



OFFICE OF COMPLIANCE INTRODUCTION

Saint Peter's College is committed to the principles of institutional control in operating its athletics programs through the development and implementation of appropriate institutional policies and procedures, an effective education program, and a functioning monitoring program. Each individual involved in intercollegiate athletics is obligated to maintain competency with respect to knowledge of the rules; to act within his or her realm of responsibility in full compliance with the governing legislation; and to report any violation of NCAA, conference and /or institutional rules of which he or she is aware.

The Office of Compliance is responsible for coordinating, monitoring and verifying compliance with all NCAA, athletic conference and SPC rules and regulations and to educate the various constituencies of the College (e.g. coaches, administrators, faculty, student-athletes, prospects, alumni) and the College community regarding these rules and regulations. It is important that all persons involved in SPC athletics understand and comply with our commitment to these rules and regulations as they are essential to maintaining the integrity of SPC.

Compliance with NCAA rules requires the effort of everyone associated with an institution's athletic program – institutional staff, faculty, students, student-athletes and representatives of athletic interests. In order to act within NCAA rules, it is important to understand not only the rules themselves, but also why the NCAA rules exist and why schools must monitor compliance with the rules.

The information contained in this manual was developed to provide you with a general overview of key Division I NCAA rules and regulations. If you have any additional questions about NCAA rules and regulations, you should contact the Office of Compliance directly.

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