



Hebron Academy Academic Concussion Plan Overview

In light of the recent awareness of how concussions affect students after the injury, Hebron Academy has set up an academic response to students who suffer concussions during the school year in order to balance the student's need to recover from their injury and their academic responsibilities.

When a student has been properly diagnosed with a concussion the following steps will be taken:

1. The student will be diagnosed by a physician in order to determine the extent of their injury.
2. The Health Center will notify the student's teachers, residential life team, academic advisor, the Academic Dean, and the Academic Guidance Center of the student's injury and the recommended accommodations for the student as they recover.
3. The Academic Guidance Department will request all current and upcoming assignments, accommodations, and specific comments related to the course.
4. The Academic Guidance Department will produce an initial response plan for the student with specific dates including a plan re-evaluation date.
5. The student advisor, with the assistance of the Academic Guidance Department, will oversee the execution of the plan during the specified time frame.
6. At the re-evaluation date, the plan will be adjusted accordingly upon the recommendation of the Health Center, the Athletic Trainer and the student's physician.

It is important to note that EVERY concussion is different and that once the plan is put in place it is subject to change based on symptoms. The Health Center, the Athletic Trainer, and the physician will be in charge of modifying these changes if they need to occur. The goal of the program is to ensure the safety and the well being of the student.