

EJECTION PENALTY AND REVIEW

Ejection Penalty

Participant is prohibited from participation (ineligible) from the point of ejection plus;
Football – next four consecutive full quarters of comparable events.
All other sports – next comparable event.

Second offense in same season

Football – next eight consecutive full quarters of comparable events.
All other sports – next two comparable events.

Third offense in same season

Prohibited from participation for the remainder of same sport season and school placed on probation or warning. If there are fewer than 3 comparable games remaining in the season, the prohibition of participation carries over to the next same sport season to total at least 3 games.

Comparable Event is defined as an event that has already been scheduled and is at the same level of competition (Varsity, JV, Girls, Boys). Comparable events may be events for the following same sport season.

Ejection Appeal

An appeal of ejection must be filed through the school's authorized representative in writing on the ejection appeal form to the Executive Director. The Executive Director or designee will review the video on the next business day after the appeal is filed. A ruling on the appeal will be made within three business days of the filing. The ruling of the Executive Director or designee is final and may not be appealed to the Board of Directors. All periods of ineligibility (suspensions) remain in effect until such time that a ruling is rendered by the Executive Director or designee in writing. The school's authorized representative must also provide video or access to the video specific to the ejection. Video from outside sources may be utilized but must be submitted through the school's authorized representative. Submitted video should include only clips specific to the ejection. Full game films submitted will not be reviewed.

Video Review

- Only video involving an ejection may be reviewed.
- Reviewable ejections are limited to physical actions.
- Video review may be used to properly identify and eject the participant in a situation where it is possible that misidentification occurred.
- Video review may be used to properly identify participants in situations involving multiple participants involved in a fight, confrontation or ejection where circumstances prevent accurate reporting of the individuals involved. This could include identifying and ejecting individuals not previously identified or reported, including contest participants, non-participants, or coaches who enter the playing area during the incident.
- Video review may be used to assess the level of involvement in an incident.
- Video review must provide indisputable evidence to overturn the ejection.

Note 1: *Ejected student-athletes may attend but may not participate in the next comparable event while serving the ejection penalty.*

Note 2: *Ejected Coaches may not be present at the next comparable event venue or perform any coaching duties during the comparable event while serving the ejection penalty.*