



# Athletes



## YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR 2009-2010 ATHLETICS:

1. If you are representing a school where you are in attendance in grades five through eight or have been approved for a cooperative team activity.
2. If your birthday is on or after:

September 27, 1993 for Girls Softball	March 14, 1994 for Boys Wrestling
October 4, 1993 for Boys Baseball	March 17, 1995 for 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Volleyball
October 18, 1993 for Boys and Girls Cross-Country	March 24, 1994 for 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Volleyball
December 11, 1994 for 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball	May 16, 1995 for 7A Boys and 7A Girls Track and Field
December 18, 1993 for 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Basketball	May 16, 1994 for 8A Boys and 8A Girls Track and Field
February 12, 1995 for 7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Boys Basketball	May 23, 1995 for 7AA Boys and 7AA Girls Track and Field
February 19, 1994 for 8 <sup>th</sup> Grade Boys Basketball	May 23, 1994 for 8AA Boys and 8AA Girls Track and Field
3. If you try out only for those activities for which you are eligible by age.
4. If you have provided your principal with a birth certificate or hospital record. A baptismal record is not acceptable.
5. If you have a licensed physician's certificate of physical fitness to participate issued within a year preceding your current participation.
6. If you are doing passing work in all of your school subjects.
7. If you have not competed in the same academic grade during a previous school year in the same sport. This is true whether or not you attended a member or non-member school.
8. If you transfer, you become eligible for participation when you meet all eligibility requirements.
9. If you do not participate as an individual or on a non-school team in any contest in a sport during the IESA season for the sport. The IESA season is defined as the date practice may begin until your school's last contest.

NOTE: IESA By Laws are published in the official handbook. Your principal should be contacted to check with the Executive Director on any questions you may have concerning your eligibility. There are minor exceptions to the above regulations, which may need further clarification.

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