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UTEP ATHLETICS COMPLIANCE NEWSLETTER

COMPLIANCE HOTSHOTS



Kevin Baker

Women's Basketball Head Coach

The compliance office appreciates Kevin's proactivity in addressing all of the rules related concerns and issues that his team and student-athletes have been facing and are likely to face as a result of the global pandemic. Kevin's concern for compliance issues helps keep his team, staff and student-athletes violation free.

AGENTS REMINDER

Any agreement with an agent, in writing or verbally to market his or her athletic skills will render a student-athlete ineligible for intercollegiate athletic competition. Additionally, any athletics department staff member that introduces an agent to a student-athlete is in violation of NCAA Bylaw 10.1.



SPORTS WAGERING (GAMBLING)

The NCAA prohibits any athletics department staff members, staff members who have responsibilities with or over the athletics department, and student-athletes from wagering anything of tangible value on intercollegiate, amateur or professional athletics competition.



August RECRUITING CALENDARS

- QUIET
- EVALUATION
- CONTACT
- EVALUATION / QUIET
- RECRUITING SHUTDOWN
- DEAD

FOOTBALL

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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MEN'S BASKETBALL

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WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

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TRACK & CROSS COUNTRY

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MEN'S GOLF

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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VOLLEYBALL

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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SOFTBALL

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OTHER SPORTS

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Preseason Practices

Bylaw 17.1.7.3.5

Daily and weekly hour limitations do not apply to countable athletically related activities occurring during any preseason practice prior to the first day of classes (or in football the first schedule contact, whichever is earlier)

Bylaw 17.1.7.3.5.1

Exception – Football: On one day in every seven days during the preseason practice period a student-athlete's participation in CARA shall be limited to not more than two hours of off-field meetings or film review. Daily and weekly hour limitations shall apply beginning with the first day of class or seven days before the first scheduled contest, whichever is earlier.

Bylaw 17.1.7.6.3

In sports other than football, an institution shall provide student-athletes with one day off per week during preseason practice that occurs prior to the first day of classes or the first scheduled contest, whichever is earlier.

Social Media: Click, Don't Type

Remember, social media is a form of electronic correspondence, so coaches must wait until prospects are eligible to receive such correspondence before communicating through social media. In general, electronic correspondence is governed by **NCAA Bylaw 13.4.1.6**. Below are helpful tips:

CLICK

- Follow a prospect on Facebook or Twitter
- Tweet generic info about recruiting (e.g. visiting a school or town, attending a game)
- Retweet, like, or favorite posts on the prospect's social media profile
- Retweet or like a comment, story, or article about a prospect or prospect's team

DON'T TYPE

- Post on a prospect's Facebook wall*
 - Use the Twitter @ feature with a prospect*
 - Retweet, like, or favorite a comment, story, or article in reference to or posted by a recruiting or scout service
 - Send a snapchat video created for recruiting purposes to a prospect*
 - Create a message that endorses a prospect's team, coach, or facility
- *Once a prospect signs an NLI approved by the Compliance Office, these restrictions are lifted

Example:

The head baseball coach, Coach Green, may like (i.e. click) prospect John Taylor's tweet regarding his official visit but may not comment (i.e. type) on the tweet.

Tryouts for Enrolled Students

A Division I institution on its campus or elsewhere, is not permitted to conduct (or have conducted on its behalf) any physical activity (e.g., practice session or test/tryout) at which one or more prospective student-athletes reveal, demonstrate or display their athletics abilities in any sport.

Any UTEP student that wishes to tryout must have all the following completed prior to the tryout:

- Enrolled in full-time program at UTEP.
- They have provided the Athletic Training Department with a current physical, a sickle cell solubility test and proof of medical insurance covering athletic injuries in the United States.
- They have a tryout approval form on file with the Office of Compliance and provided proof of full-time enrollment.

A tryout can occur at a preseason practice for a student-athlete that is not yet enrolled but has been accepted for admission to UTEP in a regular full-time program of studies. This tryout however cannot be used to determine if the student-athlete would receive aid. A student-athlete who is trying out must be placed on that team's squad-list within 14 days from the first date they engage in a countable athletically related activity or by that team's first competition, whichever is earlier. If they are not added to the squad list after 14 days, they must cease activity with the athletics team.



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COMPLIANCE
OFFICE**

APPS

DAVID

FADIA

JACOB

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**GOOGLE
MAPS**

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**GOOGLE
MAPS**

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REDDIT

#2



**BARSTOOL
SPORTS**

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VENMO

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TWITTER

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SHAZAM

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STARBUCKS

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MLB

#4



YOUTUBE

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FAVOR

FAVOR

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**APPLE
PODCASTS**

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GMAIL

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**FIND MY
IPHONE**

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