



# Basketball

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# UIL Athletic Department





# LEAGUE GOVERNANCE

- **Legislative Council** – Rule making body, 32 superintendents, all regions, all conferences represented.
- **State Executive Committee (SEC)** – 12 school administrators appointed by the Commissioner of Education.
- **Waiver Review Board** – 10 person committee, reviews decisions of the UIL Waiver Officer on appeals
- **District Executive Committee (DEC)** – Consists of ONE voting member per school in a given UIL District.



# CONSTITUTION CHANGES

## 2018-2019

- **Coaches Certification Program (CCP)** – Replaces RCP. Coaches can satisfy these requirements by going to TGCA or THSCA and attending sessions or by taking the online modules through the UIL portal.
  - Will have member # scanned in when attending sessions at coaching school.
  - UIL portal is live.
- **Officials Pay** – Moving to a flat fee structure based on travel range up to 120 miles. Starting in August of 2018. Will not be in C&CR section 1204, will be on UIL Sports Officials webpage.



# CONSTITUTION CHANGES

## 2018-2019

- **Fundamentals of Coaching in Texas** – Required of all coaches in the their first year coaching in Texas.
  - NFHS fundamentals course is now only required for coaches who have been ejected.
- **Non-School Participation** – updated document on UIL Athletics homepage.
- **Online PAPF** – starting this summer, schools can use online or paper through January. After January, all PAPF's will be required to be completed online.
- **Eligibility Forms** – Will be in UIL Portal, fillable and will be housed in the portal.
- **Waivers** – Available online now. Can pay waiver fee online.



# CONSTITUTION CHANGES

## 2018-2019

➤ **Player Ejections** – Automatic penalty for a player ejected from a contest.

Penalty is as follows:

- **Football.** Ejected player misses remainder of the game they were ejected from plus the first half of the next game.
- **Other Team Sports.** Ejected player misses remainder of the game they were ejected from plus all of the following game.

	<u>16-17</u>	<u>17-18</u>
REPORTABLE INCIDENTS	374	502
TOTAL FAN EJECTIONS	134	164
TOTAL COACH EJECTIONS	136	128
TOTAL ALLEGED VIOLATIONS	142	94
TOTAL PLAYER EJECTIONS	1614	1586
<b>TOTAL ITEMS WORKED</b>	<b>2,400</b>	<b>2,474</b>





# Future Rule Proposals (October)

- Emergency Action Plan – Proposal will require member schools to have an EAP for each venue that will host practice or contests in the district.
- Catastrophic Reporting – Proposal will require all member schools to report catastrophic injuries that occur in practices or competitions on an online reporting form.





## UIL Staff Studies

- Summer Strength & Conditioning Regulations
  - Allowing 30 days, Monday-Friday, 5-day mandatory shutdown set by UIL calendar.
- Elementary School Leagues – look at changing language that prohibits school districts from forming leagues

