

Non-School Competition during the School Sport Season

The WIAA rule regarding participation in non-school competition during the school sport season in the same sport states:

Article VI – Non-school Participation
Section 1 – In-Session

A. It is the philosophy of this Association that a student owes loyalty and allegiance to the school and team of which he/she is a member during the season of a given sport. Athletes may compete in not more than **two non-school competitions** with school approval during each regular sport season. The contest(s) will not count against the individual maximum for the athlete in that sport. Non-school competition **will not** be allowed during the respective WIAA tournament series in a sport. A student becomes ineligible in a sport for the remainder of the season for the competing in more than **two non-school games, meets or contests** in the same sport during the season of practice and competition established by the school. The penalty may be reduced upon request of the school on the basis of documented extenuation circumstances.

For Additional rules including reporting late, see Rules of Eligibility, Article VI, Sections 1 & 2 and Amateur Status rules with the athlete, see Rules of Eligibility, Article IV, Section 1.

Counting the contests for high school: The determination of competition is made in the manner that the particular sport maximum limits and individual limits are determined. Cross country, swimming, track, gymnastics, and golf is counted as a meet. Wrestling, tennis and volleyball may be a dual or a tournament. Baseball, softball, football, soccer, basketball and hockey can only be two games and could not be a tournament with four games.

Counting the events for middle school: Events in MS are defined as either a contest or tournament.

Keep in mind that school approval must be requested before the non-school competition.

Name of Student _____

Name of Competition _____

Sponsor of Competition _____

Date of Competition _____ Location of Competition _____

Sport _____ Start Date of Session _____ First WIAA Tournament Date _____

Non-School Competitions This Season (Circle One) 1 2 Regular Season (Circle One) Yes No

Type of Competition (Circle One): Contest Tournament

Student Name _____ Date _____

Parent Name _____ Date _____

_____ Approved

_____ Denied Reason _____

Head Coach _____ Date _____

Athletic Director _____ Date _____