



COMPLIANCE NEWSLETTER

FALL 2015

STUDENT-ATHLETE EMPLOYMENT

Student-athletes are allowed to earn income from employment during the semester and vacation periods as long as the compensation is at the going rate and is provided for work actually performed. NO compensation may be earned due to the value, publicity or fame as a student-athlete. If you have a job or are planning on getting a job, you must complete the [Student-Athlete Employment Form](#).

Student-athletes may teach lessons for pay. Please fill out the [Fee-For-Lessons Form](#) and return it to the Compliance Office.

DEGREE PROGRESS AND ELIGIBILITY

It is important to remember the NCAA academic eligibility requirements to maintain your eligibility. All student-athletes must meet:

- 24 SH completed by the beginning of second year
- 18 SH every academic year (Fall and Spring semesters)
- 6 SH in the previous term (Fall or Spring semesters)

Degree progress rates are also required for eligibility.

They are:

- 40% degree completion before Year 3
- 60% before Year 4
- 80% before Year 5

Cumulative GPA requirements are:

- 1.8 entering Year 2
- 1.9 entering Year 3
- 2.0 entering Year 4 & beyond

Also, look at the Big Ten's requirements [here!](#)



SOCIAL NETWORKING

Be careful what you post on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and other social networks! Recruiting violations may occur if you tweet that you are hosting a specific recruit on a visit. Also, remember that your social networking pages are representations of YOU. Think twice before posting or tweeting something that reflects poorly on you, your team, or The University of Iowa.

**WIN. GRADUATE.
DO IT RIGHT.**



REMINDER: COMPLIMENTARY TICKETS

This is the second year, the Big Ten allows an institution to provide complimentary tickets to active SAs for regular-season home games, including Football and Men's Basketball games. Please make sure to utilize complimentary admissions to all home events in order to support your fellow student-athletes at their competitions.

In addition to these tickets, an institution may also provide 4 complimentary admissions per home or away inter-collegiate athletics event to a SA in the sport in which the individual participates. It is against NCAA regulations for a SA to receive payment from any source for their complimentary admissions, and a SA may not exchange or assign comp tickets for any item of value.

EXTRA BENEFIT—Please remember that an extra benefit includes products or services that may be given to a student-athlete for free or at a reduced cost and is not available to all Iowa students (e.g. free meals at a local restaurant, reduced legal fees, student-athlete only discount at a local store).

BLAST FROM THE PAST

This year marks the 30th anniversary of the ANF (America Needs Farmers) logo and its use on the Hawkeyes' football helmets.



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Being a Student Host for Official Visits!

As a student host, there are a few rules to adhere to when hosting a PSA. Student hosts will be given \$40 for each day of the PSA's visit to cover expenses related to entertaining the PSA and their guests. The PSA and student host will be provided complimentary meals and admission to Iowa athletic events; the student host will only receive meals or admission if they are accompanying the PSA on their official visit.

Make sure to review the responsibilities and rules of being a student host with your coach and/or sport liaison before you host a PSA.