# BASKETBALL

## Specific Information



# Participation Numbers

## 2018 BASKETBALL Numbers

### Girls

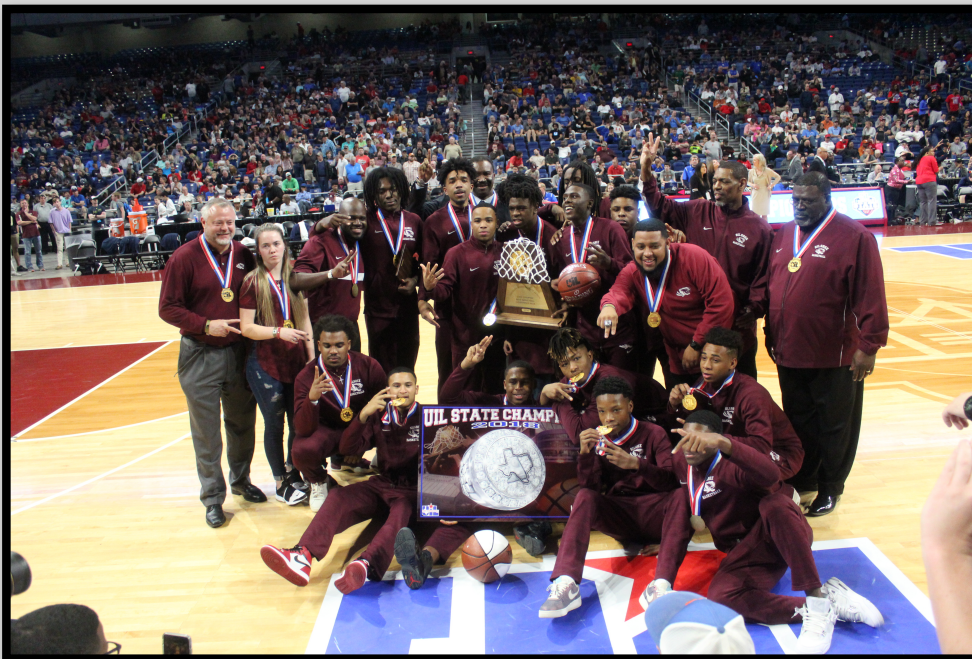
1,497 Teams

53,900 Participants

### Boys

1,523 Teams

65,977 Participants



# ALLOWABLE BASKETBALL CONTESTS

(2018-2019)

- 0 Tournaments and 27 Games or
- 1 Tournament and 25 Games or
- 2 Tournaments and 23 Games or
- 3 Tournaments and 21 Games

2 games may be substituted for a tournament.



# Basketball Scrimmages



Girls Basketball – October 27<sup>th</sup> – first day allowed for scrimmages.

Boys Basketball - November 3<sup>rd</sup> – first day allowed for scrimmages.

Scrimmage – a meeting of not more than four teams for practice purposes, which does not count as a game for any of the teams.

Allowed Scrimmages: Limited to two scrimmages (with up to four participating schools). Only one scrimmage allowed during the school week.

No scrimmages allowed after first inter-school game is played.

# BASKETBALL GAMES



**Games Per Day:** No team can compete in more than two games per day, including tournament games. Exception: Contestants and teams may play three games in a one day tournament scheduled on a Saturday.

## **Games per week:**

- *Matched Games Only.* Two matched games per calendar week.
- *Week of Invitational Tournament.* One matched game during the calendar week of an invitational tournament.
- *Week of a District Tournament.* Two matched games. (to be considered a district tournament, at least three teams shall be assembled at one site for an elimination contest on consecutive days.)

**Double Header.** A student could play two back to back varsity games or in a varsity and sub-varsity game, at the same site, the same night.

- This would count as the two total games the student may play for the calendar week and two of the total games for the season.
- Students may not play in a tournament the same week as they play in a double header.

# GAMES SUBSTITUTED FOR TOURNAMENT

- **Two games may be substituted for a tournament.**
- *Exception When Games are Substituted for Tournaments.* Students may play in three matched games per calendar week under the following conditions:
  - A. Two of the three games are being played instead of a tournament; and
  - B. Two of the three games are on a Friday and a Saturday, or on a night prior to a school holiday and a non-school day.
- Max number of tournaments allowed - 3





# **BASKETBALL PLAN**

## **Invitational Tournaments**



A **tournament** is defined as at least three teams assembled at one site for competition.

- **Invitational Tournament Restriction.** No team shall participate in an invitational basketball tournament held on a Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday, except on school holidays. However, matches or games in tournaments may be played after school on the last day of the school week prior to holidays.
- **Invitational Tournament Exception.** Basketball tournaments may be scheduled on non-consecutive days. A two-day tournament shall not be scheduled on Thursday and Friday. A one-day tournament shall be scheduled on Saturday.

### **Total Number of Matches Allowed in a Tournament.**

- \* 1-day tournament – 3 games
- \* 2-day tournament – 4 games
- \* 3-day tournament – 6 games

**Pool Play** - 4 minute quarters – all 4-minute quarter pool play games played in a day count as one of the two allowable games for the day.

