UIL Varsity Athletic Eligibility Flowchart

NOTE: ALL **NEW** Students to a high school attendance zone or feeder pattern, and student that reside outside the attendance zone needs a PAPF on file for SUB Varsity Competition

If an Athlete **Moves**

- No athletics in grades 8-12
  - Completion of page 1 of the PAPF required
- Participated in athletics in grade 8-12
  - Full PAPF Required
    - Lives with both parents/parents are divorced/single parent and never married/parent deceased
      - No UIL Parent Residency Waiver
        - **Varsity Eligible with** DEC PAPF Approval
    - Parents are separated, married living apart, guardian or foster parent
      - UIL Parent Residency Waiver REQUIRED
        - **Varsity Eligible with** DEC PAPF Approval **AND** UIL Residency Waiver Approval

If an Athlete Transfers

- Parents are active service members, Peace offices, or SBEC Certified Educators
  - Full PAPF Required
    - **Varsity Eligible IF** transferred at 1st Opportunity and DEC PAPF Approval
- Intra District or Out of District transfer for a program of study or choice
  - Full PAPF Required
    - **SUB VARSITY Eligibility ONLY** because the student lives outside of the schools attendance zone

Please Note: If an athlete decides to return to their zoned campus after establishing UIL residency at the transfer location, they would have transfer student status at their zoned campus

If an Athlete is on a Temporary Residence Waiver

- No athletics at previous school
  - Completion of page 1 of the PAPF required
- Participated in athletics at previous school
  - Full PAPF Required

Any student on a temporary residency waiver will ONLY be **SUB-Varsity** eligible UNTIL they have a permanent physical residence is within the High Schools attendance zone AND a DEC Approved PAPF or they have established UIL residency at that High School Campus.

UIL Definitions

Move: A physical move of one's residence from another school district into Manor ISD or from one Manor ISD high school attendance zone to another.

Transfer: Formal district approval to attend a high school not designated for one's attendance zone. There is a change of schools without a change of address.

First Opportunity: First Opportunity" in reference to Section 442(h): If the first opportunity for a child to transfer to a new school occurs during a semester, the student is expected to at least start the next semester at the new school. Entry into the 9th grade is considered first opportunity.

Establishing UIL Residency at High School: The period of time (one calendar year) required by UIL varsity and Manor ISD athletic rules before the student may participate in UIL Varsity athletics.

Primary Residency: Student athletes could be eligible for varsity athletics their first year of attendance if their parents have a bona fide residence (Section 442 [h]) within that school's attendance zone.

Attendance Zone: A geographic area used by a school district to assign students to a school

Previous Athletic Participation Form (PAPF): This is a UIL required form for any new student athletes in grades 9-12. Any athlete that was not in the attendance zone of the high school they are enrolling in, during the previous school year, will need to complete this form.

District Executive Committee: Composed of the superintendents (or designees) of member schools competing in the assigned UIL playing district.

Sub-Varsity: Freshmen or Junior Varsity level

Residency Waiver: The waiver process is designed to give an opportunity to students who encounter hardships due to extenuating life changing circumstances. With this process in place, students that normally would be ineligible to participate in varsity contests, due to these involuntary or unavoidable circumstances, now are able to seek eligibility through one of the various waivers.