



The Extreme Scholar Athlete Program recognizes our student-athletes for their commitment inside of the classroom.

In the Extreme organization, we expect our student-athletes to be just that, a STUDENT first and an ATHLETE second. We will all continue to work hard to provide a positive softball/baseball experience, but it is important to remember that our athletes' success in life first starts in the classroom!

The Extreme Scholar Athlete Program has two parts:

1. Each of our student-athletes that meet the criteria outlined below will receive an award once per year to recognize their hard work and achievement in the classroom. Each of our Extreme Scholar Athletes will be honored with a gift each year in July.
2. The team in our Extreme organization that has the most student-athletes in the Extreme Scholar Athlete program will be awarded the **Annual Extreme Academic Team Award**. This team award will be placed on the trophy shelves in the Extreme Building to be honored forever.

Eligibility Requirements:

Each of our student-athletes that meet the following requirements for the entire year will receive an award recognizing their success in the classroom. The award will be based on the final grades, if given, or the combination of all quarter/semester grades. To qualify for this award, the student-athlete must achieve a **3.50+ GPA**.

High School Student Athletes:

Each of our high school student-athletes that achieve a **3.50+ GPA** for the year will be eligible for the award. Weighted GPAs will be used when given. If a student is not taking honors/advanced placement classes, the nonweighted GPA will be used. There will be no rounding of GPAs (so, a 3.495 GPA is not 3.5 and is therefore not eligible).

Middle School Student Athletes:

If a middle school provides GPAs, the same criteria will be used for our middle school student-athletes as outlined above for our high school student-athletes.

If a middle school does not provide GPAs, the following scores should be used to calculate GPAs:

- A+, A, A- = 4.0 points
- B+, B, B- = 3.0 points
- C+, C, C- = 2.0 points
- D+, D, D- = 1.0 point
- F = 0.0 point

The calculated GPA is the sum of points for each letter grade given divided by the number of classes taken. Again, no rounding should occur in the calculation of the GPA. The GPA should be recorded with two digits following the decimal point (i.e., 3.78, 3.61, 3.94, etc.) **It will be the responsibility of the player, their parent or their coach or team representative to calculate the semester GPA before submitting a report card for eligibility consideration.**

Submissions **must include a GPA calculation.** Those turned in without a GPA won't be considered for eligibility. The GPA will not be calculated by the Scholar Athlete Director.

Grade School Student Athletes:

If a grade school provides grades on their report card, the calculated GPA will be used, based on the same criteria as our middle school student-athletes, as outlined above. If the grade school provides 2 or more marks (i.e. E/M/U, +/-), to be eligible a student-athlete may have 1 middle mark but all other marks must be the highest mark available (i.e. E, +). If a grade school provides 2 tier marks (i.e. S/U, +/-) only the highest mark given for the school district at the grade school level will be accepted.

Report Card Submittal:

A **complete report card** must be submitted for eligibility. Only providing a portion of a student's report card will disqualify the student-athlete from eligibility. There will not be a second chance for submittal given.

In June, a website will be available for parents to upload a copy of their student-athlete's report card for submission. **Only those with a 3.50+ GPA or grade school student athlete as outlined above should be submitted for eligibility.**