

NCAA DIVISION II MAXIMUM AND MINIMUM CONTESTS REQUIREMENTS FOR THE 2020-21 ACADEMIC YEAR

(effective May 19, 2020)

Note: These numbers are for the 2020-21 academic year only. The maximum and minimum contests requirements will return to the previously legislated and policy numbers for the 2021-22 academic year (see 2019-20 NCAA Division II Manual).

| Sport | Minimum Number of Contests for Sponsorship | Minimum Number of Contests for Selections – Division II Championship Sports | Maximum Number of Contests/Dates |
|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| Acrobatics & Tumbling | 4 | N/A – Emerging Sport | 12 dates |
| Baseball | 16 | 16 | 40 contests |
| Men’s Basketball | 15 | 15 | 22 contests* |
| Women’s Basketball | 15 | 15 | 22 contests* |
| Women’s Beach Volleyball | 5 | National Collegiate Championship | 16 dates |
| Women’s Bowling | 5 | National Collegiate Championship | 32 dates |
| Cross Country | 3 | 3 | 6 dates |
| Equestrian | 4 | N/A – Emerging Sport | 15 dates |
| Fencing | 4 | National Collegiate Championship | 11 dates |
| Field Hockey | 7 | 7 | 14 contests |
| Football | 5 | 7 | 10 contests |
| Men’s Golf | 4 | 8 | 16 dates |
| Women’s Golf | 4 | 8 | 16 dates |
| Men’s Gymnastics | 4 | National Collegiate Championship | 13 dates |
| Women’s Gymnastics | 4 | National Collegiate Championship | 13 dates |
| Men’s Ice Hockey | 13 | N/A – No Division II Championship | 32 contests |
| Women’s Ice Hockey | 13 | National Collegiate Championship | 34 contests |
| Men’s Lacrosse | 5 | 7 | 13 dates |
| Women’s Lacrosse | 7 | 7 | 13 dates |
| Rifle | 5 | National Collegiate Championship | 13 dates |
| Women’s Rowing | 4 | 4 | 14 dates |
| Women’s Rugby | 6 | N/A – Emerging Sport | 16 dates |
| Skiing | 3 | National Collegiate Championship | 32 (Alpine) dates 32 (Nordic) dates |
| Men’s Soccer | 7 | 7 | 14 contests |
| Women’s Soccer | 7 | 7 | 14 contests |
| Softball | 16 | 16 | 44 contests |
| Swimming/Diving | 5 | 5 | 12 dates |

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| Men's Tennis | 7 | 7 | 17 |
| Women's Tennis | 7 | 7 | 17 |
| Track and Field – Indoor | 3 | 3 | 14 dates (combined indoor and outdoor) |
| Track and Field – Outdoor | 3 | 3 | 14 dates (combined indoor and outdoor) |
| Women's Triathlon | 3 | N/A – Emerging Sport | 6 dates |
| Men's Volleyball | 6 | National Collegiate Championship | 28 dates |
| Women's Volleyball | 10 | 10 | 20 dates |
| Men's Water Polo | 10 | National Collegiate Championship | 21 dates |
| Women's Water Polo | 7 | National Collegiate Championship | 21 dates |
| Men's Wrestling | 6** | N/A | 12 dates |
| Women's Wrestling | 6** | N/A – Emerging Sport | 16 dates |

* Contests played as part of a conference challenge event or the Division II Tip-Off Classic must be counted in the maximum limitation. These contests **are not** exempt for the 2020-21 academic year.

**Pending adoption of Division II Proposal No. NC-2021-11 (anticipated in July 2020).