

Eligibility for Athletes (NAIA and NCAA)

Calvin Christian High School

Students planning to participate in athletics at an NAIA or NCAA (Division I or II) school must register and be certified as eligible. (NCAA Division III schools do not require an eligibility form.)

Follow the steps listed below:

- Register sometime between the end of your junior year and the end of your senior year.
NAIA: www.playnaia.org/page/students.php
NCAA: web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3
- Meet the eligibility requirements (available at the websites listed above)
- Take the ACT or SAT and use the appropriate code to have scores sent directly to the Eligibility Center.
NAIA Code: 9876
NCAA Code: 9999
- Request that your transcript be sent after you complete the eligibility form AND again when you graduate.

NAIA REQUIREMENTS

Below are the requirements for students planning to participate in NAIA athletics. For more information: www.playnaia.org/page/eligibility.php

- Achieve a minimum of 18 on the ACT or 860 on the SAT (Critical Reading and Math only).
- Achieve a minimum overall high school GPA of 2.0.

NCAA REQUIREMENTS

Students must complete 16 of the core courses below to be eligible to participate in NCAA Division 1 or Division II athletics. (1-semester courses only count as ½.)

For more information: www.ncaapublications.com/productdownloads/CBSA19.pdf.

(NCAA Division III schools each have their own requirements.)

- Achieve a minimum GPA in the core courses below: 2.3 (DI) or 2.2 (DII)
- Achieve a qualifying SAT or ACT score based on a sliding scale (so the higher your GPA is, the lower your test scores need to be)

ENGLISH (Div. I – 4 years; Div. II – 3 years)

ENGLISH 1

ENGLISH 2/HONORS

ENGLISH 3

ENGLISH 4

AP ENGLISH

CREATIVE WRITING (1 sem.)

HUMANITIES (1 sem.)

NOVELS (1 sem.)

SPEECH (1 sem.)

MATHEMATICS (Div. I – 3 years; Div. II – 2 years)

ALGEBRA 1
ALGEBRA 1A/1B (counts as 1 year)
GEOMETRY

ALGEBRA 2
PRE-CALCULUS HONORS
AP CALCULUS

SOCIAL STUDIES (Div. I – 2 years; Div. II – 2 years)

WORLD HISTORY
US HISTORY
AP US HISTORY
GOVERNMENT (1 sem.)
ECONOMICS (1 sem.)
CIVIL WAR (1 sem.)

CURRENT ISSUES (1 sem.)
MODERN HISTORY (1 sem.)
PSYCHOLOGY (1 sem.)
SOCIOLOGY (1 sem.)
STATE & LOCAL GOVT (1 sem.)
WORLD WAR 2 (1 sem.)

SCIENCE (Div. I – 2 years; Div. II – 2 years)

BIOLOGY
CHEMISTRY
AP BIOLOGY
PHYSICS/HONORS

ANATOMY (1 sem.)
EARTH SCIENCE (1 sem.)
PHYSICAL SCIENCE (1 sem.)

OTHER (Div. I & Div. II – 4 years from any category above or foreign language)

ANY COURSE LISTED ABOVE
SPANISH 1
SPANISH 2

SPANISH 3/HONORS
SPANISH 4
AP SPANISH

ADDITIONAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS***DIVISION I ONLY:***

- 1 extra year of English, math, or science;
- 10 of the 16 core courses must be completed before the start of the seventh semester (i.e. senior year) of high school.
- 7 of the 10 core courses must be English, math or natural or physical science.
- Meet the sliding scale of **core-course** GPA (minimum 2.30) and SAT/ACT sum score

DIVISION II ONLY:

- 3 additional years of English, math, or natural or physical science
- Meet the sliding scale of core-course GPA (minimum 2.20) and SAT/ACT sum score