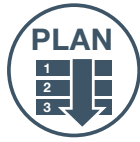




## THE ROLE OF THE STUDENT

Students are responsible for maintaining their academics throughout high school. These tips will help keep them on track for meeting academic initial-eligibility standards:

### 9<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



- *Start planning now!* Take the right courses and earn the best grades possible.
- Find your high school's list of NCAA core courses at [eligibilitycenter.org/courselist](https://eligibilitycenter.org/courselist).
- Sign up for a free Profile Page at [eligibilitycenter.org](https://eligibilitycenter.org) for information on NCAA academic and amateurism requirements.

### 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



- If you fall behind academically, ask your counselor for help finding approved courses you can take.
- Register for a Profile Page or Certification Account with the NCAA Eligibility Center at [eligibilitycenter.org](https://eligibilitycenter.org).
- Monitor your Eligibility Center account for next steps.
- At the end of the year, ask your counselor at each high school or program you attended to upload your official transcript to your NCAA Eligibility Center account.

### 11<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



- Check with your counselor to make sure you are on track to complete the required number of NCAA-approved core courses and graduate on time with your class.
- Take the ACT or SAT and submit your scores to the NCAA Eligibility Center using code 9999.
- Ensure your sports participation information is correct in your Eligibility Center account.
- At the end of the year, ask your counselor at each high school or program you attended to upload your official transcript to your NCAA Eligibility Center account.

### 12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



- Complete your final NCAA-approved core courses as you prepare for graduation.
- Take the ACT or SAT again, if necessary, and submit your scores to the NCAA Eligibility Center using code 9999.
- Request your final amateurism certification beginning April 1 (fall enrollees) or Oct. 1 (winter/spring enrollees) in your NCAA Eligibility Center account at [eligibilitycenter.org](https://eligibilitycenter.org).
- After you graduate, ask your counselor to upload your final official transcript with proof of graduation to your NCAA Eligibility Center account.
- *Reminder:* Only students on an NCAA Division I or II school's institutional request list will receive a certification.