

Eligibility

Charles City County Public Schools Academic Requirements for Interscholastic Activities  
Participation in Virginia High School League Competition

1. Athletic and academic competition sponsored by the Virginia High School League are covered by this regulation.
2. To be eligible to participate in interscholastic activities governed by this regulation, effective August 1, 2005, the student must have the following Grade Point Average (GPA) beginning with a 2.0 GPA and increasing over a three-year period to a 3.0 GPA:
  - a. For School Year 2005-2006, a GPA of 2.0.
  - b. For School Year 2006-2007, a GPA of 2.5.
  - c. For School Year 2007-2008, a GPA of 2.75.
  - d. For School Year 2008-2009, a GPA of 3.0, effective thereafter.
3. The following guidelines will be implemented:
  - a. A 2.0 GPA will be required for participation in all VHSL sanctioned activities for the 2005-2006 school year.
  - b. A 2.0 GPA is defined as a grade point average of 2.0 on a scale where an AA@ mark earns 4 points, a AB@ earns 3 points, a AC@ earns 2 points, a AD@ earns 1 point, and a failing grade earns no points. Weighted grades will be considered when determining whether or not a participant maintains a 2.0 GPA. The previous semester grades will be used to determine participation in VHSL sanctioned activities.
  - c. The GPA will be based on all courses taken for credit.
  - d. The GPA will be based on semester grades.
  - e. The grading scale shall be the current scale used by Charles City County Public Schools.
  - f. Transfer students shall be eligible for participation if they have the required GPA for Charles City County Public Schools.
  - g. Students shall have one waiver per their middle school participation, grades 6 - 8, and one waiver during their high school eligibility, grades 9 -

12, if they fall below the minimum GPA requirement and meet VHSL standards.

- h. Students who receive a waiver must participate in the school's remediation program.
- i. Students who are special education classified and working towards a Standard Diploma or a Modified Standard Diploma will be required to have the mandatory grade point average in order to participate in VHSL sanctioned activities. Students with IEPs who do not have the required grade point average will have their cases reviewed on a case-by-case basis by the Superintendent of Schools.
- j. Students who have a cumulative average above the 2.0 GPA, but fall below a 2.0 GPA for the semester, will be allowed to average the semester average with the cumulative average. If the cumulative average is still above 2.0 GPA, the student shall be allowed to participate.

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