# HOLIDAY RESTRICTION



Schools may not conduct contests or practices, use school facilities, personnel or equipment during five consecutive days of December. Any five consecutive days can be chosen but **must include December 24, 25 and 26** with the following exceptions:

1. When December 26 falls on a Thursday, schools may participate in tournament games on December 26.
2. When December 26 falls on a Thursday, schools must still follow a five-consecutive day restriction, including December 24 and 25.
3. No practice is allowed on any of the five consecutive days.
4. No travel allowed on December 25.
5. If tournament game is scheduled for December 27, travel is allowed on December 26, but no practice is allowed.
6. A team that has a game on December 23 could travel home on December 24 and still be in compliance with this section.
7. Any exceptions to these restrictions when safety concerns exist relative to travel may be requested to the UIL Executive Director or their designee.

# Frequently Asked Questions?



## ➤ **Games and State Testing**

- *Regular season –local district decision*
- *Postseason – cannot play games until the day after testing ends. (ie. last day that primary test is administered is Thursday, that school cannot play until Friday.)*

## ➤ **Games postponed due to weather**

- *May be made up as an exception to the school week limitation provided it is made up on the **next available date**.*

## ➤ **Warm-up Games**

- *Only teams who are district champions **and** have a first round bye in the play-offs are given a game in addition to their season limit.*
- *Teams that have advanced to the playoffs may schedule a warm-up game after the District Certification Date that is set by the UIL calendar and before their first playoff game if a team has not reached their allowable season limit. School week limitations apply. **Note:** These games are scheduled like any other regular season game.*

# COACHING REMINDERS

- **Know Your Rules**
- **Yearly Required Training**
- **Educate / Lead Your Staff**



# Know Your Rules

- **Make sure you have a sport rule book (NFHS, NCAA, USTA, USGA).**
- **Download or print your sport manual**
  - **Manuals include C&CR sport plan language, make sure you are familiar with it.**
- **Download Side by Side Manual**
  - **Will answer questions about no-pass /no-play, eligibility and more.**





# BASKETBALL PLAYING RULES

Playing Rules. The current National Federation Basketball Rules shall govern League basketball. Rule books may be ordered from the NFHS customer service office (800-776-3462) or online at [www.nfhs.org](http://www.nfhs.org).

NFHS rulebooks may also be available for purchase on iTunes, Amazon and other online sites.





## RULE CHANGES 2018 - 2019

**1-12-1c:** It shall have a deeply-pebbled, granulated surface, with horizontally shaped panels bonded tightly to the rubber carcass.

*Rationale: The additional words give manufacturers a better sense of what a deeply-pebbled cover should look like.*

**9-9-1:** A player shall not be the first to touch the ball after it has been in team control in the frontcourt, if he/she or a teammate last touched or was touched by the ball in the frontcourt before it went to the backcourt. EXCEPTION: Any player located in the backcourt may recover a ball deflected from the frontcourt by the defense.

*Rationale: To ensure that a team is not unfairly disadvantaged on a deflected pass.*





## CHANGES & QUESTION ON NFHS RULES

**Coaching Box.** The UIL 14' state association exception to the NFHS 28' coaching box rule has been removed. The coaching box will be 28' starting with the 2018-19 basketball season.

**Uniforms.** By NFHS rule, home jerseys must be white and a contrasting dark color for the visiting team.







# UIL Coach Education and Training Requirements

(State Law)

- CPR and First Aid Training – must have a current certification filed with the district
- AED Training – must have a current certification filed with the district
- Safety Training – training provided by UIL (CCP) program, and must be completed prior to any contact with students
- Concussion Training – training must be completed annually (2 hours every other year/1 hour annually)





