

BP 3-8: Conduct of Student-Athletes

BOARD POLICY BP 3-8

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EFFECTIVE: October 23, 2023

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REFERENCES: Montana Code Annotated § 45-5-221

RESPONSIBLE DEPARTMENT: Athletic Director, Student Services

Participation in the intercollegiate athletics program at Dawson Community College (DCC) is a privilege, not a right. Student athletes are expected to maintain acceptable standards of behavior on campus and in the community and to maintain a satisfactory scholastic standing in the courses undertaken. Student-athletes who fail to comply with these requirements will lose the privilege of participating.

DCC complies with the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) and the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association (NIRA) rules for campus membership and with the guidelines established by the athletic conferences to which DCC now belongs or may join. A complete statement of guidelines and procedures concerning academic integrity and student conduct are contained within the NJCAA and the NIRA Codes of Conduct, the DCC Student Conduct Code, the DCC Student-Athlete Code of Conduct, and the intercollegiate sport or activity training rules. These rules and guidelines govern the conduct of DCC student athletes.

SCOPE This policy applies to Dawson Community College.

PROCEDURES The College President shall promulgate such procedures as may be needed to implement this policy.

History: 7/25/05; 11/25/13; 10/23/2023