

**Newport Mesa Unified School District
HIGH SCHOOL
PROBATIONARY PERIOD**

Athletics, Cheer, Dance, Drama, Drill Teams, Music (Instrumental & Vocal), Pep Squads (Song Leaders/Baton)

I acknowledge that:

_____My grade point average for the previous quarter was below a 2.0

I acknowledge that I will be granted my Probationary Period in accordance with Newport Mesa Unified School District Administrative Regulation 6145.

Students may have more than one probationary period during their four years of high school, but students will be limited to one probationary period per school year, and the probation period will be assigned automatically whether or not the student is participating in a sport, co-curricular or extracurricular activity. Also, students may not have two consecutive probation periods and a probation period must follow a period of eligibility.

Eligibility status for an upcoming quarter will be determined on the same date for all students in the district.

I understand this Probationary Period will last for the current quarter only. My future eligibility each quarter will be determined by the GPA and/or citizenship status I earn at the end of each quarter. The probation eligibility period will be in effect during the grading period which immediately follows the grading period in which the student first earned less than a 2.0 GPA.

Courses awarding P (pass), CR (credit), NC (no credit) or NM (no mark) are excluded from consideration when calculating the grade point average. Grades of NC and NM exclude the course from consideration.

If a student attempts to improve a grade during summer school by taking the same class again, the summer school grade can replace the grade received during the preceding grading period. If a student takes a different class than that which was previously taken, the summer school grade will be averaged with all grades received during the preceding grading period to recalculate the GPA.

Summer school courses failed shall not impair an athlete's scholastic eligibility achieved in the semester immediately preceding.

I understand that the Probationary Period for athletics cannot be granted if I do not meet the basic C.I.F. eligibility requirement: "Athlete must have passed four classes in the previous quarter and must be currently enrolled in four classes." P.E./Athletics may count as one class.

As a condition of eligibility, a student must maintain an acceptable level of citizenship. A student shall be ineligible for participation in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities if he/she receives two or more unsatisfactory marks in citizenship during the preceding grade reporting period. The two unsatisfactory marks may not be given by the same teacher.

I understand if my overall GPA falls below 1.0 at the close of my senior year, I will be ineligible to graduate from the Newport Mesa Unified School District, despite earning the required 230 credits.

I understand the above regulations regarding a Probationary Period and approve of my son's/daughter's request.

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Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

I certify that the above named student has not been granted a previous Probationary Period while attending this high school or any other high school this school year.

Athletic/Program Director _____ Date _____