



ELIGIBILITY CENTER

2022-23 AUTOMATIC INITIAL-ELIGIBILITY WAIVERS

A student-athlete who meets the following criteria will receive an automatic initial-eligibility waiver in the academic certification process, provided the NCAA Eligibility Center has received acceptable proof of graduation and evaluated the account for final certification (except the pre-seventh semester COVID-19 Automatic Waiver). Such relief will be designated in the SA’s Eligibility Center account via the I-E Waiver DI or I-E Waiver DII field.

1. **COVID-19** – Initial Full-Time Enrollment in 2021-22, 2022-23 or 2023-24.

COVID-19 AUTOMATIC WAIVER CRITERIA—2021-22, 2022-23 OR 2023-24 ENROLLMENT*		
Alternative Standard	Division I	Division II
Qualifier Athletics aid, practice and competition.	Complete Academic Record: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » Core-course progression (10/7) before starting 7th semester;** » 16 core-course units in the required subject areas; » > 2.300 core-course GPA; and » Proof of graduation. 	Complete Academic Record: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » 16 core-course units in the required subject areas; » > 2.200 core-course GPA; and » Proof of graduation.
Early Academic Qualifier Athletics aid, practice and competition.	Pre-7th Semester: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » 14 core-course units in the required subject areas; and » > 3.000 core-course GPA. 	Pre-7th Semester: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » 14 core-course units in the required subject areas; and » > 2.500 core-course GPA.
Academic Redshirt Athletics aid (1st year) and practice (1st term).	Complete Academic Record: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> » 16 core-course units in the required subject areas; » > 2.000 core-course GPA; and » Proof of graduation. 	N/A

*Standardized test scores are excluded from these criteria.

**Students certified based solely on international credentials are exempt from the 10/7 core-course progression requirement.

Note: Pre-2021 graduates who have not previously enrolled full time or initially enrolled full time in 2020-21 may be evaluated under the **2020-21 COVID-19 automatic waiver criteria**.

2. Academic Preparedness.

a. Elevated Sliding-Scale Index.

(1) Division I.

- (a) Meets the 10/7 core-course progression requirement (not applicable if certified based entirely on international academic credentials);
- (b) Only deficiency in meeting qualifier requirements is two core-course units or less (max one-unit deficiency in any core subject area); and
- (c) Meets the [elevated sliding-scale index](#).

(2) Division II.

- (a) Only deficiency in meeting qualifier requirements is two core-course units or less (may not include English); and
- (b) Meets the [elevated sliding-scale index](#).

b. Predicted First-Year GPA.

(1) Division I.

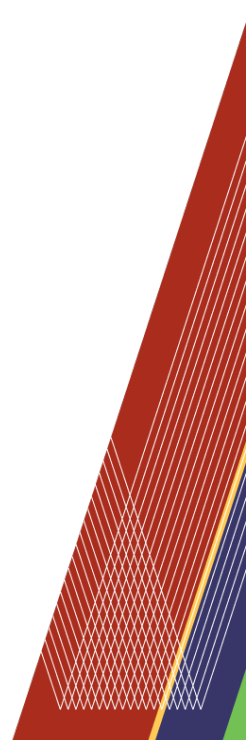
- (a) Meets the 10/7 core-course progression requirement (not applicable if certified based entirely on international academic credentials);
- (b) Only deficiency in meeting qualifier requirements is three core-course units or less; and
- (c) 2.600 or higher predicted first-year GPA using 2022-23 Division I Data Tool (based on the final academic certification for qualifier requirements).

(2) Division II.

- (a) Only deficiency in meeting qualifier requirements is two core-course units or less; and
- (b) 2.600 or higher predicted first-year GPA using 2022-23 Division II Data Tool (based on the final academic certification).

- c. Core Units/GPA (initial full-time enrollment in 2021-22, 2022-23 or 2023-24).
 - (1) Division I.
 - (a) Provides proof of graduation;
 - (b) Meets the 10/7 core-course progression requirement (not applicable if certified based entirely on international academic credentials); and
 - (c) Presents 13 or more core-course units (max three-unit deficiency) with a 2.800 or higher core-course GPA (based on the final academic certification for qualifier requirements).
 - (2) Division II.
 - (a) Provides proof of graduation; and
 - (b) Presents 13 or more core-course units (max three-unit deficiency) with a 2.800 or higher core-course GPA in the final academic certification.
- 3. Pre-Ninth Grade Progression (Divisions I and II).
 - » Presents a max one-unit core-course deficiency in meeting qualifier requirements;
 - » Completed a sequential core course (e.g., Geometry, Spanish II) in grade nine; and
 - » Deficiency would be rectified by the preceding course (e.g., Algebra I, Spanish I).

