

STUDENT HOST INSTRUCTIONS



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS Student Host Instructions



Your role as a STUDENT HOST is very important in the recruiting process for our North Texas athletic teams. Student-athletes who serve as hosts must understand that they are official representatives of the Department of Athletics and the University of North Texas. Therefore, appropriate conduct is expected at all times. A prospective student-athlete's initial visit to our campus provides an opportunity for us to showcase the high standards that we hold ourselves to as ambassadors of the University of North Texas.

You have a responsibility to understand and abide by NCAA Student Host Guidelines and all North Texas regulations. The following list has been established to ensure that hosting of prospective student-athletes is conducted in a manner consistent with NCAA and University of North Texas regulations.

Please **carefully** review the following rules.

1. Several students may host a prospect, but only one student host per prospect may be provided a free meal if restaurant facilities are utilized. A non-qualifier may not serve as a student host in his/her first academic year in residence.
2. A maximum of \$30 for each day of the visit may be provided to cover all actual costs of entertaining the prospect (and the prospect's parents, legal guardians, or spouse), excluding the cost of meals and admission to campus athletics events. These funds may not be used for the purchase of souvenirs such as t-shirts or other institutional mementos. It is permissible to provide the student host with an additional \$15 per day for each additional prospect the host entertains.
3. NO cash may be given to the visiting prospect or to anyone else accompanying the prospect.
4. You may not use vehicles provided by or arranged for by any institutional staff member or representative of our athletics interests. **Never** allow the prospect to use your vehicle.
5. You may not transport the prospect, or anyone accompanying the prospect, beyond 30 miles of the University of North Texas campus.
6. You should not allow recruiting conversations to occur on or off campus between the prospect and a representative of our athletics interests. (If an unplanned meeting occurs, only an exchange of a greeting is permissible). It is your responsibility to ensure that such contact does not take place when they are entertaining prospective student-athletes.
7. A visiting prospect may participate in physical workouts or other recreational activities provided such activities are not organized or observed by the coaching staff and are not designed to test the athletic abilities of the prospect.
8. You may receive a complimentary admission (no hard tickets) when accompanying a prospect to a campus athletics event.
9. Underage drinking (under the age of 21) is illegal in the State of Texas. Prospective student-athletes are not allowed to engage in this activity. It is the student host's responsibility to discourage and report transgressions of this law.
10. If a prospective student-athlete is of legal age (21) and may enter a local bar, it is the student host's responsibility to ensure that the prospective student-athlete is aware that alcohol abuse will **NOT** be tolerated.
11. The University of North Texas will not tolerate sexual harassment by anyone associated with our athletic teams. Student hosts must be aware of the University's prohibition of this type of activity and work to ensure that prospects they are hosting conduct themselves appropriately.
12. It is the responsibility of the University to ensure the safety and well-being of prospective student-athletes visiting our campus. At the same time, it is imperative for prospective student-athletes and their student hosts to avoid any situations or activities that would jeopardize their safety or would be against NCAA, University of North Texas, or local laws, rules and regulations.

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 Signature Page



Student Host Name: _____ Sport: _____

Prospect Name: _____ Visit Date: _____

These guidelines have been established to ensure that each prospective student-athlete's visit to our campus is a quality one. Your compliance with these guidelines is absolutely necessary and greatly appreciated. Incidents contrary to these guidelines may result in a decision by the University to decline to admit or grant financial aid to a prospective student-athlete and also may result in penalties to student-athletes up to and including dismissal from the team.

I certify that I have read and understand these rules, guidelines, and instructions and hereby acknowledge the receipt of \$ _____ per day for the purpose of hosting the above named prospect(s).

 Student-Host Signature Date: _____

I certify that I have read and understand these rules and guidelines. I acknowledge the receipt of \$ _____ for the purpose of travel to the university. Travel took place from _____ to _____ = _____ miles x x .50 cents.

 Prospective Student-Athlete Signature Date: _____

I certify that I have reviewed the rules and guidelines with the student-host and the prospective student-athlete.

 Coach's Signature Date: _____

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