

This form is to be completed by any individual receiving instructions from a University of Miami student-athlete on a fee-for-lesson basis, as well as the student-athlete providing the instruction.
This form must be completed and filed with the Compliance Office in advance of any lessons.

Name of Student-Athlete: _____ Sport: _____

Individual(s) Receiving Instruction: _____ Date of Lesson: _____

Individual Paying for Instruction: _____

Relationship to Lesson Recipient: _____

How did you learn of the lesson being offered? _____

Did the student-athlete perform the job duties to your expectations? _____

Briefly describe the lesson student-athlete conducted: _____

What was the rate of pay? (Please indicate amount) \$/Hour: _____ Session: _____ Other: _____

Where was the lesson conducted (Name of Facility)? _____

Was there a rental fee for the facility? _____ If yes, did you pay this fee? _____ Amount paid? _____

How did the student-athlete get to and from the lesson? _____

I certify that all of the following provisions have been met:

- Institutional facilities will not be used for the instruction.
- The instruction will not include any “playing lessons.
- Payment for the lesson will be made by the person receiving the lesson or someone in the recipient’s immediate family.
- Only individual instruction will be given and no “camp” or “clinic” will be run.
- The student-athlete did not use his or her name, picture or appearance to promote or advertise the availability of this fee-for-lesson instruction.

Signature of Student-Athlete: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Person Receiving Instruction: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Person Paying for Instruction: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Compliance Office: _____ Date: _____

General Bylaws

12.4.1 Criteria Governing Compensation to Student-Athletes. Compensation may be paid to a student-athlete:
(Revised: 11/22/04)

- (a) Only for work actually performed; and
- (b) At a rate commensurate with the going rate in that locality for similar services.

12.4.1.1 Athletics Reputation. Such compensation may not include any remuneration for value or utility that the student-athlete may have for the employer because of the publicity, reputation, fame or personal following that he or she has obtained because of athletics ability.

15.2.7 Employment. Earnings from a student-athlete's on- or off-campus employment that occurs at any time is exempt and is not counted in determining a student-athlete's cost of attendance or in the institution's financial aid limitations, provided: (Revised: 10/31/02 effective 8/1/03, 4/29/04 effective 8/1/04)

- (a) The student-athlete's compensation does not include any remuneration for value or utility that the student-athlete may have for the employer because of the publicity, reputation, fame or personal following that he or she has obtained because of athletics ability;
- (b) The student-athlete is compensated only for work actually performed; and
- (c) The student-athlete is compensated at a rate commensurate with the going rate in that locality for similar services (see Bylaw 12.4).

12.4.2.1 Fee-for-Lesson Instruction. A student-athlete may receive compensation for teaching or coaching sport skills or techniques in his or her sport on a fee-for-lesson basis, provided: (Revised: 1/9/96 effective 8/1/96, 4/25/02 effective 8/1/02)

- (a) Institutional facilities are not used; (Adopted: 4/25/02 effective 8/1/02)
- (b) Playing lessons shall not be permitted; (Adopted: 4/25/02 effective 8/1/02)
- (c) The institution obtains and keeps on file documentation of the recipient of the lesson(s) and the fee for the lesson(s) provided during any time of the year; and (Adopted: 4/25/02 effective 8/1/02)
- (d) The compensation is paid by the lesson recipient (or the recipient's family) and not another individual or entity. (Adopted: 4/25/02 effective 8/1/02)
- (e) Instruction to each individual is comparable to the instruction that would be provided during a private lesson when the instruction involves more than one individual at a time. (Adopted: 4/2/03 effective 8/1/03)
- (f) The student-athlete does not use his or her name, picture or appearance to promote or advertise the availability of fee-for-lesson sessions. (Adopted: 4/2/03 effective 8/1/03)

Official Interpretations

1. **Student-Athlete Establishing His or Her Own Business (I).** The committee determined that a student-athlete may establish his or her own business, provided the student-athlete's name, photograph, appearance or athletics reputation are not used to promote such a business. (NCAA Interp 7/20/06)
2. **Employment of a Student-Athlete by Local Sports Club Owned or Operated by Student-Athlete's Coach (I/II).** The membership services staff determined that a student-athlete's **employment** in a local sports club or organization owned or operated by a coaching staff member in his or her sport does not, in and of itself, constitute a countable athletically related activity. Therefore, it is permissible for an institution's coaching staff member who owns or operates a local sports club or organization to employ a student-athlete, who is a member of his or her team, in the club or organization outside the institution's playing season, provided no countable athletically related activities (per NCAA Bylaw 17.02.1) occur as a result of the employment. (NCAA Interp 3/10/04)
3. **Employment of Student-Athlete as a Coach (I/III).** The membership services staff confirmed that a student-athlete may serve as a coach at a two-year college, high school, preparatory school, grade school or sports club provided he or she does not recruit prospective student-athletes while serving in that capacity. (NCAA Interp 11/12/03)
4. **Application of NCAA Bylaw 12.4.2.1.** A student-athlete who is teaching lessons on a fee-for-lesson basis to more than one individual at a time must provide instruction to each individual that is comparable to the instruction that would be provided during a private lesson. Further, it is not permissible for a student-athlete to use his or her name, picture or appearance to promote or advertise the availability of fee-for-lesson sessions. (NCAA Interp 6/20/02)
5. **Employment of Prospect at Summer Camps.** Employment of Prospect at Summer Camps: The legislative services staff confirmed that, in Division I, a prospective student-athlete who was a high-school, preparatory-school or two-year college award winner or who is being recruited by that institution may not be employed (either on a salaried or volunteer basis) at that institution's sports camp/clinic. Further, in Divisions II and III, an individual who has started classes for the ninth grade may not be employed (either on a salaried or volunteer basis) at that institution's sports camp/clinic. (Staff Interp 6/4/97)
6. **Prospective Student-Athlete Conducting His or Her Own Camp or Clinic.** Prospective student-athlete conducting his or her own camp or clinic: Confirmed that a prospective student-athlete may conduct his or her own camp or clinic. (NCAA Interp 8/6/93)
7. **Student-athlete Obtaining Employment with an Athletics Representative.** Student-Athlete Obtaining Employment with an Athletics Representative: Reviewed Bylaws 15.2.6.1 (employment -- no institutional aid received) and 15.02.3.1-(c) [institutional financial aid] determined that a student-athlete who is not receiving institutional financial aid would be permitted to procure employment from an athletics representative and earn legitimate income in excess of a full grant-in-aid, provided the opportunity for employment was available on an equal basis to all applicants who qualify for the position and the student-athlete initiated the search for the position, inasmuch as neither the athletics department nor athletics representatives are involved in arranging the employment.