

FOR YOUR INTERPRETATION

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Vacation Period Expenses

NCAA rules permit the University of Missouri to provide room and board expenses to student-athletes who are required to remain on or return to campus for practice and/or competition during an institutional vacation period (i.e. thanksgiving break, winter break). Up to three meals per day, or the cash equivalent, may be provided to student-athletes during that portion of the vacation period when campus dining facilities are closed. Similarly, lodging per diem for student-athletes who utilize off-campus housing options, or actual lodging (i.e. hotel), may be provided during the portion of the vacation period when campus residence halls are closed. For student-athletes who live in a residence hall that is open year round, it is permissible for student-athlete to remain in his or her room during the break period.

As a reminder, meal per diem may be provided at the following rates: \$10.25 breakfast, \$10.25 lunch, and \$20.50 dinner. Lodging per diem for students off-campus may be provided at a rate of \$25 per night. In addition to providing three meals per day or the cash equivalent, snacks, meals incidental to participation, and/or occasional meals may also be provided with prior compliance approval.

If you will have student-athletes who are required to remain on campus during an institutional vacation period, please make sure to submit a copy of the expenses you anticipate providing to your student-athletes to Jake Toppel for review.

Thanksgiving Break

November 17 - 25

Campus meals begin with Lunch on November 24th

Winter Break

December 15
- January 22

Campus meals begin with Breakfast on January 18th

Social Media Post-Signing

While the rules related to interactions with PSAs on social media can be quite onerous during the recruitment process (remember, #ClickDontType), once a PSA has signed an NLI and/or MU Financial Aid Agreement, many of the restrictions are removed. On signing day, the Compliance Office must verify that the NLI and Financial Aid Agreement are valid, and then provide approval for the official social media accounts to announce the PSA's signing. Once a valid agreement is in place, coaches, staff members, and even boosters are then permitted to publically discuss a PSA. It also becomes permissible to "associate a PSA's account" or tag the PSA in a post, using his/her name or social media handle. It is important for staff members who want to welcome the newest Tigers on social media to wait until an official MU account announces the PSA's commitment before publically commenting on the PSA.

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NCAA Interpretation

Use of a Scoreboard/Video Board to Display Audio/Video Materials to a Prospective Student-Athlete

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The academic and membership affairs staff confirmed that an institution is permitted to use a scoreboard or video board to show a video to a prospective student-athlete visiting the institution, provided the video is not personalized to the prospective student-athlete (e.g., edited or unedited highlight video), is not created by an entity outside the institution and does not celebrate the prospective student-athlete's visit to campus.

Recruiting Calendars

November 2018

FOOTBALL

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

Days not designated for evaluations are quiet periods

MEN'S BASKETBALL

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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Evaluations at Scholastic Events only

SOFTBALL

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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Evaluations at Scholastic only, except NonScholastic Events permissible November 3, 4, 10, 11, 17 & 18 only.

BASEBALL

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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TRACK & FIELD

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MEN'S GOLF

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ALL OTHER SPORTS

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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- ☐ Evaluation Period
- ☒ Quiet Period
- ☒ Contact/Recruiting Period
- ☒ Dead Period



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