

North Carolinians for Home Education Athletic Conference
Non-Recruit/Transfer Rule Explanation

No athlete may leave one homeschool team to play on another homeschool team without the permission of the NCHEAC Board, whose decisions are final. A team is defined as all age eligible players from middle school through high school. If the player does not appeal to NCHEAC or the appeal is denied, the athlete must either stay on their team or sit out one year. This rule applies to both non-conference homeschool teams from non-NCHEAC programs or participating on a NCHEAC team's non-NCHEAC roster. This rule shall preclude the athlete from re-entering the league until they have not participated on any homeschool team in their sport for a period of one (1) year. NCHEAC teams that use an ineligible player as above will be ineligible from the league for 12 months.

After sitting out one year, the athlete may play for any homeschool team. An athlete is considered committed to a team once they initially register with the team/sport. If a player is cut from the team during try-outs, they are automatically released. If the team or program announces that there will not be a team (or fails to submit a minimum number of players on the roster) then players are released, unless NCHEAC reviews the situation and determines the program failed due to players refusing to play. In the event a NCHEAC team or program folds, NCHEAC reserves the right to review the situation before players are released to other teams. Players on a team in a program are committed to the team and must receive a release to move to another team (including an older team) with another program.

Releases will only be given based on time and distance due to a family or program moving, or a hardship based on time or distance as determined by NCHEAC.

I/we, the custodial parent(s) of _____ (list athlete's names), acknowledge receipt of this rule and agree to abide by the provisions listed. I/we, understand that this rule applies to all children in our homeschool who participate in NCHEAC sponsored leagues. This form only needs to be signed once by each family represented herein.

County/City Team Name: _____

Sport: _____

(Custodial Parent)

(Custodial Parent)

Date