

TRITON COLLEGE BOARD POLICY

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, DISTRICT 504

STUDENT AFFAIRS

ATHLETIC TUITION WAIVER

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Student-athletes eligible under National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) and Conference standards are considered qualified to receive tuition waivers. Any student who participates in intercollegiate athletics will also be eligible to apply for local, state and national scholarships available to all other Triton College students.

Non-athletic scholarships awarded to student-athletes are not counted toward the total tuition waiver. The order and applicability in which aid and awards are applied is determined solely by procedures established by the Triton College Financial Aid department.

In accordance with NJCAA regulations, waivers are available to any and all sport offerings designated as Division I or Division II. Triton College may offer waivers that are within the guidelines of the NJCAA regulations. These are one year renewable awards and are limited to 15 credit hours per semester for fall and spring and 6 credit hours for summer term.

Each year for the subsequent academic year by September 1st, the college administrator overseeing intercollegiate athletics will determine the following:

- Identify programs eligible to offer tuition waivers.
- Determine number of renewable and vacant (available) waivers.
- Make any recommendations or determinations on new or existing provisions issued by NJCAA or Conference.

Written notice of the terms of the original tuition waiver shall be given to the student-athlete no later than fifteen (15) calendar days after the beginning of classes of the academic term in which they participate. This tuition waiver agreement (with the required student signature) shall be in effect for one full academic year. If a waiver becomes vacant, it may be awarded to a different individual for the remainder of that academic year beginning with the next term. Renewal of the tuition waiver must be given in writing as soon as eligibility is determined. Actions regarding prohibited practices or cancellation of a waiver will follow the established regulations of the NJCAA.