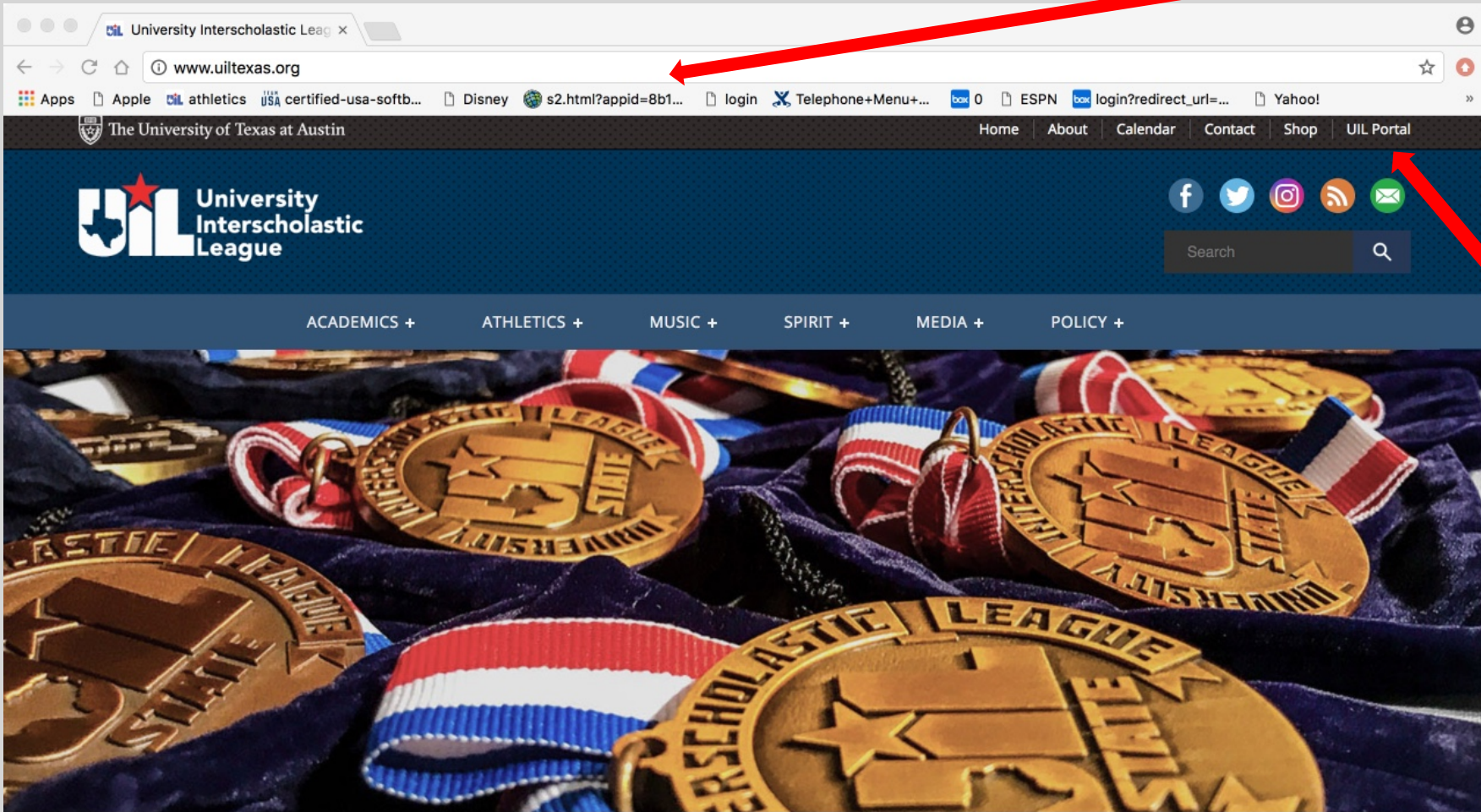
# UIL-CONSTITUTION CHANGES

## *CCP – Coaches Certification Program*

- **UIL Professional Acknowledgement Form– On file with the district (C&CR 1202(j))**
- **Coaches Certification Program (CCP)– online or in-person training (C&CR 1208(i))**
  - 1) Constitution & Contest Rules
  - 2) Ethics
  - 3) UIL Steroid Education
  - 4) Safety Training (state law)
  - 5) Concussion Training (state law)
  - 6) Sport Specific Training – each sport has a separate module
  - 7) **Football Coaches ONLY – Best Practices in Tackling certification**
  - 8) **First Year Coaches ONLY - Fundamentals of Coaching in Texas (C&CR 1202 (L))**

