



# Kansas State University

Academic Learning Center



## NCAA Initial-Eligibility Standards

### Division I: 2008 and Later

If you enroll in a Division I college in 2008 or later and want to participate in athletics or receive an athletics scholarship during your first year, you must:

- Graduate from high school.
- Complete these **16 core courses**
  - 4 years of English
  - 3 years of math (algebra I or higher)
  - 2 years of natural or physical science (including one year of lab science if offered by your high school)
  - 1 extra year of English, math or natural or physical science
  - 2 years of social science
  - 4 years of extra core courses (from any category above, or foreign language, nondoctrinal religion or philosophy)
- Earn a minimum grade-point average in your core courses that matches or exceeds the test index.
- Earn a SAT or ACT sum score that matches your core-course grade-point average and test score sliding scale to the right.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Not all courses at your high school will count as core courses. Please check your high school's list of approved core courses at the Clearinghouse's Web site, [www.ncaaclearinghouse.net](http://www.ncaaclearinghouse.net) or ask your high school counselor.

### Additional Information

A student's ACT or SAT test scores can only be sent by ACT or SAT, the high school can no longer send a student's scores. The easiest way to get this done is to add the Clearinghouse Code **9999** to the list of schools you would like to receive the score.

**Amateurism Certification** – A student must also be certified as an amateur through the Clearinghouse. The Clearinghouse has been split into two parts, initial-eligibility and amateurism. A student must be certified from both to be eligible to compete at a Division I institution. Log on to the amateurism section of the Clearinghouse after November 20, 2006.

Core GPA	SAT	ACT
3.550 & above	400	37
3.525	410	38
3.500	420	39
3.475	430	40
3.450	440	41
3.425	450	41
3.400	460	42
3.375	470	42
3.350	480	43
3.325	490	44
3.300	500	44
3.275	510	45
3.250	520	46
3.225	530	46
3.200	540	47
3.175	550	47
3.150	560	48
3.125	570	49
3.100	580	49
3.075	590	50
3.050	600	50
3.025	610	51
3.000	620	52
2.975	630	52
2.950	640	53
2.925	650	53
2.900	660	54
2.875	670	55
2.850	680	56
2.825	690	56
2.800	700	57
2.775	710	58
2.750	720	59
2.725	730	59
2.700	730	60
2.675	740-750	61
2.650	760	62
2.625	770	63
2.600	780	64
2.575	790	65
2.550	800	66
2.525	810	67
2.500	820	68
2.475	830	69
2.450	840-850	70
2.425	860	70
2.400	860	71
2.375	870	72
2.350	880	73
2.325	890	74
2.300	900	75
2.275	910	76
2.250	920	77
2.225	930	78
2.200	940	79
2.175	950	80
2.150	960	80
2.125	960	81
2.100	970	82
2.075	980	83
2.050	990	84
2.025	1000	85
2.000	1010	86