



ATHLETIC ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS TRANSFERRING SCHOOLS (see reverse for useful information)

This form must be completed by any student who is transferring schools after grade 8 in the Central Okanagan School District, and who wishes to represent their school in inter-school athletic competition.

PLEASE PRINT

Student Name: _____

September Grade: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Attendance Area School: _____

Current School: _____

Requested School: _____

Sports intending to play next school year: _____

Please list the athletic teams played for by grade at school during the last two school years:

School teams: Last year _____

2 yrs ago _____

Parent/Legal Guardian's Name(s): _____

Parent/Legal Guardian's Address: _____

Postal Code: _____ Tel. (Res.) _____ (Bus.) _____

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

This will acknowledge that my son or daughter is applying for a transfer to a different school for the coming school year. Consequently I understand that my son or daughter may not be eligible to play inter-school sports for one year from the date of enrollment at the requested school if this application is approved, since my permanent residence is not located within the attendance area of the school.

Date: _____ Parent/Legal Guardian's Signature _____

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1. Purpose of Form

The purpose of this form is to advise Central Okanagan school students and their parents/legal guardians of the possibility that a student who transfers to a different school for the coming school year may not be allowed to participate in inter-school athletics for one school year at their requested school.

2. Athletic Eligibility Governance

Since the 1996/97 school year, student athletic eligibility has been governed by BC School Sports (BCSS). BCSS has extensive student-athlete eligibility policy and appeal procedures which are outlined in Section III of the BCSS Handbook found under resources on their website (www.bcschoolsports.ca)

3. Initial Athletic Eligibility

A student's eligibility to participate in inter-school sports competitions begins in grade 8 where the student first registers. A student has a total of five years of inter-school sports competition which starts at grade 8.

4. Change of Residence Options

If the parent/legal guardian of a secondary student changes their permanent residence from the attendance area of School A to the attendance area of School B, the student is eligible to participate for School A if they choose to attend School A, or to participate for School B upon registration and attendance at School B.

5. Full-Time Attendance Requirement

To be eligible to participate in inter-school athletic competitions, a student must be enrolled in a full course of studies (75% minimum course load).

6. Questions and Clarifications

Any students or parents who have questions regarding athletic eligibility are recommended to consult with their Athletic Director and/or Principal/Vice-Principal.

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