# Accessing the UIL Portal From your desktop

[www.uiltexas.org](http://www.uiltexas.org)



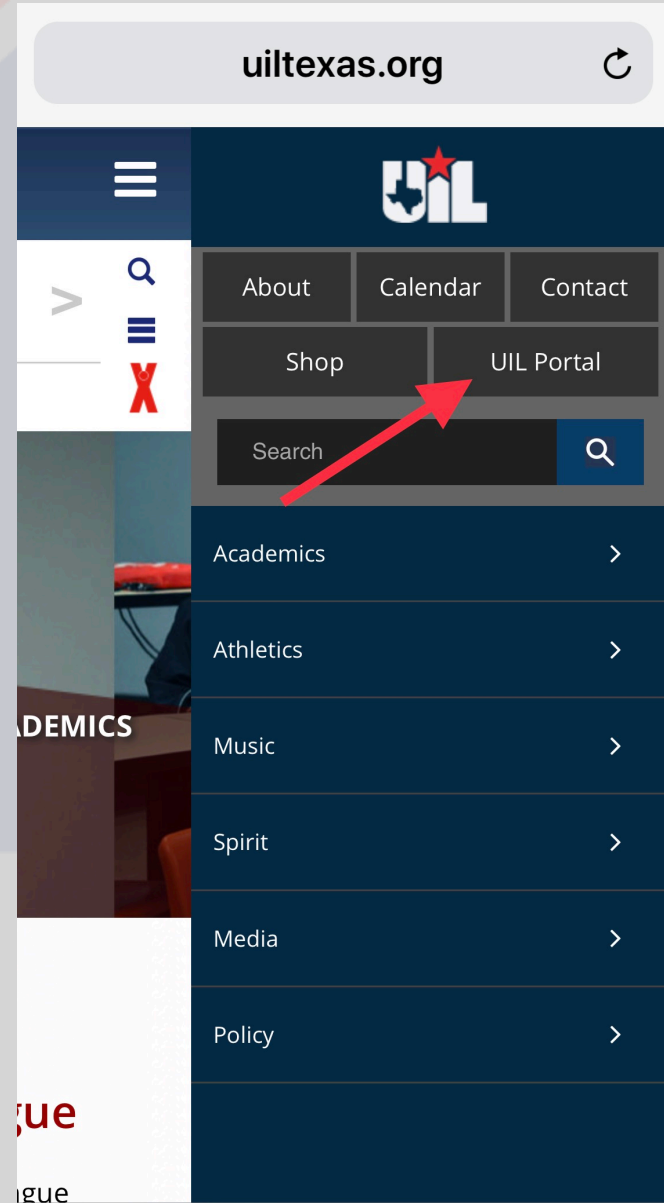
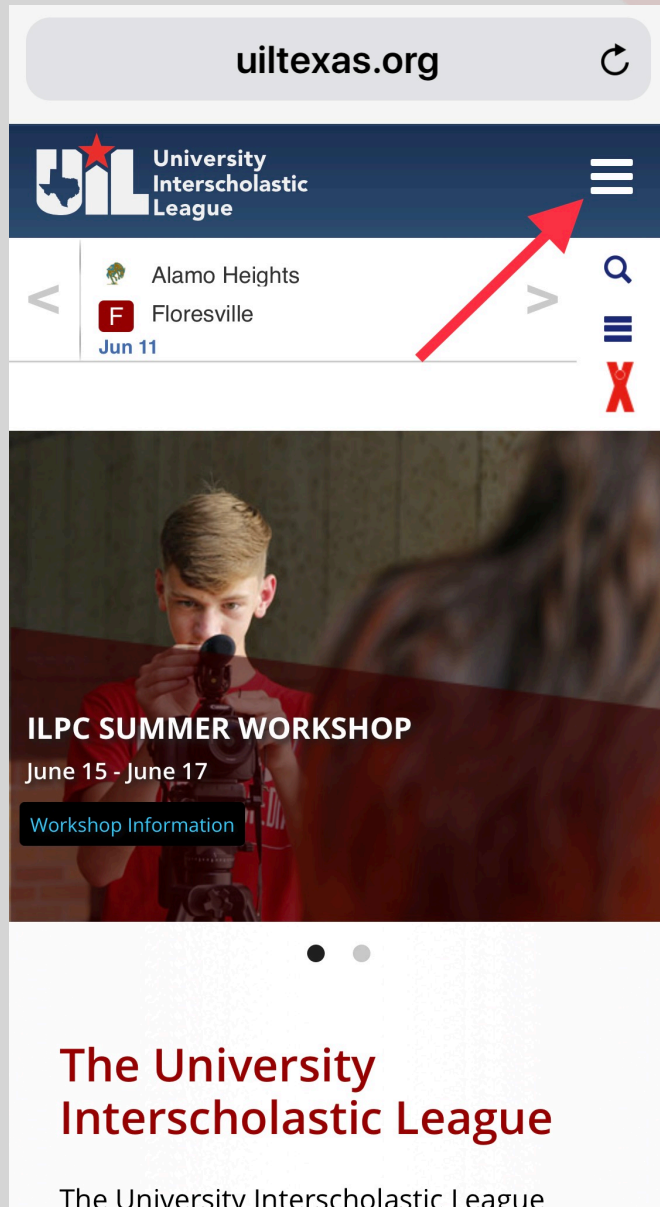
**UIL  
Portal**

