

Socorro Independent School District  
Department of Athletics  
**UIL Eligibility Calendar  
2019-2020**

Revised: 7/20/19

<p>Jul. 29 (Mon) First Day of School- 1<sup>st</sup> Six Weeks Begin Eligibility for the 1<sup>st</sup> Six Weeks: 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, &amp; 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Students: Promoted from previous grade. 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Students: earned 5 credits during previous 12 months. 11<sup>th</sup> Grade Students: earned 10 credits or 5 credits during previous 12 months. 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Students: earned 15 credits or 5 credits during previous 12 months. Exceptions are noted for migrant, out-of-state transfer, special education students, and/or those who earned 5 credits during the previous 12 months.</p> <p>Sept. 6 (Fri) End of 1<sup>st</sup> Six Weeks. Mandatory 6-weeks grade check. Ineligible students can gain eligibility if passing all classes and previously eligible students can lose eligibility if failing any class.</p> <p>Sept. 13 (Fri) Eligibility Action Date based on 1<sup>st</sup> Six Weeks grades. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Sept. 27 (Fri) End of 1<sup>st</sup> Nine Weeks Grading Period Start Fall Intersession. All students academically eligible beginning at the end of the school day.</p> <p>Oct. 15 (Tue) Start of Second Nine Weeks. Students resume eligibility status based on Sept. 27<sup>th</sup> status.</p> <p>Oct. 22 (Tue) Eligibility Action Day based on 1<sup>st</sup> Nine Weeks grades. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Nov. 1 (Fri) Grade Check for students who failed one or more classes at the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> Nine Weeks.</p> <p>Nov. 8 (Fri) Gain eligibility at end of school day. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Nov. 22 (Fri) Grade Check for students who failed one or more classes at end of 1<sup>st</sup> Nine Weeks and did not regain eligibility on Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>.</p> <p>Nov. 25-29 (Mon- Fri) <b>Thanksgiving Holiday All Students Academically Eligible</b></p> <p>Dec. 9 (Mon) Gain eligibility at end of school day. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS- 4:00 p.m.</p>	<p>Dec 20 (Fri) End of 2<sup>nd</sup> Nine Weeks Grading. Period. Start of Winter Break. All students academically eligible beginning at the end of the school day. 3:15- MS HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Jan. 8 (Wed) Start of 3<sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks. Students resume eligibility status based on Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> status.</p> <p>Jan. 15 (Wed) Eligibility Action Day based on 2<sup>nd</sup> Nine Weeks grades. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Jan. 27 (Mon) Grade Check for students who failed one or more classes at the end of 2<sup>nd</sup> Nine Weeks.</p> <p>Feb. 3 (Mon) Gain eligibility at end of the school day. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Feb. 14 (Fri) Grade Check for students who failed one or more classes at the end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Nine Weeks.</p> <p>Feb. 21 (Fri) Gain eligibility at end of the school day. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Mar. 6 (Fri) End of 3<sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks Grading Period. Start of Spring Intersession. All students eligible beginning at the end of the school day. HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Mar. 24 (Tue) Start of the 4<sup>th</sup> Nine Weeks Grading Period. Students resume eligibility status based on February 21<sup>st</sup> status.</p> <p>Mar. 31 (Tue) Eligibility Action Day based on 3<sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks Grades. MS- 3:15 p.m. HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>Apr. 13 (Mon) Grade check for students who failed one or more classes at end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks.</p> <p>Apr. 20 (Mon) Gain eligibility at end of the school day. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS- 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>May 1 (Fri) Grade Check for students who failed one or more classes at end of 3<sup>rd</sup> Nine Weeks and did not regain eligibility on Mar. 24<sup>th</sup>.</p>	<p>May 8 (Fri) Gain eligibility at end of school day. MS- 3:15 p.m.; HS 4:00 p.m.</p> <p>May 28 (Thu) End of 4<sup>th</sup> Nine Weeks Grading Period. All students academically eligible beginning at the end of the school day. HS- 4:00 p.m.</p>
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**Eligibility:**

An SISD student is eligible to compete in a varsity athletic contest if he/she:

1. Is a full-time day student (enrolled for at least four hours of credits per day or if in a block scheduling program for 40 hours of credit over a 10-day period).
2. Has been in attendance since the 6<sup>th</sup> day of school or at least 15 calendar days.
3. Initially enrolled in the 9<sup>th</sup> grade not more than four years ago.
4. Is less than nineteen years old on Sept. 1, or has been granted eligibility based on disability.
5. Is in compliance with state graduation requirements.
6. Is a member of the resident school district and of the high school attendance zone, or has been continuously enrolled for 365 days.
7. Did not move for athletic purposes.
8. Maintains amateur status.

Specific questions regarding eligibility can be posed to the SISD Athletic Director at 937-0506.

**Previous Athletic Participation Form:**

A current form must be completed by any incoming grade 9-12 athlete who participated the previous year at a different school.

As pre district policy, an incoming 9<sup>th</sup> grade student who lives in the high school attendance zone in which he/she is enrolled in does not need to complete a PAPF.

- Students ineligible due to 2018-2019 grades/credits may begin competition on September 13, 2019, if they are passing all classes September 6, 2019.
- Students eligible to play during intersessions.
- Eligibility Action Dates take effect at end of school day (middle school 3:15 p.m. or high school 4:00 p.m.)