

Interscholastic Sports (Adding or Deleting a Sport)

Additions or deletions of interscholastic sports to or from the athletic program of any school must be approved by the superintendent.

The building level administration will track “expressed interest” in sports made by students, evaluate the level of competition appropriate to each sport and make recommendations as necessary to the superintendent.

The building level administrators at schools with interscholastic competition will conduct a formal student survey every five years to receive input concerning student interest in interscholastic sports.

A sport may be added when the following criteria are met:

1. A sufficient number of students express interest in participating in a particular sport not currently being offered.
2. Appropriate facilities are available.
3. Regional competition exists in this sport.

Consideration for deletion of a sport from the athletic program of a school will be based on the adverse of the above criteria.

Participation rates of both boys and girls will be considered before adding or deleting any sports. Comparable sports opportunities will be maintained for both boys and girls.

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