

Florida State University Schools

POLICY MANUAL

STUDENTS

CHAPTER 6.0

6.141

**EMPLOYMENT OF ATHLETIC COACHES WHO ARE NOT FULL TIME EMPLOYEES OF THE SCHOOL BOARD**

Persons who are not full-time employees of the School Board and hold an athletic coach's certificate, issued by the state of Florida, or a District Athletic Coaching Certificate may be recommended by the Director and appointed by the School Board, as an OPS employee, to perform designated athletic coaching responsibilities, subject to the following conditions:

- I. The OPS employment conforms to rules and regulations of the State Board of Education and/or the bylaws of the Florida High School Athletic Association (FHSAA), as applicable.
- II. The employment procedures and services conform to standards and procedures provided by the Director including, but not limited to:
  - A. Use of an approved agreement form for OPS employment.
  - B. Assessment of the qualifications of such persons.
  - C. Agreement by the employee to abide by the Code of Ethics of the Education Profession in Florida.
  - D. Evaluation of performed services to be conducted by the Athletic Director and appropriate records maintained.
- III. An individual who is employed only as an athletic coach must hold a valid cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) certificate issued by the American Heart Association or the American Red Cross and must have received training in First Aid and about the dangers of drug use including performance enhancing drugs.

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@Christopher Small @Anthony Robinson Do you want to add the NFHS courses here as well as with the district coaching certificate?

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they already have an athletic certificate so should not have to do any district besides CPR and First Aid correct?- yes says Rob.