full-time collegiate enrollment may be used for initial eligibility.
- Enter 9999 during ACT or SAT registration to ensure the testing agency reports your score directly to the NCAA Eligibility Center. Test scores on transcripts will not be used.

Core Grade-Point Average:

- Only core courses that appear on the high school's List of NCAA Courses on the NCAA Eligibility Center's website (www.eligibilitycenter.org) will be used to calculate your core-course GPA. Use this list as a guide.
- Initial full-time collegiate enrollment before August 1, 2016:
 - Students must present a corresponding test score (ACT sum score or SAT combined score) and core-course GPA (minimum 2.000) on Sliding Scale A (see Page No. 2).
 - Core-course GPA is calculated using the **best 16 core courses** that meet subject-area requirements.
- Initial full-time collegiate enrollment on or after August 1, 2016:
 - Students must present a corresponding test score (ACT sum score or SAT combined score) and core-course GPA (minimum 2.300) on Sliding Scale B (see Page No. 2).
 - Core-course GPA is calculated using the **best 16 core courses** that meet both progression (10 before seventh semester; seven in English, math or science; "locked in") and subject-area requirements.

DIVISION I

Core-Course Requirement (16)

- 4 years of English
- 3 years of math (Algebra I or higher)
- 2 years of natural/physical science (1 year of lab if offered)
- 1 year of additional English, math or natural/physical science
- 2 years of social science
- 4 years of additional courses (any area above, foreign language or comparative religion/philosophy)

DIVISION I – 2016

Qualifier Requirements

**Athletics aid, practice, and competition*

- 16 core courses
 - Ten (10) core courses completed before the start of seventh semester. Seven (7) of the 10 must be in English, math or natural/physical science.
 - "Locked in" for core-course GPA calculation.
 - Corresponding test score (ACT sum score or SAT combined score) and core-course GPA (minimum 2.300) on Sliding Scale B (see Page No. 2).
 - Graduate from high school.

DIVISION I – 2016

Academic Redshirt Requirements

**Athletics aid and practice (no competition)*

- 16 core courses
 - No grades/credits "locked in" (repeated courses after the seventh semester begins may be used for initial eligibility).
- Corresponding test score (ACT sum score or SAT combined score) and core-course GPA (minimum 2.000) on Sliding Scale B (see Page No. 2).
- Graduate from high school.

Sliding Scale A*Use for Division I prior to August 1, 2016***NCAA DIVISION I SLIDING SCALE**

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3.550 & above	400	37
3.525	410	38
3.500	420	39
3.475	430	40
3.450	440	41
3.425	450	41
3.400	460	42
3.375	470	42
3.350	480	43
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2.275	910	76
2.250	920	77
2.225	930	78
2.200	940	79
2.175	950	80
2.150	960	80
2.125	960	81
2.100	970	82
2.075	980	83
2.050	990	84
2.025	1000	85
2.000	1010	86

Sliding Scale B*Use for Division I beginning August 1, 2016***NCAA DIVISION I SLIDING SCALE**

Core GPA	SAT Verbal and Math ONLY	ACT Sum
3.550	400	37
3.525	410	38
3.500	420	39
3.475	430	40
3.450	440	41
3.425	450	41
3.400	460	42
3.375	470	42
3.350	480	43
3.325	490	44
3.300	500	44
3.275	510	45
3.250	520	46
3.225	530	46
3.200	540	47
3.175	550	47
3.150	560	48
3.125	570	49
3.100	580	49
3.075	590	50
3.050	600	50
3.025	610	51
3.000	620	52
2.975	630	52
2.950	640	53
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2.875	670	55
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2.800	700	57
2.775	710	58
2.750	720	59
2.725	730	60
2.700	740	61
2.675	750	61
2.650	760	62
2.625	770	63
2.600	780	64
2.575	790	65
2.550	800	66
2.525	810	67
2.500	820	68
2.475	830	69
2.450	840	70
2.425	850	70
2.400	860	71
2.375	870	72
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2.300	900	75
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Division II Initial-Eligibility Requirements

Core Courses

- **Division II currently requires 16 core courses.** See the chart below.
- **Beginning August 1, 2018**, to become a full or partial qualifier for Division II, all college-bound student-athletes must complete the 16 core-course requirement.

Test Scores

- **Division II** currently requires a minimum SAT score of 820 or an ACT sum score of 68. **Beginning August 1, 2018**, Division II will use a sliding scale to match test scores and core-course grade-point averages (GPA). The sliding scale for those requirements is shown on Page No. 2 of this sheet.
- The SAT score used for NCAA purposes includes only the critical reading and math sections. The writing section of the SAT is not used.
- The ACT score used for NCAA purposes is a sum of the following four sections: English, mathematics, reading and science.
- **When you register for the SAT or ACT, use the NCAA Eligibility Center code of 9999 to ensure all SAT and ACT scores are reported directly to the NCAA Eligibility Center from the testing agency. Test scores that appear on transcripts will not be used.**

Grade-Point Average

- Be sure to look at your high school's List of NCAA Courses on the NCAA Eligibility Center's website (www.eligibilitycenter.org). Only courses that appear on your school's approved List of NCAA Courses will be used in the calculation of the core GPA. Use the list as a guide.
- The current **Division II** core GPA requirement is a minimum of 2.000. **Division II** core GPA required to be eligible for competition on or after August 1, 2018, is 2.200 (corresponding test-score requirements are listed on the Sliding Scale on Page No. 2 of this sheet).
- The minimum **Division II** core GPA required to receive athletics aid and practice as a partial qualifier on or after August 1, 2018, is 2.000 (corresponding test-score requirements are listed on the Sliding Scale on Page No. 2 of this sheet).
- Remember, the NCAA core GPA is calculated using NCAA core courses only.

DIVISION II 16 Core Courses

3	years of English.
2	years of mathematics (Algebra I or higher).
2	years of natural/physical science (1 year of lab if offered by high school).
3	years of additional English, mathematics or natural/physical science.
2	years of social science.
4	years of additional courses (from any area above, foreign language or comparative religion/philosophy).

DIVISION II COMPETITION SLIDING SCALE		
<i>Use for Division II beginning August 1, 2018</i>		
Core GPA	SAT Verbal and Math ONLY	ACT Sum
3.300 & above	400	37
3.275	410	38
3.250	420	39
3.225	430	40
3.200	440	41
3.175	450	41
3.150	460	42
3.125	470	42
3.100	480	43
3.075	490	44
3.050	500	44
3.025	510	45
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2.975	530	46
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2.675	650	53
2.650	660	54
2.625	670	55
2.600	680	56
2.575	690	56
2.550	700	57
2.525	710	58
2.500	720	59
2.475	730	60
2.450	740	61
2.425	750	61
2.400	760	62
2.375	770	63
2.350	780	64
2.325	790	65
2.300	800	66
2.275	810	67
2.250	820	68
2.225	830	69
2.200	840 & above	70 & above

DIVISION II PARTIAL QUALIFIER SLIDING SCALE		
<i>Use for Division II beginning August 1, 2018</i>		
Core GPA	SAT Verbal and Math ONLY	ACT Sum
3.050 & above	400	37
3.025	410	38
3.000	420	39
2.975	430	40
2.950	440	41
2.925	450	41
2.900	460	42
2.875	470	42
2.850	480	43
2.825	490	44
2.800	500	44
2.775	510	45
2.750	520	46
2.725	530	46
2.700	540	47
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2.225	730	60
2.200	740	61
2.175	750	61
2.150	760	62
2.125	770	63
2.100	780	64
2.075	790	65
2.050	800	66
2.025	810	67
2.000	820 & above	68 & above

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