

Kingman High School, as a voluntary member of the Arizona Interscholastic Association, pledges to support and uphold the rules and regulations of the organization. The following is a summary of the AIA and Kingman High School rules that will be enforced during each season of a sport/activity. The cited disciplinary action would be in addition to any other disciplinary measures taken by the school.

RULE 1: Age Limit

If a student becomes 19 years of age on or before September 1st of the current school year, he/she is not eligible to participate in interscholastic athletics. Prior to participation at the varsity level, a birth certificate must be on file in the athletic office.

RULE 2: Date of Enrollment

In order to establish eligibility, a student's initial enrollment shall be no later than the fourteenth official school day of the semester.

RULE 3: Scholarship

A student must be enrolled in a minimum of 5 courses per semester. Exception: A student must be enrolled in a minimum of 4 courses during the 7th and 8th semesters, i.e. the senior year.

RULE 4: Amateur Standing

Each student representing his school in any interscholastic contest, shall be an amateur; one who has not used, or is not using, his/her athletic skill or knowledge of athletics for personal gain. He/she shall always have participated under his/her own name.

RULE 5: Participation Only on School Team

A student who is a member of a school team shall not practice or compete with any other group, club, organization, association, etc. in that sport during the interscholastic season of competition. This rule applies to team sports only; football, baseball, soccer, basketball, volleyball, softball, track relay and swim relay teams. Any student violating the above rule shall forfeit his/her eligibility for a minimum of the balance of the season for that sport or up to a maximum of one calendar year.

RULE 6: Maximum Participation Rule

After a student first enrolls in the ninth grade, he/she has a maximum of eight semesters of opportunity and a maximum of four seasons of opportunity in each sport or activity. The seventh and eighth semesters must be consecutive.

RULE 7: Semester Attendance

If a student has been enrolled 15 school days or more during any semester/trimester or has participated in any interscholastic contest while enrolled in school, he/she shall be counted as having been enrolled in school that semester/trimester.

RULE 8: Residence Requirements

A student, whether an adult or not, is privileged with eligibility only at the school in the district in which his/her parents are domiciled.

RULE 9: Transfers

After enrolling and attending one or more classes, a student changing enrollment from one school to another school shall be considered a transferring student. Transferring students shall be eligible to participate in interscholastic competition at the school to which he/she transfers provided there is a corresponding change of domicile of parent(s). For an explanation of exceptions to this rule, please contact the school athletic administrator.

RULE 10: Sportsmanship

If an AIA contest official determines that a coach or player has acted in an unsportsmanlike manner during either a period or intermission, the coach or player may be ordered to leave the contest. Penalties for ejection:

Any person ejected from a contest shall not participate the remainder of that day.

First ejection - Ineligible for the next contest at level of competition and all other contests during that interim at any level.

Second ejection - Ineligible for the next two contests at that level of competition and all other contests during that interim at any level.

Third Ejection - Student will not be allowed to participate for remainder of season.

End-of-Season Ejection - If a penalty is imposed at the end of the sport season and no contest remains, the penalty shall be enforced at the beginning of the subsequent season of competition in which the player/coach participates.

RULE 11: Physical Examination

A student is not eligible to practice or compete in any interscholastic activity until there is on file with the athletic director a record of a physical examination performed by one of the following: M.D., D.O., P.A.C., C.F.N.P. The record shall state that the examiner did not find any medical reason to disqualify the student from practice or competition in athletic contests. The exam for the following school year shall be given on or after March 1.

RULE 12: Insurance

No student will be allowed to practice or take part in interscholastic activities without the proof/waiver of insurance form on file with the athletic director.

RULE 13: Consent for Emergency Care

No student will be allowed to practice or take part in interscholastic activities without a parental consent form on file with the athletic director.

RULE 14: Summer Camps/Clinics

Students attending individual or team camps in which KHS coaches are involved or KUSD transportation is used will be held accountable for behavior considered detrimental to Kingman High School.

RULE 15: Daily Attendance

If a student is absent from school he/she will not be allowed to practice or participate in any extra-curricular function that day or evening. A student must attend a minimum of four class periods on the day of the activity in order to participate. Exceptions may be granted by a school administrator for doctor appointments or other emergencies. Friday attendance determines weekend eligibility. Participation in a weeknight activity is not an excuse for absence the following day.

RULE 16: Concurrent Sports

Where sports run concurrently, the initial choice of a sport is the athlete's. He/she by his/her choice may change from one sport to another if the change is made before the first permissible day of scheduled contest. Any changes after this date would be made only with the concurrence of the two coaches involved.

For complete explanation of the rules and regulations stated on this form, please consult with the school principal or the athletic director.

RULE 17: Overlapping Sports

When seasons overlap, a student may **not** drop a current sport to begin another.

RULE 18: Travel

On trips, participants directly represent the school, student body, community, and their parents. Good conduct is the only thing that will be tolerated. Dress will be appropriate to the activity and at the direction of the coach/sponsor. All trips to and from activities by students will be made by school transportation unless, due to hardship, injury or parental request, special permission is obtained from a school administrator.

RULE 19: Alcohol, Tobacco and Drugs

Student use or possession of tobacco, drugs and/or alcohol in any form, at any time, on or off campus, during a season or activity will result in automatic suspension from the activity for the remainder of the season. A second offense will result in suspension from all sports or activities for the school year during which the fractions occurred.

I have read the rules summarized on this sheet and agree to abide by the rules stated .

Parent signature indicates an understanding of the rules stated on this sheet.

Yes, I give permission to release student information that is relevant to the activity in which the student is participating.

No, do not release student information.

Student's Name (please print)

Student's Signature

Date

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date