



Spectrum Academy Board of Directors		
Policy: Extracurricular Activities		
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Extra-Curricular Activity Participation

At Spectrum Academy we believe that participation in extracurricular activities are an important part of a student's overall educational experience. We want students to perform well both inside and outside the classroom. The following minimum guidelines apply to all UHSSA activities and is recommended for all extra-curricular activities at Spectrum Academy including clubs, organizations, etc. .

Attendance:

All Spectrum Academy students who wish to participate in extracurricular sports or events must maintain 90% attendance and have fewer than 10% tardies at any given time during a term in which they are participating, or they will be placed on probation.

Academics:

To be eligible to participate in extracurricular sports or events, a student must maintain a 2.0 GPA and receive no more than one failing grade in the preceding term in which the student is participating. If a student receives more than one failing grade at any time during a term in which they are participating, they will be placed on probation.

Fees:

ALL School Fees (i.e. registration, extra-curricular, class fees) must be paid in full for a student to be eligible to participate in extracurricular activities, Organizations, Associations, Curricular Clubs, etc. Fees must be current for a student to try-out for an activity. Fees for an activity are due once the student has been selected as a participant. The only exceptions are for those students who are on fee waiver or who have prior, documented administrative approval. Students must be current any prearranged payment plans.

Probation:

Probation means, the student will miss the next scheduled game, or event and all subsequent events until they are released from probation. A student is released from



probation when the student has met the eligibility requirements set forth in the preceding paragraphs.

Truancy

Truant behavior will not be tolerated. Following are the minimum consequences for truant behavior. Truant behavior is anytime a student leaves home for school, but does not arrive; comes to school, but doesn't attend; leaves school without checking out properly; or obtains permission to go to a certain place, but does not report there.

If a student is found by a law enforcement officer or school official to be "truant", at any time, the student may be issued a truancy citation or the absence may be logged as a truant in the SIS system. A truancy citation or logged truancy for a student participating in extracurricular activities results in the following:

1. The first violation will result in suspension for eligibility for one week.
2. The second violation will result in suspension of eligibility for one term.

Appeal:

Students may appeal probation or eligibility decisions by scheduling a meeting with the Athletic Director. No eligibility appeals are allowed once a grade has been posted.