Note: Only applies to SAs who present solely U.S.-based academic credentials.
- 4. Academic Certification Procedure for Redesigned SAT (Divisions I and II).
 - » Meets qualifier, automatic waiver or academic-redshirt requirements using [NCAA conversion scores](#) for the redesigned SAT (March 2016 and beyond).





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2022-23 NCAA DIVISION I AUTOMATIC WAIVER Elevated Sliding-Scale Index

A student-athlete who (a) meets core-course progression requirements (NCAA Division I Bylaw 14.3.1.1-c), (b) only presents a core-course deficiency of two units or less (max one-unit deficiency in any subject area) in meeting qualifier requirements and (c) meets the following sliding-scale index will receive an automatic initial-eligibility waiver in the academic certification process.

A student-athlete certified based entirely on international credentials must only satisfy requirements (b) and (c) above to receive an automatic waiver.

GPA	NEW SAT TOTAL SCORE*	OLD SAT TOTAL SCORE	ACT
3.375	850	820	68
3.350	870	830	69
3.325	880	840	70
3.300	890	850	70
3.275	910	860	71
3.250	920	870	72
3.225	930	880	73
3.200	950	890	74
3.175	960	900	75
3.150	970	910	76
3.125	980	920	77
3.100	990	930	78
3.075	1000	940	79
3.050	1010	950	80
3.025	1020	960	81
3.000	1030	970	82
2.975	1040	980	83
2.950	1050	990	84
2.925	1060	1000	85
2.900	1060	1010	86
2.875	1070	1020	86
2.850	1080	1030	87

GPA	NEW SAT TOTAL SCORE*	OLD SAT TOTAL SCORE	ACT
2.825	1090	1040	88
2.800	1110	1050	89
2.775	1120	1060	90
2.750	1130	1070	91
2.725	1140	1080	93
2.700	1150	1090	94
2.675	1160	1100	95
2.650	1170	1110	96
2.625	1180	1120	97
2.600	1190	1130	98
2.575	1200	1140	99
2.550	1210	1150	100
2.525	1220	1160	101
2.500	1230	1170	102
2.475	1240	1180	103
2.450	1250	1190	104
2.425	1260	1200	105
2.400	1270	1210	107
2.375	1280	1220	108
2.350	1300	1230	109
2.325	1300	1240	110
2.300	1310	1250	111

*Redesigned SAT (March 2016 and Beyond).



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2022-23 NCAA DIVISION II AUTOMATIC WAIVER

Elevated Sliding-Scale Index

A student-athlete who (a) only presents a core-course deficiency of two units or less (may not include English) in meeting qualifier requirements and (b) meets the following sliding-scale index will receive an automatic initial-eligibility waiver in the academic certification process.

GPA	NEW SAT TOTAL SCORE*	OLD SAT TOTAL SCORE	ACT
4.000	420	420	39
3.975	430	430	40
3.950	440	440	41
3.925	450	450	41
3.900	460	460	42
3.875	470	470	42
3.850	480	480	43
3.825	490	490	44
3.800	500	500	44
3.775	510	510	45
3.750	520	520	46
3.725	530	530	46
3.700	540	540	47
3.675	550	550	47
3.650	560	560	48
3.625	570	570	49
3.600	580	580	49
3.575	590	590	50
3.550	600	600	50
3.525	610	610	51
3.500	620	620	52
3.475	630	630	52
3.450	640	640	53
3.425	650	650	53
3.400	660	660	54
3.375	670	670	55
3.350	680	680	56
3.325	690	690	56
3.300	700	700	57
3.275	710	710	58
3.250	720	720	59
3.225	730	730	60
3.200	740	740	61
3.175	750	750	61
3.150	760	760	62
3.125	770	770	63
3.100	780	780	64

GPA	NEW SAT TOTAL SCORE*	OLD SAT TOTAL SCORE	ACT
3.075	800	790	65
3.050	820	800	66
3.025	830	810	67
3.000	850	820	68
2.975	870	830	69
2.950	880	840	70
2.925	890	850	70
2.900	910	860	71
2.875	920	870	72
2.850	930	880	73
2.825	950	890	74
2.800	960	900	75
2.775	970	910	76
2.750	980	920	77
2.725	990	930	78
2.700	1000	940	79
2.675	1010	950	80
2.650	1020	960	81
2.625	1030	970	82
2.600	1040	980	83
2.575	1050	990	84
2.550	1060	1000	85
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2.475	1080	1030	87
2.450	1090	1040	88
2.425	1110	1050	89
2.400	1120	1060	90
2.375	1130	1070	91
2.350	1140	1080	93
2.325	1150	1090	94
2.300	1160	1100	95
2.275	1170	1110	96
2.250	1180	1120	97
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