

Maine Principals' Association
Request for a Student-Athlete Eligibility Waiver Hearing

The top half of this form is to be used when requesting a waiver for a student-athlete. Once this form is received, you will be notified of the date and time of the scheduled hearing.

Name of School Requesting Waiver: _____

Name of Student: _____ Grade nine enrollment date: _____

Type of Waiver Request (refer to page 14-16 of the MPA Handbook):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Eight Semester Rule | <input type="checkbox"/> Four Seasons of Competition Rule |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Rule | <input type="checkbox"/> 20-Year-Old Rule |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe) _____ | |

The Eligibility Committee must have sufficient information at its disposal to make an informed judgment. Please forward this completed form and attach the following information:

- A detailed, written request signed by the principal.
- A complete academic transcript, including dates of attendance at all high schools attended.
- A copy of the guardianship document (if applicable).
- Signed statements in support of the waiver request (school staff members, parents, medical personnel and/or other verifying parties). Any medical information must be documented in writing including diagnosis and medication if prescribed or it will not be accepted as evidence.

Signature of Principal Requesting Hearing: _____

Your request for a waiver has been placed on the Eligibility Committee's next meeting scheduled for _____ at _____ at the MPA office. The committee recommends that a representative of the school be present at the meeting to present the request for a waiver. The student and/or his/her representatives are entitled to be in attendance also.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Waiver Approved: | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eight Semester Rule | <input type="checkbox"/> Four Seasons of Competition Rule |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer Rule | <input type="checkbox"/> 20-Year-Old Rule |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other | |

The student-athlete has selected to participate in _____.

- Waiver Denied (You may appeal the decision of the Eligibility Committee by following the process outlined in the MPA Bylaws, Article VIII, Sections 1 and 2.

Executive Director: _____ Date: _____