## The University Interscholastic League

The University Interscholastic League exists to provide educational extracurricular academic, athletic, and music contests.

# Accessing the UIL Portal

From your phone





# **PRACTICE REGULATIONS**

**(C&CR 1206)**

## **School is In-Session**

- **Eight Hour Rule** - Practice outside the school day, from the beginning of the school week through the end of the school week (excluding holidays), is limiting to a maximum of eight hours per school week per activity.
- The In-School athletic period does not count towards the allotted 8 hours
- Any TIME used in connection with a practice that is not part of the athletic period counts as part of the 8 hours. (Dress, mandatory weights/video/meetings, etc.)



# CONTEST REGULATIONS

➤ High School - One Contest per School Week :

Per activity-Per Student

*Exceptions:* Tournaments, Post-Season, Postponed District Varsity Games

➤ Junior High – 1 Contest Per Calendar week.

Difference between Calendar and School week:

➤ Calendar Week :

- 12:01 am Sunday to midnight Saturday

➤ School Week:

- 12:01 on 1<sup>st</sup> instructional day of the week to close of instruction on the last instructional day of the week

**Know Your  
Sport  
Yearly Game  
Limitations!!  
(See Manual)**

# Eligibility





# ELIGIBILITY

## *Eligibility - 1st Six-Weeks of School Year*

- **Grades nine and below** - promoted
- **Second Year of High School** – five accumulated credits
- **Third Year of High School** - ten accumulated credits or five credits within the last twelve months
- **Fourth Year of High School** - fifteen accumulated credits or five credits within the last twelve months



# ELIGIBILITY

## **Sub-Varsity and Junior High**

An Individual is Eligible to participate if...

### Sub Varsity Eligibility

- Full Time Student
- Academically Eligible

### Junior High Eligibility

- Full Time Student
- Academically Eligible
- Age Appropriate for JH athletic competition



# ELIGIBILITY

## *Varsity Athletics*



- Meets all requirements of Section 400 & 403
- Is an amateur
- Meets Parent Residence Rule
- Meets the Age Rule
- Has not changed schools for athletic purposes
- Previous Athletic Participation Form

# PREVIOUS ATHLETIC PARTICIPATION FORM (PAPF)

*Required for All NEW students in grades 9-12 who have:*

- **Required** if a student practiced or participated with a former school in grades 8-12 in any UIL athletic activity.
- New school must verify that the student meets the **parent residence rule**.
- **District Executive Committee** must determine that student did not move for athletic purposes and approve PAPF before a student is eligible to participate at the varsity level at the new school
- Filed with the UIL.

