

Pittsfield School District

**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

Participating in extra-curricular and co-curricular activities may demand a large portion of a student’s out-of-school time. It is necessary for students to demonstrate that they can afford to devote the time necessary for participation in these activities.

Extra-Curricular Participation Guidelines:

1. Eligibility Requirements. To be eligible to participate in any extra-curricular activity, the student must be passing a minimum of four credit-bearing courses (not including driver education, ELO’s, learning studios, or advisory) during the previous PMHS reporting period. An “incomplete” does not qualify as a passing grade.

For on-line courses to be applied to eligibility, they must meet the following criteria:

- A. Student must be “passing” the course;
- B. For a semester (.5 credit) course, student must be:
  - 40% course completed by mid-semester (first or third progress report);
  - 100% course completed by end-of-semester.
- C. For full-year (1 credit) course, the student must be:
  - 20% course completed by first progress report;
  - 40% course completed by second progress report;
  - 60% course completed by third progress report;
  - 100% course completed by fourth progress report.

“Passing” is defined by the granting of credit by the responsible institution. The progress report “snapshot” is taken at 8:00 a.m. on the “snapshot date” determined by the school administration.

2. Ineligibility. A student who is considered ineligible may not participate or attend any activity, meeting, practice, or team event until the subsequent reporting period or the beginning of the subsequent season.
3. Summertime Competency Recovery. Students must meet eligibility requirements at least one week prior to the fall season start date to be considered eligible.

Co-Curricular Participation Guidelines:

1. Students are expected to be in good academic standing to be eligible for participation. Club advisors are expected to review each student’s academic performance to ensure that good standing is maintained. Due to the missed instructional time required for participation in the ski club, members must meet the extra-curricular requirement by the first scheduled ski activity.

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