



Focus Program

BNAAC ACADEMIC PROGRAM

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So you want to be a Student Athlete

- ▶ Objective: Providing the resources needed to adequately prepare our athletes to be in good academic standing in preparation for recruitment into college/university.
 - ▶ High School Academic timeline
 - ▶ Educational sessions for parents and athletes
 - ▶ SAT prep
 - ▶ Tutoring
 - ▶ Sessions for navigating the application/clearing house process
 - ▶ Athletic counseling
 - ▶ Partnership with high school counsellors

High School Academic Timeline

- ▶ This will be the blueprint for how we move forward as our athletes enter into their high school experience.
 - ▶ 9th Grade / S1: Register – start on the right track taking the appropriate classes and encourage good academic standing. Create a profile at eligibilitycenter.org and explore approved core courses
 - ▶ 10th Grade/ S2: Continuing to remain in good academic standing. Monitoring task list on Eligibility Center account for next steps.
 - ▶ 11th Grade/ S3: Checking in with counselor to make sure they're on track to complete approved core courses. Take the SAT/ACT and submit scores to profile. Obtain official transcript at end of year. Begin application prep and sending letters to interested schools/programs.
 - ▶ 12th Grade/ S4: Work to complete all courses. Re-sit SAT/ACT if necessary. Request amateurism certification April 1st. Submission of final transcript after graduation for clearance.

Educational Sessions

- ▶ Providing informational sessions on what to expect, what is expected of our high school students, and establish plans for their individual growth.
 - ▶ How can we assist?
 - ▶ What tools are needed for the athletes to excel?
 - ▶ Study Hall: Twice weekly post training optional study hall possibly from 4:00-6:00pm and 6:30-8pm.
 - ▶ Tutoring Sessions: Either during study hall hours or individual Zoom sessions with our team of educational professional/proficient former athletes.
 - ▶ Facilitating sign up for SAT/ ACT preparation sessions

Athletic Counseling

- ▶ Collaborating with the High School Counsellors
 - ▶ Academic counselors will bridge the gap between athletic and academic endeavors and make sure they're progressing simultaneously.
 - ▶ Academic counselors will make sure the athletes are on track with academic timeline and recommend interventions in the event that athlete is off track.

Navigating Applications/Clearinghouse

- ▶ Providing services to help our Gr 11/ S3 and Gr12 / S4 with being able create and organize:
 - ▶ interest letters
 - ▶ program research
 - ▶ shortlisting of programs of interest
 - ▶ application process
 - ▶ clearing house
 - ▶ college/university visits etc.