

Dave Kastrup, Athletic Director 1896 S. New Florissant, Rd. Florissant, MO. 63031 Ph: 314-506-9440 Fax: 314-370-2376 dkastrup@fergflor.org mccluerhighcomets.com

Dear Comet Families,

At the District Board Meeting on the evening of November 11th, Board ultimately decided that while everyone wants students to have access to sports, activities and all the benefits those provide, the safest course of action is to continue with the previous decision to return to in-person learning at the start of second semester on January 19th and athletics on January 18th pending conditions due to COVID at that time.

We are pleased to inform you that McCluer High School is making CoreCourseGPA.com, a web-based software program, available to all McCluer High School student-athletes and their parents/guardians **free of charge**.

If your child has aspirations of competing athletically as a freshman at an NCAA Division I or Division II school, they must meet NCAA Initial-Eligibility minimum standards, including minimum core course GPA and SAT/ACT test score requirements. CoreCourseGPA.com is an innovative tool that allows you to easily track your son or daughter's progress towards meeting these requirements, beginning as soon as the first semester of their freshman year.

To activate your child's CoreCourseGPA.com membership, follow these simple steps:

- 1. Go to <u>www.CoreCourseGPA.com</u>
- 2. Click on "Free New Member Account" in the upper left corner and enter the School ID and School Code:

## Students/Parents:

School ID: 261075

School Code: 755294471

- Click "Continue."
- 4. <u>Fill in the appropriate fields</u> in the <u>Create New Student Account</u> form.

  \*\*Remember to write down the new Member Name and Password you have created\*\*
- Click "Submit"
   Congratulations! You have successfully created your CoreCourseGPA.com member account.

To <u>login to your member account</u> and begin using the CoreCourseGPA.com software, follow these simple steps:

- 1. Go to www.CoreCourseGPA.com
- Click the "<u>Member Login</u>" button in the upper right corner
- Enter your <u>Member Name</u> and <u>Password</u>
   \*\*Use the Member Name and Password you created during the account activation process\*\*
- 4. Click "Login"

CoreCourseGPA.com incorporates the NCAA recognized core courses for McCluer High School into the online course entry forms, calculates BOTH Division I and Division II core course GPA, automatically factors weighted grades into calculations and tracks course requirements for BOTH Division I and Division II. Your son or daughter's core course information is saved for the duration of their high school career.

McCluer High School is proud to make this innovative software available to you free of charge. We believe CoreCourseGPA.com will be a very useful academic tool for you and your student-athlete.

CoreCourseGPA.com also provides you access to free recruiting webinars through FreeRecruitingWebinar.org, a nonprofit program. Webinar previews as well as full length recruiting webinars may be accessed on the FreeRecruitingWebinar.org website. Viewing a full length webinar is highly recommended to learn about the facts and rules of recruiting. The recruiting process starts in the freshman year. Make sure you are prepared.

Sincerely,

Dave Kastrup

NKD

IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOTE THAT YOUR USE OF CORECOURSEGPA.COM IS <u>NOT A SUBSTITUTE</u> FOR REGISTERING WITH THE NCAA ELIGIBILITY CENTER AFTER THE COMPLETION OF SIX HIGH SCHOOL SEMESTER.