

**South Dakota High School Activities Association
By Laws**

You Are Not Eligible If:

1. You have reached your 20th birthday.
2. You have attended more than 4 first semesters and 4 second semesters of school in grades 9 through 12.
3. You did not pass 20 hours of high school work per week, in courses approved for graduation for the preceding semester.
4. You are not enrolled in and attend a minimum of 20 hours of high school work per week during the current semester.
5. You have graduated from a regular four-year high school institution of equivalent rank.
6. You have not enrolled by the 16th school day of the current semester. Date of regular entry into classes is considered the date of enrollment.
7. You have been absent from school more than 10 consecutive school days (illness of the student or a death in the immediate family excepted).
8. You have transferred from one high school to another without a corresponding change in the residence of your parents.
9. You do not have on file in the principal's office a signed physical examination and parent's permit form.
10. You have ever participated in an athletic contest under an assumed name.
11. You have ever participated in athletics in any institution of learning of higher rank than a standard secondary school.
12. You have violated your amateur standing.
13. During a high school sport season, you compete as an individual or as a member of another team.
 - A. When a student elects to be a member of a school team, his or her allegiance shall be directed to that team.
 - B. The regular season is defined as that period of time starting with the first allowable practice and ending with the last scheduled game in that sport.
 - C. When a student is a member of a Roncalli athletic squad, he or she may not participate as a member of a non-school team or compete as an individual competitor in the same sport. Participation includes practice as well as games/contests.
 - D. If a student participates in the same sport in a practice, game or contest as a member of any team or as a representative of any organization except Roncalli, or as an individual competitor, he or she becomes ineligible at Roncalli for the remainder of that sports season.
 - E. Participation in an individual or team sport that is not sponsored by Roncalli (e.g. Bowling, Swimming, Racquetball etc.) will not cause the student to lose his or her eligibility.