

TO: Coaches, Parents and Athletes  
FROM: Mr. James – Newport HS Athletic/Activity Director  
RE: Athletic Eligibility

The Athletic Office makes every attempt to clear student/athletes for sports eligibility, but some may slip through. We need your help. You don't want to forfeit any athletic contests.

**Ask these questions of your student/athletes and if any of them come up “NO”, there is a question of their eligibility and we need to answer that question.**

- \* Are you living with your parents?
- \* Do you live in the Newport High School attendance area?
- \* If you **are not** living with your parents, have you lived with your legal guardian for more than one year?
- \* Did you attend Newport last year or last semester?
- \* If no, what school?
- \* Did you pass six (6) classes last semester? **Note: You must pass 6 regardless of how many classes you take (6, 7 or more).**
- \* Are you currently enrolled in six (6) classes?
- \* Have you ever repeated any grade or dropped out of school at any time?  
Since grade 7?
- \* If you are a Foreign Exchange student, have you filled out a WIAA form 6?
- \* Foreign Exchange or Visa students not living with parents are eligible if they are involved in an exchange program (one year of Varsity competition only).

**If the following answers are “YES”, there is a question of eligibility.**

- \* Are you 20 years old before the first practice date of this sports season?
- \* Have you already graduated from a school outside of the United States?