



Gloucester County Public Schools

2.0 Grade Point Average Waiver For Interscholastic Competition

School Board Policy JFC-R the Student Code of Conduct requires that in addition to meeting all Virginia High School League eligibility standards participants must also meet a required 2.0 grade point average (GPA). This average can be from the final semester grades before the activity or the student's cumulative GPA average. Students who meet all other eligibility criteria, except the GPA regulation, are allowed a one-semester waiver during their middle school years and one semester waiver of the regulation during their high school years. The application is below. This waiver can only be used ONCE per student.

I choose to use this ONE TIME 2.0 GPA Waiver to participate during the semester and season indicated below:

Name of Student & Student ID Number

Signature of Student

Name of Parent/Guardian

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Semester

School

Sport/Activity

Signature of Coach

Signature of Principal

Signature of Activities Director

Date of Application Acceptance

CANCELATION OF 2.0 GPA WAIVER

Instructions: Waiver may be cancelled at the request of the participant's parent/guardian as long as the following signatures are obtained prior to the student's participation in competition.

Please cancel the waiver previously approved for _____ semester/sport _____ year.
Date _____

Signature of Student

Signature of Principal

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Signature of Activities Director



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For Student Athletes and Parents of Student Athletes requesting a 2.0 waiver:

According to the Virginia High School League, a student athlete must pass 3 or more classes the semester before the desired sport season. (3 of 4 when in a 4 x 4 schedule) In addition, the Gloucester County School Board requires that student athletes must have at least a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) from the previous semester or have a 2.0 overall GPA. The waiver is a one-time chance; a student cannot use more than one waiver throughout high school.

If someone chooses to use the waiver, the following actions need to be completed:

Complete this form with **ALL** of the required signatures and turn it to the Athletic Director at Gloucester High School for final approval. **In order to request the eligibly waiver a student must have between a 1.5 and 1.99 GPA.**

Deadline Dates for each season:

- **Fall – July 15th**
- **Winter – November 1st**
- **Spring – February 14th**

The waiver is a **one-time opportunity** to extend student athletic participation, and the students grades must be maintained above a 2.0 after this application is turned in. Once the application is turned in this is agreeing to use the waiver, regardless if the athlete does not make a team or changes his or her mind.

Please see GHS Athletic Director Ms. Hunter or your counselor if you have questions.

Ms. Hunter

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