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San Bernardino City Unified School District Athletics Strategic Plan

Action Planning Notes

STRATEGY: <u>ACADEMICS/COLLEGE – We will cultivate college eligibility</u> through graduation and use athletics as a springboard to higher education.

Action	Person(s) Responsible	Date
Hold an "all athletes/parents" meeting to review college entrance requirements	Administration Athletic Director Counselors Youth Services	Beginning of each season – or – Yearly
Align tutoring services with the hours needed by student athletes	Site Administration	Ongoing
Complete regular checks on progress toward graduation for all student athletes	Coaches Counselors Youth Services Athletic Directors	Quarterly (by season)
Develop ongoing structures/strategies for academic support for student athletes (i.e. Study Hall)	Administration Athletic Directors Counselors	Ongoing
Designate at least one counselor to serve as an NCAA Clearing House expert	Administration Coaches	Ongoing
Have the NCAA expert train all counselors on basic NCAA regulations	Youth Services NCAA Expert Athletic Directors	Yearly
Conduct a MS to HS academic articulation night for 6 th - 8 th grade students/parents. Mirror at the elementary level	Administration Athletic Directors	Yearly- May
Consider assigning specific counselors to athletes	Administration Counselors	Ongoing
Consider hiring an Athletic Compliance Officer	Administration	2015-2016
Sponsor workshops with college recruitment offices from local colleges/universities	Athletic Directors Career Center Counselors Youth Services	Ongoing

Develop and distribute an Athletics Handbook for all coaches and student athletes	Athletic Directors Youth Services	May, 2016
Connect to District Career Pathways	Administration Athletic Directors Pam Kempthorne Pathway Leaders	Ongoing
Reestablish vertical alignment for athletic eligibility requirements from elementary through high school.	Administration Athletic Directors Coaches	2015-2016
Establish the standard of mandatory weekly grade checks for all athletes and cheerleaders at all three (3) – elementary, middle, high schools – levels. Randomly checked by Athletic Directors or administration	Administration Athletic Directors Coaches	2015-2016
Develop parent education programs to share essential information – e.g., A-G requirements, High School Graduation requirements, NCAA requirements, etc.	Administration Athletic Directors	Ongoing