## NCAA Requirements for 2022 Graduates and Beyond

College-bound student athletes will need to meet the following academic requirements to practice, receive athletic scholarships, and/or compete during their first year of college.

## Summary

- Minimum <u>core-course</u> GPA of 2.30 required for competition.
- 10 of the required 16 Core Courses must be completed by the beginning of senior year. (Seven must be in the area of English, Math, or Science). These 10 core courses become "locked in" for the purpose of core-course GPA calculation.
- Division 1 uses a sliding scale to match SAT/ACT test scores and your Core Course GPA. The sliding scale can be found under the Resources section on the NCAA Eligibility Center Website.

## Summary of Core Courses

All students must graduate from high school \* on time and complete a minimum of <u>16 core courses</u>. \*Students must pass and complete all schoolwork by the last day of senior classes.

## **Division 1 Core Course Breakdown**

- 4 years of English
- 3 years of Math (Algebra, Geometry, Trig & Algebra 2, Pre Calculus, Calculus, Algebra2/Functions, Statistics) (Transitional Algebra and Intermediate Algebra are <u>NOT</u> core courses)
- 2 years of natural or physical science
- 1 extra year of English, math, or natural or physical science
- 2 years of social science
- 4 years of extra core courses from any category above, foreign language, or philosophy

\*Theology is not considered a core course for NCAA