# Non-school Participation

## (Team Sports)

### Team Sports

*Football, Volleyball, Basketball, Soccer, Baseball, Softball In accordance to Section 1201, 1206 and 1209 regarding non-school competition (leagues, camps, clinics, clubs, tournaments, 7 on 7, lineman challenges) coaches:*

The C&CR **prohibits** the following:

- 1) Coaching students from your attendance zone in grades 7-12.
- 2) Scheduling games between your team and one other team.
- 3) Transporting kids to non-school activities.
- 4) Using school equipment, uniforms or first aid equipment.
- 5) Using school or booster funds.
- 6) Pressuring athletes to play non-school leagues.
- 7) Participating with athletes in their sport.

***\*\*Coaches cannot gain financially from a student's participation in a non-school activity.\*\****





# Non-school Participation

## (Team Sports)

*In accordance to Section 1209 regarding non-school competition (leagues, camps, clinics, clubs, tournaments, 7 on 7) coaches or a group of coaches:*

The C&CR **allows** the following:

- 1) You can supervise the facility.
- 2) You can assist with organization. You are allowed to assign officials, secure facilities, develop schedules, assist with registration and help secure equipment.
- 3) You can assist with the selection of coaches.
- 4) You can assist with the selection of players.
- 5) You can distribute information about non-school activity.
- 6) You can collect registration fees that are made payable to an outside entity (not the school).



# NON-SCHOOL PARTICIPATION

## SUMMER CAMPS (Team Sports)

- Allowed in BASEBALL, BASKETBALL, FOOTBALL, SOCCER, SOFTBALL AND VOLLEYBALL.
- After last day of the school year in May, June, July and before the second Monday in August.
- All students with the exception of students entering their **second, third or fourth** year of high school may attend.
- Instruction can be given by 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade coach from their school district.

\*See Off-Season & Non-School Participation – Section 1209\*

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# NON-SCHOOL PARTICIPATION

## Summer Camps (Team Sports)

- Attendance is limited to no more than six consecutive days.
- School Equipment. Schools may furnish school-owned equipment with the following exceptions:
- For baseball and softball camps, schools may furnish balls, bats, bases, pitching and batting machines, batting helmets and catcher protective equipment. No other baseball or softball equipment may be used.

**\*See Off-Season & Non-School Participation – Section 1209\***

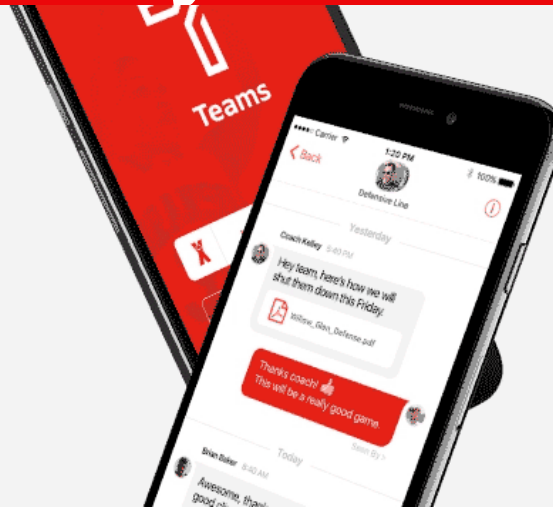
# Miscellaneous Information







# Teams by MaxPreps



**GET THE APP**

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- Send direct or group messages to your athletes, parents and coaches
- Fastest way to report scores to UIL
- Sync your team's schedule with your iOS or Google calendar
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# Links found on UIL Website

- [Constitution & Contest Rules \(C&CR\)](#)
- [TEA-UIL Side-by-Side](#)
- [Athletic Rules \(Sections 1200 through 1210 C&CR\)](#)
- [Rules Violations and Penalties \(Section 1207 C&CR\)](#)
- [Booster Club Guidelines](#)
- [Summer Strength & Conditioning Regulations](#)
- [Non-School Participation Regulations](#)



# Still Have Questions?

- Speak to your Head Coach / Coordinator / AD
- Reference Sport Manuals
- Contact us at the UIL
- Use Our Website
  - [www.uiltexas.org](http://www.uiltexas.org)





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